

Agency: Bureau of the Census.
Title: 1999 New York City Housing and Vacancy Survey.
Form Number(s): H-100, -105, -108, -100(L).
Agency Approval Number: 0607-0757.

Type of Request: Reinstatement, with change, of an expired collection.
Burden: 11,200 hours.
Number of Respondents: 17,200.
Avg Hours Per Response: 35 minutes.
Needs and Uses: The Census Bureau plans to conduct the 1999 New York City Housing and Vacancy Survey (NYCHVS) under contract for the City of New York. The purpose of the survey is to measure the supply, condition, and vacancy rate of housing in the City. Vacancy rate is the primary factor in determining the continuation of rent control regulations. Other survey information is used by city and state agencies for planning purposes as well as the private sector for business decisions. The laws of New York require such a survey to be conducted every three years.

Census Bureau interviewers will conduct personal visit interviews at a sample of housing units in the city, the vast majority of which are apartments in apartment buildings. Basic demographic information will be collected from residents along with information about living conditions (rent, facilities, maintenance, neighborhood, etc.). This information will be collected from rental agents or other knowledgeable persons in the case of vacant units. A small number of reinterviews with agents or landlords will be conducted for quality assurance purposes. We will also determine, by observation only, if a sample of units known to have been lost from the housing inventory have been reconverted for residential use.

Affected Public: Individuals or households, businesses or other for-profit.

Frequency: Every 3 years.
Respondent's Obligation: Voluntary.
Legal Authority: Title 13 USC, Section 8.

OMB Desk Officer: Nancy Kirkendall, (202) 395-7313.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Linda Engelmeier, DOC Forms Clearance Officer, (202) 482-3272, Department of Commerce, room 5327, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to Nancy Kirkendall, OMB Desk Officer, room 10201, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: May 21, 1998.

Linda Engelmeier,
Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of Management and Organization.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission For OMB Review; Comment Request

DOC has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. chapter 35).

Agency: Bureau of the Census.
Title: Census 2000 Dress Rehearsal: Integrated Coverage Measurement and Post Enumeration Survey Activities (Person Follow-up Interview and Evaluation Interview) and Initial Phase Evaluation Activities (Administrative Record Coverage and Multiple Response).

Form Number(s): DX-1301, DX-1301.EI, DX-1301.PSA, and DX-1301(P).

Agency Approval Number: None.
Type of Request: New collection.
Burden: 6,173 hours.
Number of Respondents: 20,190.
Avg Hours Per Response: 18 and a half minutes.

Needs and Uses: In the Census 2000 Dress Rehearsal, the Census Bureau will conduct a dress rehearsal of both its Integrated Coverage Measurement (ICM) and Post Enumeration Survey (PES) methodologies that can be used alternatively to measure coverage of the census for housing units and people. During Person Follow-up, we reconcile differences between ICM/PES person interview phase and the census initial enumeration. The result will be the information needed to produce the final estimates of the coverage for the Census 2000 Dress Rehearsal. The evaluation activities include analyzing the effectiveness of the ICM/PES data collection process and the potential coverage improvement from utilizing alternate response options and administrative records in census operations.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Frequency: One time.
Respondent's Obligation: Mandatory.
Legal Authority: Title 13, United States Code, Section 141.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 25-98]

Foreign-Trade Zone 124—LaPlace, Louisiana, Foreign-Trade Subzone 124B—North American Shipbuilding, Inc.; Application for Expansion

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones (FTZ) Board (the Board) by the South Louisiana Port Commission, grantee of FTZ 124, requesting authority to expand Subzone 124B, which currently covers the main shipyard facility of North American Shipbuilding, Inc. (NASI) located in LaFourche Parish, Louisiana, adjacent to the Gramercy Customs port of entry, to include two new sites located in Terrebonne and Lafourche Parishes. The application was submitted pursuant to the provisions of the Foreign-Trade Zones Act, as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u), and the regulations of the Board (15 CFR Part 400). It was formally filed on May 19, 1998.

Subzone 124B was approved on October 29, 1991 (Board Order 539, 56 F.R. 56627, 11/6/91). The subzone currently consists of one site (14 acres) located at 800 Industrial Park Road and Highway 308, Lafourche Parish, one mile north of Larose, Louisiana.

The applicant is now requesting authority to expand the subzone to include two additional sites: proposed *Site 2* (27 acres)—North American Fabricators, LLC, 208 North American Court, Houma (Terrebonne Parish); and, proposed *Site 3* (26 acres)—C-Port, LLC, 106 9th Street, Port Fourchon (Lafourche Parish).

The NASI facility is used for the construction and repair of commercial, military and research vessels under zone procedures within Subzone 124B.