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**Affected Public:** Businesses or other for-profit.

**Frequency:** On Occasion.

**Respondent's Obligation:** Required to obtain or retain a benefit; voluntary.

**OMB Desk Officer:** David Rostker, (202) 395-7340.

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

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent to David Rostker, OMB Desk Officer, Room 10202, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503 within 30 days of the publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**.

Dated: November 12, 1998.

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*Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of Chief Information Officer.*

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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 of 1995, Pub. L. 104-13.

**Bureau:** International Trade Administration.

**Title:** Mission/Exhibition Evaluation.

**Agency Form Number:** ITA-4075P.

**OMB Number:** 0625-0034.

**Type of Request:** Regular Submission.  
**Burden:** 167 hours.

**Number of Respondents:** 2,000.

**Avg. Hours Per Response:** 5 minutes.

**Needs and Uses:** U.S. Department of Commerce (DOC) and DOC-certified trade missions and exhibitions are overseas events planned, organized and led by government and non-government export promotion agencies such as industry trade associations; agencies of federal, state and local governments; chambers of commerce; regional consortia; and other export oriented groups. This form is used to: (1)

Evaluate the effectiveness of DOC or DOC-certified overseas trade events through the collection of information relating to required performance measures; (2) document the results of participation in DOC trade events; (3) evaluate results reported by small to mid-sized, new-to-exports/new-to-market U.S. companies; (4) document the successful completion of trade promotion activities conducted by overseas DOC offices; and (5) identify strengths and weaknesses of DOC trade promotion programs, in the interest of improving service to the U.S. business community. This request is being submitted to revise this information collection form to enable participants to quickly and clearly address whether or not their overall objective(s) were met by participating in a particular trade mission or exhibition.

**Affected Public:** Businesses or other for profit, not-for-profit institutions.

**Frequency:** On occasion.

**Respondent's Obligation:** Required to obtain or retain a benefit, voluntary.

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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 of 1995, Pub. L. 104-13.

**Bureau:** International Trade Administration.

**Title:** Application for an Export Trade Certificate of Review.

**Agency Form Number:** ITA-4093P.

**OMB Number:** 0625-0125.

**Type of Request:** Regular Submission.  
**Burden:** 960 hours.

**Number of Respondents:** 30.

**Avg. Hours Per Response:** 32 hours.

**Needs and Uses:** Title III of the Export Trading Company Act of 1982 (Pub. L. 97-290, 96 Stat. 1233-1247), requires the Department of Commerce to establish a program to evaluate applications for an Export Trade Certificates of Review (antitrust preclearance for joint export related activities), and with the concurrence of the Department of Justice, issue such certificates where the requirements of the Act are satisfied. The Act requires that Commerce and Justice conduct economic and legal antitrust analyses prior to the issuance of a certificate. The collection of information is necessary to conduct the required economic and legal antitrust analyses. Without the information, there could be no basis upon which a certificate could be issued.

In the Department of Commerce, the economic and legal analyses are performed by the Office of Export Trading Company Affairs and the Office of the General Counsel, respectively. The Department of Justice analyses will be conducted by its Antitrust Division. The purpose of such analyses is to make a determination as to whether or not to issue an Export Trade Certificate of Review.

A certificate provides its holder and the members named in the certificate (a) immunity from government actions under state and Federal antitrust laws for the export conduct specified in the certificate; (b) some protection from frivolous private suits by limiting their liability in private actions from treble to actual damages when the challenged activities are covered by an Export Certificate of Review. Title III was enacted to reduce uncertainty regarding application of U.S. antitrust laws to export activities—especially those involving actions by domestic competitors. Application for an export trade certificate of review is voluntary.

**Affected Public:** Businesses or other for-profit, not-for-profit institutions, state, local or tribal Government.

**Frequency:** On Occasion.

**Respondent's Obligation:** Required to obtain or retain a benefit, voluntary.

**OMB Desk Officer:** David Rostker, (202) 395-7340.

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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 of 1995, Public Law 104-13.

*Bureau:* International Trade Administration.

*Title:* Trade Fair Certification Program: Application.

*Agency Form Number:* ITA-4100P.

*OMB Number:* 0625-0130.

*Type of Request:* Regular Submission.

*Burden:* 700 hours.

*Number of Respondents:* 70.

*Avg. Hours Per Response:* 10 hours.

*Needs and Uses:* Private trade show organizers, trade associations, U.S. agents of foreign fair authorities, and other entities use this form to apply for certification of their ability to organize and manage a U.S. pavilion at a foreign trade show. The Department of Commerce uses information from the form to evaluate if both the show and the organizer meet the Department's high standards in areas such as recruiting, delivering show services, attracting small and medium size firms, booth pricing, and being an appropriate marketing venue for U.S. firms. The form asks organizers to respond to 23 questions ranging from simple name and address to pricing options to outlining their experience and marketing plans. Potential exhibitors look to trade fair certification to ensure they are participating in a viable show with a reliable organizer. The form also includes information on where to apply, procedures, and a commitment by the applicant to abide by the terms set forth for program participation.

*Affected Public:* Businesses or other for profit, not-for-profit institutions.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to obtain or retain a benefit, voluntary.

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### 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 of 1995, Public Law 104-13.

*Bureau:* International Trade Administration.

*Title:* Certified Trade Mission: Application for Status.

*Agency Form Number:* ITA-4127P.

*OMB Number:* 0625-0215.

*Type of Request:* Regular Submission.

*Burden:* 60 hours.

*Number of Respondents:* 60.

*Avg. Hours Per Response:* 1 hour.

*Needs and Uses:* Certified Trade Missions are overseas events that are planned, organized and led by both Federal and non-Federal government export promotion agencies such as industry trade associations, agencies of state and local governments, chambers of commerce, regional groups and other export-oriented groups. The Certified Trade Missions-Application for status form is the vehicle by which individual firms apply, and if accepted, agree to participate in the Department of Commerce's (DOC) trade promotion events program, identify the products or services they intend to sell or promote, and record their required participation fees. This submission only renews use of the form; no changes are being made. The form is used to (1) collect information about product/services that a company wishes to export; (2) modify several questions based on comments received from DOC trade event managers and participants.

*Affected Public:* Businesses or other for profit, not-for-profit institutions.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to obtain or retain a benefit, voluntary.

*OMB Desk Officer:* David Rostker, (202) 395-7340.

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### 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 of 1995, Public Law 104-13.

*Bureau:* International Trade Administration.

*Title:* Marketing Data Form.

*Agency Form Number:* ITA-466P.

*OMB Number:* 0625-0047.

*Type of Request:* Regular Submission.

*Burden:* 3,000 hours.

*Number of Respondents:* 4,000.

*Avg. Hours Per Response:* 45 minutes.

*Needs and Uses:* There is a necessity to have proper information about companies participating in U.S. exhibitions, Trade Missions, and Matchmakers and their products to publicize and promote participation in these export promotion events. The Marketing Data Form (MDF) provides information necessary to produce export promotion brochures and directories to arrange appointments and prospect calls on behalf of the participants with key prospective buyers, agents, distributors, or government officials. Specific information is also requested in terms of the participants objectives regarding agents, distributors, joint venture or licensing partners and any special requirements for prospective agents, for example, physical facilities, technical