

The proposed information collection was previously published in the **Federal Register**, volume 88 page 10937, on February 22, 2023, allowing a 60-day comment period. Following publication of the 60-day notice, the Bureau of Justice Statistics received four comments. Two of the comments expressed support for the continuation of the Annual Survey of Jails. The other two comments suggested new items to collect in the survey, including diagnosed disability and education level at admission; education and job training received during incarceration; job preparedness upon release; information on people who identify as transgender; jail population counts by combined race/ethnicity and sex categories; and admissions and releases from jail by race/ethnicity.

**DATES:** Comments are encouraged and will be accepted for 30 days until June 20, 2023.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** If you have comments especially on the estimated public burden or associated response time, suggestions, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions or additional information, please contact Zhen Zeng, Bureau of Justice Statistics, 810 Seventh Street NW, Washington, DC 20531 (email: [Zhen.Zeng@usdoj.gov](mailto:Zhen.Zeng@usdoj.gov); telephone: 202-598-9955).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information are encouraged. Your comments should address one or more of the following four points:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and/or
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Written comments and recommendations for this information

collection should be submitted within 30 days of the publication of this notice on the following website [www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain). Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function and entering either the title of the information collection or the OMB Control Number 1121-0094. This information collection request may be viewed at [www.reginfo.gov](http://www.reginfo.gov). Follow the instructions to view Department of Justice, information collections currently under review by OMB.

DOJ seeks PRA authorization for this information collection for three (3) years. OMB authorization for an ICR cannot be for more than three (3) years without renewal. The DOJ notes that information collection requirements submitted to the OMB for existing ICRs receive a month-to-month extension while they undergo review.

#### Overview of This Information Collection

1. *Type of Information Collection:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

2. *Title of the Form/Collection:* Annual Survey of Jails (ASJ).

3. *Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Justice sponsoring the collection:* Form: CJ-5, The applicable component within the Department of Justice is the Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS), in the Office of Justice Programs.

4. *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Affected Public: State, Local and Tribal Governments.

*Abstract:* The ASJ is the only national collection that tracks annual changes in the local jail population in the United States and provides national estimates on the number of persons confined in jails, the number of persons jails supervised in programs outside jail, characteristics of the jail population, counts of admissions and releases, and number of staff employed. Policymakers, correctional administrators, and government officials use the ASJ data to develop new policies and procedures, plan budgets, and maintain critical oversight. The ASJ is fielded every year except in the years when BJS conducts the Census of Jails (OMB Control No. 1121-0100). BJS requests clearance for the 2023 and 2025 ASJ under OMB Control No. 1121-0094. In 2024, BJS plans to conduct the Census of Jails and will not field the ASJ in the same year. In 2023, BJS will introduce a verification module to the web instrument to update (1) the

agency's contact information; (2) regional and private jail flags; (3) the name and address of the facilities under the agency's jurisdiction; and (4) eligibility of each facility to be included in the ASJ.

5. *Obligation to Respond:* Voluntary.

6. *Total Estimated Number of Respondents:* 940.

7. *Frequency:* Once a year.

8. *Time per Response:* 88 minutes.

9. *Total Estimated Annual Time Burden:* 1,378 hours.

10. *Total Estimated Annual Other Costs Burden:* \$0.

*If additional information is required, contact:* John R. Carlson, Department Clearance Officer, Policy and Planning Staff, Justice Management Division, United States Department of Justice, Two Constitution Square, 145 N Street NE, 4W-218, Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: May 15, 2023.

**John R. Carlson,**

*Department Clearance Officer for PRA, U.S. Department of Justice.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Notice of Lodging of Proposed Consent Decree Under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (“CERCLA”)

On May 15, 2023, the Department of Justice lodged a proposed consent decree with the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey in the lawsuit entitled *United States of America, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Commissioner of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, and Administrator of the New Jersey Spill Compensation Fund v. Bank of America, N.A.*, Civil Action No. 3:23-cv-02598.

The United States seeks performance of a remedial action and reimbursement of response costs under sections 106 and 107 of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (“CERCLA”) in connection with the White Swan Cleaners/Sun Cleaners Area Ground Water Contamination Superfund Site (“Site”), located in Wall Township, Manasquan Borough, and Manasquan Borough, Monmouth County, New Jersey. The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, the Commissioner of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and the Administrator of the New Jersey Spill

Compensation Fund (collectively, “NJDEP”) are co-plaintiffs.

Under the proposed consent decree, the Settling Defendant (*i.e.*, Bank of America, N.A.) agrees to perform the remedial action relating to vapor intrusion and groundwater that is identified in the United States Environmental Protection Agency’s (“EPA”) Record of Decision relating to the Site, dated September 30, 2013, as modified in the Explanation of Significant Differences that EPA issued on September 25, 2017. The proposed consent decree also requires the Settling Defendant to pay the United States \$10.8 million for past and future response costs and up to \$1.5 million for future oversight costs. Further, the proposed consent decree requires Settling Defendant to pay a total of \$6.5 million to NJDEP to resolve its liability for past and future costs and for natural resource damages.

The publication of this notice opens a period for public comment on the proposed consent decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, Environmental Enforcement Section, and should refer to *United States of America, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Commissioner of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, and Administrator of the New Jersey Spill Compensation Fund v. Bank of America, N.A.*, Civil Action No. 3:23-cv-02598, D.J. Ref. No. 90-11-3-11140. All comments must be submitted no later than sixty (60) days after the publication date of this notice. Comments may be submitted either by email or by mail:

To submit comments:	Send them to:
By email .....	<a href="mailto:pubcomment-ees.enrd@usdoj.gov">pubcomment-ees.enrd@usdoj.gov</a>
By mail .....	Assistant Attorney General, U.S. DOJ—ENRD, P.O. Box 7611, Washington, DC 20044-7611.

During the public comment period, the consent decree may be examined and downloaded at this Justice Department website: <https://www.justice.gov/enrd/consent-decrees>. We will provide a paper copy of the consent decree upon written request and payment of reproduction costs. Please mail your request and payment to: Consent Decree Library, U.S. DOJ—

ENRD, P.O. Box 7611, Washington, DC 20044-7611.

Please enclose a check or money order for \$664.75 (25 cents per page reproduction cost), for the consent decree with appendix, or \$10.25 for the consent decree without the appendix, payable to the United States Treasury.

**Henry S. Friedman,**

*Assistant Section Chief, Environmental Enforcement Section, Environment and Natural Resources Division.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**

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**Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed eCollection eComments Requested; Extension of a Previously Approved Collection; Complaint Form, Federal Coordination and Compliance Section**

**AGENCY:** Civil Rights Division, Department of Justice.

**ACTION:** 60-Day notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Justice (DOJ), Civil Rights Division, will be submitting the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**DATES:** Comments are encouraged and will be accepted for 60 days until July 18, 2023.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** If you have additional comments especially on the estimated public burden or associated response time, suggestions, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions or additional information, please contact Christine Stoneman, Acting Chief, Federal Coordination and Compliance Section, 950 Pennsylvania Avenue NW-4CON, Washington, DC 20002, phone: 202-307-2222.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information are encouraged. Your comments should address one or more of the following four points:

—Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Bureau of Justice

Statistics, including whether the information will have practical utility; —Evaluate the accuracy of the agency’s estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; —Evaluate whether and if so how the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected can be enhanced; and —Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of responses.

*Abstract:* Authorized by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act, 1964, 42 U.S.C. 2000d and the Antidiscrimination provision of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act, 28 U.S.C. 42.101 *et seq.*, this collection of information is used to find jurisdiction to investigate the alleged discrimination, to seek whether a referral to another agency is necessary, and to provide information needed to initiate investigation of the complaint.

**Overview of This Information Collection**

1. *Type of Information Collection:* Extension of a previously approved collection.
2. *The Title of the Form/Collection:* Complaint Form, Federal Coordination and Compliance Section.
3. *The agency form name/number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection:* Form: FCS Complaint and Consent Form.
4. *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as the obligation to respond:* Affected Public: Individuals or households. Obligation is voluntary.
5. *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* An estimated 4,000 respondents will respond once a year to this collection. The time per response is 30 minutes.
6. *An estimate of the total annual burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* The estimated public burden is 2,000 hours.
7. *An estimate of the total annual cost burden associated with the collection, if applicable:* The annual cost burden associated with this collection is \$0.