

Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in each notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Department of Justice Desk Officer, Washington, DC 20530.

Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information should address one or more of the following four points:

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the function of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) 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;

(3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) 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.

Overview of This Information

(1) *Type of information collection:* Revision to a currently approved collection.

(2) *The title of the form/collection:* Universal Hiring Program and COPS in Schools and Homeland Security Overtime Program Grant Applications.

(3) *The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection:* Form number: none. Sponsoring component: Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, United States Department of Justice.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: State, local and tribal governments. Other: none. The COPS Office requests OMB approval of a revision to a currently approved collection. The Universal Hiring Program (UHP), COPS in Schools (CIS) program, and Homeland Security Overtime Program (HSOP) all promote the practice of community policing and use essentially the same application, with only minor differences in the types of questions asked due to the different focuses of the programs. The UHP and CIS programs allow law enforcement

agencies to supplement their current law enforcement forces or establish a new "start-up" municipal law enforcement agency. CIS grantees are required to place any officer positions awarded in the local schools for at least 75% of their normal duty shift. HSOP permits applicants to supplement their current overtime budget for homeland security training sessions and other law enforcement activities that are designed to help prevent acts of terrorism.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond/reply:* An estimated 6,300 respondents will submit applications for either the UHP, CIS, or HSOP program. COPS estimates it will take respondents approximately 5 hours to complete their applications.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* The total public burden is estimated at 31,500 annual burden hours for this combined application kit.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Executive Office for United States Attorneys; Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comments Requested

ACTION: 60-day notice of information collection under review: Office of Legal Education Nomination/Confirmation Form.

The Department of Justice (DOJ), Executive Office for United States Attorneys, (EOUSA,) has submitted 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. The proposed information collection is published to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted for "sixty days" until September 29, 2003. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.10.

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 Michele Zozom, (202) 616-6969, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, U.S. Department of Justice, 600 E Street, NW., Washington, DC 20531.

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:

(1) 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;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) 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.

Overview of this information collection:

(1) *Type of information collection:* Existing collection in use without an OMB control number.

(2) *The title of the form/collection:* Office of Legal Education Nomination Form.

(3) *The agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department sponsoring the collection:* DOJ Form Number, none. Office of Legal Education, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, Department of Justice.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Respondents will be current and potential users of agency training services. Respondents may represent Federal agencies, as well as State, local, and tribal governments. The Executive Office for United States Attorneys will use the collected information to select class participants, arrange for transportation and reserve rooms; have an address to contact the participant, and an emergency contact.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time*