

number of separate forms designed to obtain critical information concerning persons or facilities in possession of certain agents or toxins, as well as the specific characteristics of the agents or toxins-including name, strain, and genetic information.

*Need and Use of the Information:* The Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service will collect information to ensure that appropriate safeguard, containment, and disposal requirements commensurate with the risk of the agent or toxin are in place, thus preventing access to such agents and toxins for use in domestic or international terrorism. If the information is not collected, APHIS efforts to more aggressively prevent a bioterrorism event in the United States would be compromised.

*Description of Respondents:* Business or other for profit; State, local and Tribal Government; not-for-profit institutions.

*Number of Respondents:* 652.

*Frequency of Responses:*

Recordkeeping; reporting: On occasion.

*Total Burden Hours:* 25,460.

#### **Animal Plant and Health Inspection Service**

*Title:* Sapote Fruit Fly.

*OMB Control Number:* 0579-0222.

*Summary of Collection:* The Sapote fruit fly is a destructive pest of fruits and vegetables, including apples, avocados, grapefruits, mangoes, peaches, pears, and tangerines. This pest can cause economic losses by lowering the yield and quality of these fruits and vegetables and, in some cases, by damaging seedlings and young plants. Under the Plant Protection Act (7 U.S.C. 7701-7772), the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to prohibit or restrict the importation, entry, or movement of plants and plant pest to prevent the introduction of plant pest into the United States or their dissemination with the United States.

*Need and Use of the Information:* The Animal Plant and Health Inspection Service (APHIS) will collect information using APHIS form PPQ 519, "Compliance Agreement", for the convenience of persons who are involved in the growing, handling, or moving of regulated articles from quarantined areas. Failure to collect this information would cripple APHIS' ability to ensure that citrus and many other types of fruit do not carry Sapote fruit flies.

*Description of Respondents:* Business or other for profit; State, local and Tribal government.

*Number of Respondents:* 700.

*Frequency of Responses:* Reporting: On occasion.

*Total Burden Hours:* 112.

#### **Food and Nutrition Service**

*Title:* Food Distribution Forms.

*OMB Control Number:* 0584-0293.

*Summary of Collection:* The Food distribution Programs of the Department of Agriculture assist American Farmers and needy people by purchasing commodities and delivering them to State agencies that in turn, distribute them to organizations for use in providing food assistance to those in need. The commodities help to meet the nutritional needs of: (a) Children from preschool age through high school and children in nonprofit summer camps, (b) needy person in households on Indian reservations, (c) needy household in the nuclear affected islands, (d) needy persons served by charitable institutions, (e) pregnant and breastfeeding women, infants, and children, and elderly persons, (f) low-income, unemployed or homeless people provided foods through household distributions or meals through soup kitchens, (g) pre-school, school-age children, elderly and functionally impaired adults enrolled in child and adult day care centers, and (h) victims of Presidential-declared disasters and other situation of distress. The Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) will collect information from state and local agencies using several FNS forms.

*Need and Use of the Information:* FNS will collect the following information from state and local agencies: (a) Number of households or meals served in the programs, (b) the kinds of commodities most acceptable to recipients, (c) the quantities of foods ordered and where the food is to be delivered, (d) verification of the receipt of a food order, and (e) the amounts of commodities in inventory.

*Description of Respondents:* Not-for-profit institutions; individual or households; business or other for-profit; Federal Government; State, local or tribal government.

*Number of Respondents:* 368,499.

*Frequency of Responses:*

Recordkeeping; reporting: On occasion; quarterly; biennially; semi-annually; monthly; annually.

*Total Burden Hours:* 1,154,152.

#### **Forest Service**

*Title:* Forest Service Ride-Along Application.

*OMB Control Number:* 0596-NEW.

*Summary of Collection:* The Forest Service (FS) ride-along program will allow the general public or other interested person to accompany agency law enforcement personnel as they conduct their normal field duties, including access to and discussions

about agency law enforcement vehicles, procedures, and facilities. The purpose is to enhance public understanding and support of the agency program and to increase agency understanding of public and community concerns. The program also aids the agency's recruitment program by allowing interested persons to observe a potential career choice or to participate in innovative intern-type programs, and by allowing the agency to showcase the quality of its program and services.

*Need and Use of the Information:* Information will be collected from any person who voluntarily approaches the FS and wishes to participate in the program. The FS 5300-33 program application form will be used to conduct a minimal background check and the FS 5300-34 is a liability waiver form that requires the applicant's signature and their written assurance that they have read and understood the form. The information collected from the forms will be used by FS and, in appropriate part, by any person or entity needed and authorized by the FS to provide the needed background information (primarily applicable local law enforcement agencies, state criminal justice agencies maintaining state justice records, and by the FBI). If the information is not collected, the program could not operate.

*Description of Respondents:* Individuals or households; Federal Government; State, local or Tribal government.

*Number of Respondents:* 100.

*Frequency of Responses:* Reporting: Other (per applicant).

*Total Burden Hours:* 16.

#### **Animal Plant and Health Inspection Service**

*Title:* Irradiation Phytosanitary Treatment of Fresh Fruits and Vegetables.

*OMB Control Number:* 0579-0155.

*Summary of Collection:* The Plant Protection Act (7 U.S.C. 7701-7772) authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture to regulate the importation of plants, plant products, and other articles into the United States to prevent the introduction of injurious plant pests and noxious weeds. Regulations in 7 CFR 305 provide for the use of irradiation as a phytosanitary treatment for certain fruits and vegetables imported in the United States. The irradiation treatment provides protection against 11 species of fruit flies and mango seed weevil.

*Need and Use of the Information:* The Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) will collect information using a compliance agreement, 24-hour notification, labeling requirements,