

other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Pub. L. 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). Currently, the Bureau of Engraving and Printing within the Department of the Treasury is soliciting comments concerning survey research designed to establish benchmark measures of awareness, confidence and behavior relating to the Bureau's NexGen currency program.

**DATES:** Written comments should be received on or before October 27, 2003 to be assured consideration.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all written comments to Department of Treasury, Bureau of Engraving & Printing, Ellen Gano, 14th & C Streets, SW., Washington, DC 20228, (202) 874-1211.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or copies of the form(s) and instructions should be directed to Department of Treasury, Bureau of Engraving & Printing, Pamela Grayson, 14th & C Streets, SW., Washington, DC 20228, (202) 874-2212.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title:* 2004 Series Currency Monitoring and Evaluation Surveys.  
*Abstract:* The Bureau of Engraving and Printing requests approval to survey the public to track and measure changes in public awareness regarding the introduction of redesigned U.S. currency. The survey will be used to measure the extent to which the public has seen and remembers information about the new currency, its key design and authentication features, and to measure confidence in the currency and authentication behavior. The data is required to be collected as part of the assessment process to determine the effectiveness of the public education effort connected to the new currency design.

*Current Actions:* This is a new collection.

*Type of Review:* Regular.

*Affected Public:* The affected public includes all adult (18 or older) members of the U.S. population.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 4,000.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* Estimated number of annual burden hours is 1,000 hours.

*Request for Comments:* The Notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (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 agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (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 collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Dated: August 20, 2003.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Internal Revenue Service

#### Open Meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel (TAP) Multilingual Initiative Issue (MLI) Committee Will Be Conducted (VIA Teleconference)

**AGENCY:** Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Treasury.

**ACTION:** Amended notice as to time change.

**SUMMARY:** An open meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel (TAP) Multilingual Initiative Issue (MLI) Committee will be conducted (via teleconference). The Taxpayer Advocacy Panel is soliciting public comments, ideas, and suggestions on improving customer service at the Internal Revenue Service.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held Friday, September 19, 2003 from 1 p.m. EDT to 2:30 p.m. EDT.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Inez E. De Jesus at 1-888-912-1227, or 954-423-7977.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. (1988) that an open meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel Multilingual Initiative Issue Committee will be held Friday, September 19, 2003 from 1 p.m. EDT to 2:30 p.m. EDT via a telephone conference call. Individual comments will be limited to 5 minutes. If you would like to have the TAP consider a written statement, please call 1-888-912-1227 or 954-423-7977, or write Inez E. De Jesus, TAP Office, 1000 South Pine Island Rd., Suite 340, Plantation, FL 33324. Due to limited conference

lines, notification of intent to participate in the telephone conference call meeting must be made with Inez E. De Jesus. Ms. De Jesus can be reached at 1-888-912-1227 or 954-423-7977. The agenda will include the following: Various IRS issues.

Dated: August 25, 2003.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Internal Revenue Service

#### Open Meeting of the Wage & Investment Reducing Taxpayer Burden (Notices) Issue Committee of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel

**AGENCY:** Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** An open meeting of the Wage & Investment Reducing Taxpayer Burden (Notices) Issue Committee of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel will be conducted (via teleconference).

**DATES:** The meeting will be held Wednesday, September 24, 2003 from 12 noon EDT to 1 pm EDT.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Sallie Chavez at 1-888-912-1227, or 954-423-7979.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. (1988) that an open meeting of the Wage & Investment Reducing Taxpayer Burden (Notices) Issue Committee of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel will be held Wednesday, September 24, 2003, from 12 noon EDT to 1 pm EDT via a telephone conference call. The Taxpayer Advocacy Panel is soliciting public comments, ideas and suggestions on improving customer service at the Internal Revenue Service. Individual comments will be limited to 5 minutes. If you would like to have the TAP consider a written statement, please call 1-888-912-1227 or 954-423-7979, or write Sallie Chavez, TAP Office, 1000 South Pine Island Road, Suite 340, Plantation, FL 33324. Due to limited conference lines, notification of intent to participate in the telephone conference call meeting must be made with Sallie Chavez. Ms. Chavez can be reached at 1-888-912-1227 or 954-423-7979. The agenda will include various IRS issues.