

information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of responses.

This Notice also lists the following information:

*Title of Proposal:* Monthly Reports for Establishing Net Income.

*OMB Control Number, if applicable:* 2502-0108.

*Description of the need for the information and proposed use:* The information collection is necessary for HUD to assess the need for remedial actions to correct project deficiencies or to prevent a potential default of the project mortgage. The information collection is also used to monitor compliance with contractual agreements and to analyze cash flow trends as well as occupancy and rent collection levels. When a project is experiencing rent collection problems, expenses directly affect this income. Therefore, HUD is responsible for reviewing monthly trends in a project's expenses and income to prevent potential problems.

*Agency form numbers, if applicable:* HUD-93479, HUD-93480, HUD-93481.

*Estimation of the total numbers of hours needed to prepare the information collection including number of respondents, frequency of response, and hours of response:* The estimated total number of burden hours needed to prepare the information collection is 168,000; the number of respondents is 4,000 generating 48,000 annual responses; the frequency of response is monthly; and the estimated time needed to prepare the responses varies from 1 hour to 1½ hours.

*Status of the proposed information collection:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

**Authority:** The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C., chapter 35, as amended.

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Fish and Wildlife Service

**Information Collection To Be Submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Approval Under the Paperwork Reduction Act; OMB Control Number 1018-0022, Federal Fish and Wildlife Permit Applications and Reports, Migratory Birds and Eagles**

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice, request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service will submit the collection of information listed below to OMB for approval under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act. An estimate of the information collection burden is included in this notice. If you wish to obtain copies of the proposed information collection requirement, related forms, or explanatory material, contact the Service Information Collection Clearance Officer at the address listed below.

**DATES:** We will accept comments until January 12, 2004.

**ADDRESSES:** Send your comments on the requirement to Anissa Craghead, Information Collection Clearance Officer, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, ms 222-ARLSQ, 4401 N. Fairfax Drive, Arlington, VA 22203; (703) 358-2269 (fax); or [anissa\\_craghead@fws.gov](mailto:anissa_craghead@fws.gov) (e-mail).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To request a copy of the information collection request, explanatory information, or related forms, contact Anissa Craghead at (703) 358-2445, or electronically to [anissa\\_craghead@fws.gov](mailto:anissa_craghead@fws.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) regulations at 5 CFR part 1320, which implement provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), require that interested members of the public and affected agencies have an opportunity to comment on information collection and recordkeeping activities (see CFR 1320.8(d)). The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (We) plan to submit a request to OMB to renew approval of a collection of information for the Service's license/permit application forms for migratory bird and eagle permits.

We are submitting a request to OMB to approve: (1) The revision of the collection of information for many of the migratory bird and eagle applications (3-200-6 through 3-200-18, and 3-200-67 through 3-200-70); report forms 3-202-1 through 3-202-9, and forms 3-186 and 3-186A currently approved under OMB control number 1018-0022; and (2) the addition of forms 3-200-10b.2, and 3-202-10 through 3-202-13.

All of these forms are used by the Regional Migratory Bird Permit Offices. We are requesting a 3-year term of approval for this information collection activity. Federal agencies may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a

currently valid OMB control number. The OMB control number for this collection of information is 1018-0022.

Revisions to the currently approved forms include modifications of the format and content of the application forms so that they will be easier to understand and easier for the applicant to complete. Five new forms have been added to the information collection. The Special Canada Goose Permit Annual Report (form 3-202-10) and Eagle Depredation Permit Annual Report (form 3-202-11) forms will simplify the information collection process on the public in terms of reporting requirements for those permits. The Special Purpose Possession (Education) Acquisition and Transfer Request (form 3-202-12) will facilitate Service approval for acquisitions and transfers of birds held for education. The Migratory Bird Donation to Public Institution form (form 3-202-13) will provide a standard form for use by museums and other public scientific and educational institutions to document donations of dead birds salvaged by the general public and deposited with institutions. A completed form 3-202-13 would not be submitted to the Service, except upon special request to the repository institution. The Request for Permission to Release Contact Information About Federally Permitted Migratory Bird Rehabilitators (form 3-200-10b.2) will enable us to ask holders of migratory bird rehabilitation permits for permission to make contact information available to the general public. The new forms are noted in the table below.

The information obtained from the applications and report forms will be used by the Service to determine eligibility of applicants for permits they are requesting according to criteria in various Federal wildlife conservation laws, international treaties, and regulations on the issuance, suspension, revocation, or denial of permits, monitor permit compliance, and track species taken from the wild.

The information collection requirements in this submission implement the regulatory requirements of the Endangered Species Act (16 U.S.C. 1539), the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (16 U.S.C. 704), the Lacey Act (18 U.S.C. 42-44), the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 668), the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES) (27 UST 108), and are contained in Service regulations in Chapter I, Subchapter B of Title 50 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). Generic permit application and record keeping requirements shared by our permit-