functions, including whether the information is useful;
• The accuracy of the Agency's estimate of the burden (time and costs) of the information collection requirements, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
• The quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and
• Ways to minimize the burden on employers who must comply; for example, by using automated, electronic, mechanical, and other technological information and transmission collection techniques.

DATES: Submit written comments on or before November 9, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments to the Docket Office, Docket No. ICR-99–24, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N–2625, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20210; telephone: (202) 693–2350. Commenters may transmit written comments of 10 pages or less in length by facsimile to (202) 693–1648.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Theda Kenney, Directorate of Safety Standards Programs, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N–3605, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20210; telephone: (202) 693–2222. A copy of the Agency's Information Collection Request (ICR) supporting the need for the information collection requirement (manufacturer's certification record of modification) contained in the standard on Aerial Lifts (29 CFR 1910.67(b)(2)) is available for inspection and copying in the Docket Office, or mailed on request by telephoning Theda Kenney at (202) 693–2222 or Barbara Bielaski at (202) 693–2444. For electronic copies of the ICR, contact OSHA on the Internet at http://www.osha.gov/comp-links.html, and click on “Information Collection Requests.”

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and continuing information collection requirements in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA–95) (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). This program ensures that information is in the desired format, reporting burden (time and costs) is minimal, collection instruments are clearly understood, and OSHA's estimate of the information collection burden is correct.

The Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 (the Act) authorizes information collection by employers as necessary or appropriate for enforcement of the Act or for developing information regarding the causes and prevention of occupational injuries, illnesses, and accidents. (29 U.S.C. 657.) In this regard, the standard on Aerial Lifts requires that when aerial lifts are “field modified” for uses other than those intended by the manufacturer, the modification must be certified in writing by the manufacturer or by any other equivalent entity, such as a nationally recognized testing laboratory to be in conformity with all applicable provisions of ANSI A2.2–1969 and the OSHA standard, to be at least as safe as the equipment was before modification.

II. Proposed Actions

OSHA proposes to decrease its earlier estimate of 72 burden hours to 45 burden hours for the provision pertaining to the manufacturer's certification record in the standard on Aerial Lifts (29 CFR 1910.67(b)(2)).

OSHA will summarize the comments submitted in response to this notice, and will include this summary in the request to OMB to extend the approval of the information collection requirement contained in the above standard.

Type of Review: Extension of currently approved information collection requirement.

Agency: Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

Title: Aerial Lifts, Manufacturer's Certification Record of Modification (29 CFR 1910.67(b)(2)).

OMB Number: 1218–0230.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit; not-for-profit institutions; Federal government, state, local or tribal government.

Number of Respondents: 900.

Frequency: On occasion.

Average Time per Response: 3 minutes (0.05 hour).

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 45.

II. Authority and Signature

Charles N. Jeffress, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health, directed the preparation of this notice. The authority for this notice is the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3506), Secretary of Labor's Order No. 6–96 (62 FR 111), and 29 CFR part 1911.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 2nd day of September 1999.

Charles N. Jeffress,
Assistant Secretary of Labor.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Occupational Safety and Health Administration

[Docket No. ICR–99–23]

Mechanical Power Presses, Inspection Certification Records; Extension of the Office of Management and Budget's (OMB) Approval of an Information Collection (Paperwork) Requirement

AGENCY: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA); Labor.

ACTION: Notice of an opportunity for public comment.

SUMMARY: OSHA solicits comments concerning the proposed decrease in, and extension of, the information collection requirements (inspection certification records) contained in the standard on Mechanical Power Presses, 29 CFR 1910.217.

Request for Comment

The Agency seeks comments on the following issues:
• Whether the information collection requirements are necessary for the proper performance of the Agency's functions, including whether the information is useful;
• The accuracy of the Agency's estimate of the burden (time and costs) of the information collection requirements, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
• The quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and
• Ways to minimize the burden on employers who must comply; for example, by using automated, electronic, mechanical, and other technological information and transmission collection techniques.

DATES: Submit written comments on or before November 9, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments to the Docket Office, Docket No. ICR–99–23, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N–2625, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20210; telephone: (202) 693–2350. Commenters may transmit written comments of 10 pages or less in length by facsimile to (202) 693–1648.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Theda Kenney, Directorate of Safety Standards Programs.
Supplementary Information:

I. Background

The Department of Labor, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and continuing information collection requirements in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA-95) (44 U.S.C. 3506), Secretary of Labor's Order No. 6-96 (62 FR 111), and 29 CFR 1911.25. A copy of the Agency's Notice of Proposed Information Collection Request (ICR) supporting the need for the information collection requirements (inspection certification records) contained in the standard on Mechanical Power Presses (29 CFR 1910.217) is available for inspection and copying in the Docket Office, or mailed on request by telephoning Theda Kenney at (202) 693-2222 or Barbara Bielaski at (202) 693-2444. For electronic copies of the ICR, contact OSHA on the Internet at http://www.osha.gov/comp-links.html, and click on “Information Collection Requests.”

II. Proposed Actions

OSHA proposes to increase its earlier estimate of 1,372,945 burden hours to 2,063,230 burden hours for the provisions pertaining to the inspection certification records in the standard on Mechanical Power Presses (29 CFR 1910.217) and will include this summary in the request to OMB to extend the approval of the information collection requirements contained in the above standard.

Type of Review: Extension of currently approved information collection requirement.

Agency: Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

Title: Mechanical Power Presses (Inspection Certification Records) (29 CFR 1910.217(e)(1)(i) and (e)(1)(ii)).

OMB Number: 1218-0229.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit; Not-for-profit institutions; Federal government; state, local or tribal government.

Number of Respondents: 191,750.

Frequency: Annually.

Average Time per Response: Varies from 10 minutes (0.17 hour) to 20 minutes (0.33 hour).

Estimated Total Burden Hours: 2,063,230.

III. Authority and Signature

Charles N. Jeffress, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Occupational Safety and Health, directed the preparation of this notice. The authority for this notice is the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3506), Secretary of Labor's Order No. 6-96 (62 FR 111), and 29 CFR part 1911.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 2 day of September 1999.

Charles N. Jeffress,
Assistant Secretary of Labor.

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Legal Services Corporation

Notice of Intent To Award 1999 Grants to Applicants To Provide Civil Legal Services to Eligible Low-Income Clients in Service Areas CO–1, NCO–1, and MCO in Colorado

Agency: Legal Services Corporation.

Action: Announcement of 1999 Competitive Grant Awards.

Summary: The Legal Services Corporation (LSC or Corporation) hereby announces its intention to award grants and contracts to provide economical and effective delivery of high quality civil legal services to eligible low-income clients, in service areas CO–2, NCO–1, and MCO, for which competition was reopened in 1999.

Dates: All comments and recommendations must be received on or before the close of business on October 12, 1999.

Address: Legal Services Corporation—Competitive Grants, 750 First Street NE, 10th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20002–4250.

For Further Information Contact: Michael Genz, Director, Office of Program Performance, (202) 336–8852.

Supplementary Information:
Pursuant to the Corporation’s announcement of funding availability on February 19, 1999 (64 FR 8410–8411), LSC will award funds to Legal Aid Society of Metropolitan Denver, Inc. to provide civil legal services in service areas CO–2, NCO–1, and MCO in Colorado.


Michael A. Genz,
Director, Office of Program Performance.

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Office of Management and Budget

Cumulative Report on Rescissions and Deferrals

August 1, 1999.

This report is submitted in fulfillment of the requirement of Section 1014(e) of the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974 (Public Law 93–344). Section 1014(e) requires a monthly report listing all budget authority for the current fiscal year for which, as of the first day of the month, a special message had been transmitted to Congress.

This report gives the status, as of August 1, 1999, of three rescission proposals and three deferrals contained in two special messages for FY 1999. These messages were transmitted to Congress on October 22, 1998, and January 2, 1999.

Rescissions (Attachments A and C)

As of August 1, 1999, three rescission proposals totaling $35 million have been transmitted to the Congress. Attachment C shows the status of the FY 1999 rescission proposals.

Deferrals (Attachments B and D)

As of August 1, 1999, $644 million in budget authority was being deferred from obligation. Attachment D shows the status of each deferral reported during FY 1999.

Information From Special Messages

The special messages containing information on the rescission proposals and deferrals that are covered by this cumulative report are printed in the editions of the Federal Register cited below:

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