Commission and its burden estimate had been included erroneously under this information collection in previous renewals.7 Additionally, the total number of respondents (combined SDs and MSPs) is now increased to 108. The overall burden hours for each remaining category within the information collection have increased proportionally, to reflect the increase in the number of respondents.

An agency 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.8 On August 19, 2022, the Commission published in the Federal Register notice of the proposed extension of this information collection and provided 60 days for public comment on the proposed renewal, 87 FR 51065 (“60-Day Notice”). The Commission did not receive any comments on the 60-Day Notice.

Burden Statement: Based on the proposed revisions to the estimated aggregate burden as discussed above, the respondent burden for this collection is estimated to be as follows:

Estimated Number of Respondents: 108.

Estimated Average Burden Hours per Respondent: 7.324.5.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 791.046.

Frequency of Collection: As applicable.

There are no capital costs or operating and maintenance costs associated with this collection.

(Authority: 44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.)

Dated: October 19, 2022.

Robert Sidman,

Deputy Secretary of the Commission.

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7 See 77 FR 55903 (Sept. 11, 2012) (The Commission has considered the commentators’ recommendation to delete the clearing record provisions of § 23.504(b)(ii)(iii) and (iv) and agrees that there is no need to include in the trading documentation a record of the names of the clearing members for the SD, MSP, or counterparty. Once a swap is accepted for clearing, the identity of a counterparty’s clearing member is no longer relevant and requiring such a record has the possibility to undermine the anonymity of central clearing. Therefore, those provisions have been deleted from the final rule. Similarly, § 23.504(b)(ii)(iii) and (ii) have been removed because those records will be captured under the SD and MSP recordkeeping requirement. § 23.201(a)(3), and the Commission believes those records are sufficient.).

8 44 U.S.C. 3512, 5 CFR 1320.5(b)(2)(i) and 1320.8 (b)(3)(ii).
control number. On August 18, 2022, the Commission published in the Federal Register notice of the proposed extension of this information collection and provided 60 days for public comment on the proposed extension, 87 FR 50850 (“60-Day Notice”). The Commission did not receive any comments on the 60-Day Notice.

Burden Statement: The Commission anticipates that there will continue to be approximately 25 eligible respondents and the hourly burden will remain the same. The burden for this collection to reflect the current number of respondents and estimated burden hours. The respondent burden for this collection is estimated to be as follows:

Estimated Number of Respondents: 25.
Estimated Average Burden Hours per Respondent: 1 hour.
Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 25 hours.
Frequency of Collection: On occasion; annually.

There are no capital costs or operating and maintenance costs associated with this collection.
([Authority: 44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.]

Dated: October 19, 2022.
Robert Sidman,
Deputy Secretary of the Commission.

For further information contact: For specific questions related to collection activities, please contact Beth Grebeldinger, 202–377–4018.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department of Education (ED), in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)), provides the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed, revised, and continuing collections of information. This helps the Department assess the impact of its information collection requirements and minimize the public’s reporting burden. It also helps the public understand the Department’s information collection requirements and provide the requested data in the desired format. ED is soliciting comments on the proposed information collection request (ICR) that is described below. The Department of Education is especially interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) Is this collection necessary to the proper functions of the Department; (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner; (3) is the estimate of burden accurate; (4) how might the Department enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (5) how might the Department minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology. Please note that written comments received in response to this notice will be considered public records.

Title of Collection: Generic Clearance for Federal Student Aid Customer Satisfaction Surveys and Focus Groups Master Plan.

AGENCY: Federal Student Aid (FSA), Department of Education (ED).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, ED is proposing an extension without change of a currently approved collection.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before November 23, 2022.

ADDRESSES: To access and review all the documents related to the information collection listed in this notice, please use http://www.regulations.gov by searching the Docket ID number ED–2022–SCC–0104. Comments submitted in response to this notice should be submitted electronically through the Federal eRulemaking Portal at http://www.regulations.gov by selecting the Docket ID number or via postal mail, commercial delivery, or hand delivery. If the regulations.gov site is not available to the public for any reason, ED will temporarily accept comments at ICDocketMgr@ed.gov. Please include the docket ID number and the title of the information collection request when requesting documents or submitting comments. Please note that comments submitted by fax or email and those submitted after the comment period will not be accepted. Written requests for information or comments submitted by postal mail or delivery should be addressed to the Director of the Strategic Collections and Clearance Governance and Strategy Division, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Ave. SW, LBJ, Room 6W208D, Washington, DC 20202–8240.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

[Docket No.: ED–2022–SCC–0104]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Generic Clearance for Federal Student Aid Customer Satisfaction Surveys and Focus Groups Master Plan.

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Respondents/Affected Public: An extension without change of a currently approved collection.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses: 8,050,000.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours: 400,000.

Abstract: The Higher Education Amendments of 1998 established Federal Student Aid (FSA) as the first Performance-Based Organization (PBO). One purpose of the PBO is to improve service to student and other participants in the student financial assistance programs authorized under title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended, including making those programs more understandable to students and their parents. To do that, FSA has committed to ensuring that all people receive service that matches or exceeds the best service available in the private sector. The legislation’s requires establish an on-going need for FSA to be engaged in an interactive process of collecting information and using it to improve program services and processes. The use of customer surveys and focus groups allows FSA to gather that information from the affected parties in a timely manner so as to improve communications with our product users.

Dated: October 19, 2022.
Kun Mullan,
PRA Coordinator, Strategic Collections and Clearance Governance and Strategy Division, Office of Chief Data Officer, Office of Planning, Evaluation and Policy Development.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Third-Party Access to the Department’s Information Technology Systems and Notice of Criminal Penalties for Misuse of Access Devices; Correction.

AGENCY: Office of Federal Student Aid, Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice; correction.

SUMMARY: On September 10, 2021, the Department of Education (Department) published in the Federal Register a notice announcing Third-Party Access to the Department’s Information Technology Systems and Notice of Criminal Penalties for Misuse of Access Devices; Correction.

AGENCY: Office of Federal Student Aid, Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice; correction.

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