A. Overview of Information Collection

Title of Information Collection: Multifamily Insurance Benefits Claims Package.
OMB Approval Number: 2502–0418.
Type of Request: Revision of currently approved collection.


Description of the need for the information and proposed use: A lender with an insured multifamily mortgage pays an annual insurance premium to the Department. When and if the mortgage goes into default, the lender may elect to file a claim for FHA multifamily insurance benefits with the Department. HUD needs this information to determine if FHA multifamily insurance claims submitted to HUD are accurate, valid and supported by FHA multifamily insurance claims.

Respondents (i.e. affected public): Business or other for profit entities, non-profit entities, and government agencies.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 110.
Estimated Number of Responses: 110.
Frequency of Response: Occasion.
Average Hours per Response: 4.25.
Total Estimated Burden: 467.50.

B. Solicitation of Public Comment

This notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected parties concerning the collection of information described in Section A on the following:

(1) 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) The accuracy of the agency’s estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information;
(3) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
(4) Ways to 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.

HUD encourages interested parties to submit comment in response to these questions.

C. Authority

Dated: January 5, 2018.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice informs the public that HUD is seeking approval from OMB for the information collection described in Section A.