

though other compositions have sometimes been used.

4. ARC-238 radios are cryptographic voice communications radio systems equipped with Second Generation Anti-jam Tactical Ultra-High-Frequency Radio for NATO (SATURN). Other waveforms may be included as needed.

5. The AN/PYQ-10] Simple Key Loader is a handheld device used for securely receiving, storing, and transferring data between compatible cryptographic and communications equipment.

6. The KY-58M is a cryptographic modernized secure voice module primarily used to encrypt radio communication to and from military aircraft and other tactical vehicles.

7. The KIV-78 is a cryptographic appliqué for IFF. It can be loaded with Mode 5 classified elements.

8. The Joint Mission Planning System (JMPS) is a multi-platform, PC-based mission planning system. Its modular suite of systems is tailored to user needs, allowing operators of various aircraft to install planning modules required for flight planning, weapons delivery planning, post-flight debrief, and operational integration.

9. Link-16 is an advanced command, control, communications, and intelligence (C3I) system incorporating jam-resistant, digital communication links for exchange of near real-time tactical information, including both data and voice, among air, ground, and sea elements. It provides the warfighter key theater functions such as surveillance, identification, air control, and weapons engagement coordination for all services and allied forces.

10. The highest level of classification of defense articles, components, and services included in this potential sale is SECRET.

11. If a technologically advanced adversary were to obtain knowledge of the specific hardware and software elements, the information could be used to develop countermeasures that might reduce weapon system effectiveness or be used in the development of a system with similar or advanced capabilities.

12. A determination has been made that Argentina can provide substantially the same degree of protection for the sensitive technology being released as the U.S. Government. This sale is necessary in furtherance of the U.S. foreign policy and national security objectives outlined in the Policy Justification.

13. All defense articles and services listed in this transmittal have been

authorized for release and export to Government of Argentina.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

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Request for Approval of an Existing Information Collection in Use Without an OMB Control Number; Comment Request

AGENCY: Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness (OUSDP&R)), Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: 60-Day information collection notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the *Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995*, the OUSDP&R announces an existing information collection in use without an OMB control number and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Consideration will be given to all comments received by February 13, 2026.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by any of the following methods:

Federal eRulemaking Portal: <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

Mail: Department of Defense, Privacy, Civil Liberties, and Transparency Directorate, Office of the Director of Administration & Management, 4800 Mark Center Drive, Mailbox #24, Suite 05F16, Alexandria, VA 22350-1700.

Instructions: All submissions received must include the agency name, docket number and title for this **Federal Register** document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the internet at <http://www.regulations.gov> as they are

received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To view the current version of the document, visit <https://www.esd.whs.mil/Portals/54/Documents/DD/forms/dd/dd0003.pdf>. To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instruments, please write to Office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Military Community and Family Policy, ATTN: C&MA, 1500 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-1500, Lisa Valentine, (571) 372-5319, osd.pentagon.ousd-p-r.mbx.gold-star-liaison@mail.mil.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title; Associated Form; and OMB Number: "Application for Gold Star Lapel Button," DD Form 3; OMB Control Number 0704-GSLB.

Needs and Uses: The DD Form 3 is used by family members of deceased Service members to request a replacement or an initial Gold Star Lapel Button if not received as authorized by Section 1126 of Title 10, United States Code. Surviving family members eligible to receive and wear the button if their service member dies in a qualifying situation are:

- Widows, remarried or not
- Widowers, remarried or not
- Each parent (mother, father, stepmother, stepfather, mother through adoption, father through adoption and foster parents)
- Each child, stepchild and each adopted child
- Each sibling, half sibling and stepsibling

DOD Instruction 1348.36 detailing the Gold Star Lapel Button Program lists the qualifying situations for eligibility. For more information see <https://www.esd.whs.mil/Portals/54/Documents/DD/issuances/dodi/134836p.pdf?ver=mN9Jeg1LSLWwc52VRIjhdQ%3D%3D>. *Affected Public:* Individuals and households.

Annual Burden Hours: 6 hours.
Number of Respondents: 120.
Responses per Respondent: 1.
Annual Responses: 120.
Average Burden per Response: 3 minutes.

Frequency: On occasion.

Dated: December 11, 2025.

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Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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