

mammals, while those in Category III are exempt from that requirement. All three categories must report injuries or mortalities to the National Marine Fisheries Service using the OMB approved form.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit organizations; Individuals or households; State, local, or tribal government.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Mandatory.

Legal Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1387 Sec. 118.

This information collection request may be viewed at www.reginfo.gov. Follow the instructions to view the Department of Commerce collections currently under review by OMB.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be submitted within 30 days of the publication of this notice on the following website www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain. Find this particular information collection by selecting "Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function and entering either the title of the collection or the OMB Control Number 0648–0292.

Sheleen Dumas,

Departmental PRA Compliance Officer, Office of the Under Secretary for Economic Affairs, Commerce Department.

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CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

[Docket No. CPSC–2023–0004]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Extension of Collection; Safety Standard for Button Cell or Coin Batteries and Consumer Products Containing Such Batteries

AGENCY: Consumer Product Safety Commission.

ACTION: Notice of information collection; request for comment.

SUMMARY: As required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC or Commission) announces that the Commission has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request for extension of approval of information collection requirements associated with the Safety Standard for Button Cell or Coin Batteries and Consumer Products Containing Such Batteries. OMB previously approved the collection of

information under control number 3041–0195. OMB's approval will expire on October 31, 2026. On June 15, 2026, CPSC published a notice in the **Federal Register** to announce the agency's intention to seek extension of approval of the collection of information. The Commission received three public comments. By publication of this notice, the Commission announces that CPSC has submitted to OMB a request for extension of approval of that collection of information.

DATES: Submit comments on the collection of information by November 4, 2026.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments about this request by email: OIRA_submission@omb.eop.gov or fax: 202–395–3888. Comments by mail should be sent to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: OMB Desk Officer for the CPSC, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, 725 17th Street NW, Washington, DC 20503. Written comments that are sent to OMB also should be submitted electronically at <http://www.regulations.gov>, under Docket No. CPSC–2023–0004.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Cynthia Gillham, Consumer Product Safety Commission, 441 G Street NW, Washington, DC 20548; (301) 504–7791, or by email to: prra@cpsc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: CPSC seeks to renew the following currently approved collection of information:

Title: Safety Standard for Button Cell or Coin Batteries and Consumer Products Containing Such Batteries.

OMB Number: 3041–0195.

Type of Review: Renewal of collection.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Affected Public: Manufacturers and importers of packages of button cell and coin batteries; and manufacturers and importers of non-children's products that contain or are designed to use button cell or coin batteries.

General Description of Collection: Based on the requirements in Reese's Law, 15 U.S.C. 2056e(a) and (b), the Safety Standard for Button Cell or Coin Batteries and Consumer Products Containing Such Batteries, 16 CFR part 1263, prescribes performance and labeling requirements for child-resistant battery compartments on children's and non-children's consumer products that contain or are designed to use button cell or coin batteries. These performance and labeling requirements are intended to reduce or eliminate injuries and deaths associated with children 6 years old and younger ingesting these batteries. The labeling requirements

include warning labels for packaging of consumer products containing button cell or coin batteries and for any literature, such as instructions or user manuals, accompanying these consumer products. The standard also includes warning label requirements for packaging of button cell or coin batteries, including button cell or coin batteries packaged separately with a consumer product.

Estimated Number of Respondents: CPSC estimates that there are 15,363 entities that will respond to the collection annually.

Estimated Time per Response: CPSC estimates that on average each entity will respond three times per year. While the time per response will vary depending on the business and their practices, CPSC estimates two hours for labeling and two hours for recordkeeping, on average.

Total Estimated Annual Burden: The total estimated burden of the collection is 184,356 hours (4 hours × 3 × 15,363 = 184,356), annually.

Total Estimated Annual Cost to Respondents: The hourly compensation for all private industry workers in goods-producing industries is \$48.97 per hour (U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, "Employer Costs for Employee Compensation," total compensation for private industry workers in goods producing industries, December 2025: https://www.bls.gov/news.release/archives/eccec_03202026.htm). At this rate, the annualized cost the total estimated annual cost of the collection of information is approximately \$9 million annually (184,356 hours × \$48.97 = \$9,027,913.32).

Response to Public Comments:

CPSC received three public comments on its proposed extension of this information collection. One out of scope comment, addressing the requirements of the final rule and of the relevant voluntary standards, was submitted by the People's Republic of China, pursuant to the Article 2.9.4 of the WTO/TBT Agreement. The other two comments, submitted by the Information Technology Industry Council (ITI) and an anonymous commenter, discussed burden estimates for labeling, among other concerns related to out-of-scope issues. Summaries of and responses to these comments are provided below.

Comments: ITI commented that the burden is underestimated and does not reflect real-world complexity, such as lifecycle documentation (not a one-time effort), global model and packaging complexity, and cross functional coordination. ITI asserted that

complying with the labeling requirements takes at least three to four hours per label or more. To address these concerns, ITI suggested that the Commission allow the use of electronic labeling (e.g., QR code), leading to online manuals on the manufacturer's website.

The anonymous commenter stated that CPSC's burden calculations should reflect "real-world operational reality" to account for creating, verifying, scaling, and managing compliance artwork across packaging and documentation, which the commenter asserted, similar to ITI's comments, takes three to four hours per label.

The anonymous commenter also provided additional requests which include clarifying scope guidance for paperwork filings for 16 CFR part 1263, considering alternative formatting for small surfaces and/or allowing high-contrast monochrome printing on small retail packaging, eliminating "duplicate compliance paths," and streamlining recordkeeping to include e-labeling barcodes. The commenter did not elaborate on the concerns associated with duplicative compliance.

Response: CPSC adjusts burden estimates upward from 1.25 hours, for both labeling and recordkeeping, based on the information received from the commenters. CPSC adjusts burden estimates to two per response for labeling and two hours for recordkeeping, noting that response times to the collection will vary depending upon the size of the establishment, the number and type of products sold by the firm, and other factors outside of the control of CPSC, such as internal business practices. CPSC notes that burden estimates are annual and that labeling is not typically redesigned on an annual basis, therefore an estimate of two hours per year for labeling is reasonable.

With regard to comments on electronic labeling, the rule requires on-product warnings but does not prohibit additionally providing digital access to the safety statements. However, given that not all consumers have easy access to the internet or sufficient knowledge to use QR codes, the warnings language must be included physically along with the product in order to have the intended effect of providing warnings and safety information to consumers. Reese's Law requires that warnings be included: on the packaging of button cell or coin batteries and the packaging of consumer products containing such batteries; in any literature that accompanies a consumer product containing button cell or coin batteries; and, as practicable, directly on

consumer products containing button cell or coin batteries.

Both UL 4200A–2023, incorporated by reference in 16 CFR 1263.3, and CPSC's requirements at 16 CFR 1263.4 include a table for letter size based on the display area, with smaller letters allowed on small surfaces; and offer alternative means of displaying the warnings when the display area does not allow the full warning. Furthermore, the rule does not prohibit high-contrast monochrome printing; referenced color schemes need to be in color only if the labels are printed in more than one color.

CPSC provides administrative guidance for compliance in many forms, including a business guidance page on its website: <https://www.cpsc.gov/Business-Manufacturing/Business-Education/Business-Guidance/Button-Cell-and-Coin-Battery>.

Alberta E. Mills,

Secretary, Consumer Product Safety Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

[Docket No.: ED–2026–SCC–2938]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Comment Request; Consolidated State Plan

AGENCY: Office of Elementary and Secondary Education, Department of Education (ED).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, the Department is proposing an extension without change of a currently approved information collection request (ICR).

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before December 4, 2026.

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–2026–SCC–2938. 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](http://www.regulations.gov) site is not available to the public for any reason, the Department 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 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 Office of Elementary and Secondary Education, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Ave. SW, LBJ, Room 4C294, Washington, DC 20202.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For specific questions related to collection activities, please contact Melissa Siry, 202–260–0926.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department, 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. The Department is soliciting comments on the proposed information collection request (ICR) that is described below. The Department 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: Consolidated State Plan.

OMB Control Number: 1810–0576.

Type of Review: An extension without change of a currently approved ICR.

Respondents/Affected Public: State, Local, and Tribal Governments.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses: 52.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours: 108,155.

Abstract: This collection currently approved by OMB under control number 1810–0576 covers the consolidated State plan (previously