whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Commission's burden estimate; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Written comments should be submitted on or before January 23, 2006. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contact listed below as soon as possible.

ADDRESSES: You may submit your comments by email or U.S. mail. To submit your comments by email send them to *PRA@fcc.gov*. To submit your comments by U.S. mail send them to Cathy Williams, Federal Communications Commission, Room 1– C823, 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554 and Kristy L. LaLonde, Office of Management and Budget (OMB),

Room 10236 NEOB, Washington, DC 20503, (202) 395–3087 or via the Internet at

Kristy_L._LaLonde@omb.eop.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For additional information about the information collection(s) send an email to *PRA@fcc.gov* or contact Cathy Williams at (202) 418–2918. If you would like to obtain a copy of this revised information collection, you may do so by visiting the FCC PRA Web page at: *http://www.fcc.gov/omd/pra.*

SUPPLMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Control Number: 3060–0214. *Title:* Sections 73.3526 and 73.3527, Local Public Inspection Files; Sections 76.1701and 73.1943, Political Files.

Form Number: Not applicable. *Type of Review:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

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Respondents: Business or other forprofit entities; Not for-profit institutions.

Number of Respondents: 52,217. Estimated Time per Response: 2.5 hours—104 hours per year.

Frequency of Response:

Recordkeeping requirement; Third party disclosure requirement.

Total Annual Burden: 1,818,003 hours.

Total Annual Cost: None. Privacy Impact Assessment: No impact(s).

Needs and Uses: 47 CFR 73.3526 and 47 CFR Section 73.3527 require that licensees and permittees of commercial and noncommercial AM, FM and TV stations maintain a file for public inspection at its main studio or at another accessible location in its community of license. The contents of the file vary according to type of service and status. The contents include, but are not limited to, copies of certain applications tendered for filing, a statement concerning petitions to deny filed against such applications, copies of ownership reports, statements certifying compliance with filing announcements in connection with renewal applications, and a list of community issues addressed by the station's programming. These rules also specify the length of time, which varies by document type, that each record must be retained in the public file. The public and FCC use the data to evaluate information about the licensee's performance and to ensure that station is addressing issues concerning the community to which it is licensed to serve.

47 CFR 73.1943 and 47 CFR 76.1701 require licensees of broadcast stations and cable television systems, respectively, to keep and permit public inspection of a complete record (political file) of all requests for broadcast time made by or on behalf of candidates for public office, together with an appropriate notation showing the disposition made by the licensee of such requests. The data is used by the public to assess money expended and

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time allotted to a political candidate and to ensure that equal access was afforded to other legally qualified candidates. 47 CFR 76.1701 also requires that, when an entity sponsors origination cable casting material that concerns a political matter or a discussion of a controversial issue of public importance, a list must be maintained in the public file of the system that includes the sponsoring entity's chief executive officers, or members of its executive committee or of its board of directors.

Federal Communications Commission.

Marlene H. Dortch,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Granting of Request for Early Termination of the Waiting Period Under the Premereger Notification Rules

Section 7A of the Clayton Act, 15 U.S.C. 18a, as added by Title II of the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976, requires persons contemplating certain mergers or acquisitions to give the Federal Trade Commission and the Assistant Attorney General advance notice and to wait designated periods before consummation of such plans. Section 7A(b)(2) of the Act permits the agencies, in individual cases, to terminate this waiting period prior to its expiration and requires that notice of this action be published in the **Federal Register**.

The following transactions were granted early termination of the waiting period provided by law and the premerger notification rules. The grants were made by the Federal Trade Commission and the Assistant Attorney General for the Antitrust Division of the Department of Justice. Neither agency intends to take any action with respect to these proposed acquisitions during the applicable waiting period.

Entities

Transactions Granted Early Termination—11/21/2005					
20051562 20060129 20060180 20060181	Tata Sons Limited James Ratcliffe Questor Partners Fund II, L.P Questor Partners Fund II, L.P	TLGB Acquisition Ltd BP p.l.c Rex S. Butler Ronald Jeffrey Butler & Carrie Krenzel Butler.	Fish House Foods, Inc.		
	American Capital Strategies, Ltd ABRY Partners, V, L.P Monitor Clipper Equity Partners II, L.P.	Fund, L.P.			

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20060188	Monitor Clipper Equity Partners II, L.P.	Philip Friedmann	Recycled Paper Greeting, Inc., RPC Holdings, Inc.
20060190	The Timberland Company	Robert A. Fox	Smartwool Corporation.
20060192	American Capital Strategies, Ltd	Atlantic Equity Partners III, L.P	Ranpak Holding Corporation.
20060193 20060195	Elevation Partners, L.P.	Homestore, Inc Cortec Group Fund III, L.P	Homestore, Inc. New Axia Holdings, Inc.
20060200	Trinidad Energy Services Income Trust.	Cheyenne Parent, Inc	Cheyenne Drilling, L.P.
20060202 20060207	J.W. Childs Equity Partners III, L.P. Occidental Petroleum Corporation	W/S Packaging Group, Inc Vintage Petroleum, Inc	W/S Packaging Group, Inc. Vintage Petroleum, Inc.
	Transactions Granted	Early Termination—11/22/2005	
20060103 20060189 20060197	Livingston International Income Fund Wellspring Capital Partners III, L.P Provident Energy Trust	PBB Global Logistics Income Fund Sam L. Susser EnCana Corporation	PBB Global Logistics Income Fund. Susser Holdings, L.L.C. 1140102 Alberta Ltd., EnCan Kerrobert Pipelines Limited EnCana Midstream Inc., WD Er
20060198	Houlihan Lockey Howard & Zukin Inc	ORIX Corporation	ergy Services, Inc. ORIX Finance Corp., ORIX Struc tured Finance LLC.
20060199	ORIX Corporation	Houlihan Lokey Howard & Zukin Inc	Houlihan Lokey Howard & Zukin Inc
	Transactions Granted	Early Termination—11/23/2005	Γ
20060102	New Times Holding, LLC	NewCo LLC	NewCo LLC.
20060191 20060213	GMM Capital LLC Telefonaktiebolaget LM Ericsson	Goody's Family Clothing, Inc Marconi Corporation plc	Goody's Family Clothing, Inc. Marconi Communications Federal Inc., Marconi Communications Inc., Marconi Intellectual Property (Ringfence) Inc., Marconi Intellectual tual Property (US) Inc., Metapatt Software International, Inc. Metapath Software Internationa (US), Inc.
	Transactions Granted	Early Termination—11/28/2005	Γ
20060126	Asurion Corporation	DST Systems, Inc	DST Lock/Line, Inc.
20060127	DST Systems, Inc.	Asurion Corporation	Asurion Corporation.
20060154	Castlerigg International Limited American Capital Strategies, Ltd	GenCorp Inc DelStar Holding Corp	GenCorp Inc. DelStar Holding Corp.
20060203	General Motors Corporation	ProAssurance Company	MEEMIC Insurance Company MEEMIC Insurance Services Co poration.
20060216 20060223	Astellas Pharma Inc Marathon Fund Limited Partnership V.	Theravance, Inc Transport Corporation of America, Inc.	Theravance, Inc. Transport Corporation of America Inc.
20060225	Formosa Plastics Corporation	New Mighty U.S. Trust	Formosa Plastics Corporation U.S.A.
20060226	New Mighty U.S. Trust	Formosa Plastics Corporation	Formosa Plastics Corporation, Ame ica.
20060227 20060228 20060230	Mr. Sumner M. Redstone BD Investment Holdings Inc Citigroup Inc	CSTV Networks, Inc Todd A. Robinson Alcoa Inc	CSTV Networks, Inc. LPL Holdings, Inc. SGS, SGS Canada, SGS MX, SG
20060233 20060234	Robert H. Castellini Alan D. Schwartz	The Cincinnati Reds LLC The Bear Stearns Companies, Inc	UK. The Cincinnati Reds LLC. The Bear Stearns Companies, Inc.
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	Transactions Granted	Early Termination—11/29/2005	
	Transactions Granted	Dover Corporation	
20051699 20060171	Alfa Laval AB	Dover Corporation	Tranter PHE, Inc. National Association of Independer Truckers, LLC (NAIT), Transguar Insurance Company of Americ Inc. (Transguard), Vanguard Insu ance Agency, Inc. (Vanguard).
20051699 20060171 20060177	Alfa Laval AB Peter R. Kellogg Don H. Barden	Dover Corporation SIRVA, Inc Trump Entertainment Resorts, Inc	National Association of Independer Truckers, LLC (NAIT), Transguar Insurance Company of Americ Inc. (Transguard), Vanguard Insur ance Agency, Inc. (Vanguard). Trump Indiana, Inc.
20051699	Alfa Laval AB	Dover Corporation	Tranter PHE, Inc. National Association of Independer Truckers, LLC (NAIT), Transguar Insurance Company of Americ Inc. (Transguard), Vanguard Insur ance Agency, Inc. (Vanguard).

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20060182	ValueAct Capital Master Fund, L.P	The Reynolds and Reynolds Com- pany.	The Reynolds and Reynolds Com- pany.			
20060201	MediaNews Group, Inc	Gannett Co., Inc	Texas-New Mexico Newspapers Partnership.			
20060221	Autonomy Corporation plc	Verity, Inc	Verity, Inc.			
Transactions Granted Early Termination—12/01/2005						
20060196	Johnson & Johnson	Biovail Corporation	Biovail Laboratories International SRL.			

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Sandra M. Peay, Contact Representative or Renee Hallman, Contact Representative. Federal Trade Commission, Premerger Notification Office, Bureau of Competition, Room H– 303, Washington, DC 20580, (202) 326– 3100.

By Direction of the Commission.

Donald S. Clark,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration on Aging

Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Request; State Annual Long-Term Care Ombudsman Report and Instructions for Older Americans Act Title VII

AGENCY: Administration on Aging, HHS. **ACTION:** Notice

SUMMARY: The Administration on Aging (AoA) is announcing an opportunity for public comment on the proposed collection of certain information by the agency. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (the PRA). Federal agencies are required to publish notice in the Federal Register concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed extension of an existing collection of information, and to allow 60 days for public comment in response to the notice. This notice solicits comments on the information collection requirements relating to State Annual Long-Term Care Ombudsman Report and instructions for Older Americans Act Title VII.

DATES: Submit written or electronic comments on the collection of information by February 21, 2006.

ADDRESSES: Submit electronic comments on the collection of information to: *sue.wheaton@aoa.gov.*

Submit written comments on the collection of information to: Administration on Aging, Washington, DC 20201. Attention: Sue Wheaton FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sue Wheaton, by telephone: (202) 357-3587 or by e-mail: sue.wheaton@aoa.gov. SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the PRA (44 U.S.C. 3501-3520), Federal agencies must obtain approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for each collection of information they conduct or sponsor. "Collection of information" is defined in 44 U.S.C. 3502(3) and 5 CFR 1320.3(c) and includes agency request or requirements that members of the public submit reports, keep records, or provide information to a third party. Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the PRA (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)) requires Federal agencies to provide a 60-day notice in the Federal Register concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed extension of an existing collection of information, before submitting the collection to OMB for approval. To comply with this requirement, AoA is publishing notice of the proposed collection of information set forth in this document. With respect to the following collection of information, AoA invites comments on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of AoA's functions. including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of AoA's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (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 respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques when appropriate, and other forms of information technology.

Under section 712(c), section 712(h)(1) and section 712(h)(B) of the Older Americans Act, as amended, states are required to provide information on ombudsmen activities to

AoA, which AoA is then required to present to Congress. The reporting system, the National Ombudsman Reporting System (NORS), was developed in response to these directives and other needs pertaining to the Long Term Care Ombudsman Program and approved by the Office of Management and Budget for use for the first time in FY 1995–96; it was extended a second time with slight modifications for use in FY 1997-2001 and extended for the third time with no change for use from FY 2002–2006. This current (fourth) request is to extend, with modifications, use of the existing State Annual Long-Term Care Ombudsman Report (and Instructions) from Older Americans Act Title VII grantees. The details of these proposed changes are contained on the AoA Web site at: http://www.aoa.gov/prof/ aoaprog/elder_rights/LTCombudsman/ NORS/nors_form_instructions.asp. AoA estimates the burden of this collection of information as follows: Approximately one and one-half hour per respondent with 52 State Agencies on Aging responding annually.

Dated: December 19, 2005.

Josefina G. Carbonell,

Assistant Secretary for Aging. [FR Doc. 05–24356 Filed 12–21–05; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4154-01–P

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. 2005N-0486]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Food and Drug Administration Public Health Notification (formerly known as Safety Alert/Public Health Advisory) Readership Survey

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.