

JUSTIFICATION FOR DD FORM 2339 INTERNATIONAL MILITARY STUDENT INFORMATION (IMSI)

1. The IMSI is utilized by the military departments and pertains only to non U.S. citizens who are members of a foreign army that have been designated by their government to attend training at a military facility. The IMSI is utilized by the gaining organization to provide background information on the individual in order that a military and civilian sponsor may be assigned to assist the individual during his/her stay in the United States. The document requiring this information is the Joint Security Assistance Training Regulation, Army Regulation 12-15, Secretary of the Navy Instruction 4950.4, and Air Force Regulation 50-29.
2. The IMSI will be utilized by the International Military Student Officer (IMSO) assigned to each gaining organization to prepare for the international students stay in the United States. The purpose of collection of this information, in addition to the above, is to determine the international students likes and dislikes, his/her recreation activities, dietary restrictions, etc.
3. The DD Form 2339 is recommended for automation and will become part of the Security Assistance Network once OMB approves the continued use of this form. **No signatures are required on the DD Form 2339.**
4. There are no duplications to the DD Form 2339.
5. The collection of this information does not affect small businesses.
6. Not collecting this information would result in a less than effective management of the international student and result in the increased workload for the IMSO.
7. There are no special circumstances. The collection of information will be conducted in a manner consistent with the guidelines in 5CFR 1320.5(d)(2).
8. The 60 day Federal Register notice was published on June 7, 2006, Wednesday, Vol. 71, No. 109, pages 32933/4. Copy attached. **No comments were received.**
9. No payments or gifts will be made to respondents.
10. Confidentiality is not guaranteed to the international student concerning the information provided because the international student does not fall within the scope of the laws pertaining to U.S. citizens.
11. The IMSI does request information concerning the international student's religious affiliation. This is done to facilitate the International Military Student Officer in advising the international student of the religious affiliation closest to him/her and matching the student to a sponsor of the same faith.

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12. The total number of international students responding to the IMSI for the military departments is approximately 3,000 yearly, requiring a one-time response that takes 15 minutes to complete.

The cost for the respondent to complete the IMSI is unknown, as the monetary values in each country are different.

13. There are no start-up costs associated with the IMSI information collection.

14. There are no appreciable costs to the Federal Government in the collection of the IMSI as the funding for the individuals involved are provided by the Foreign Military Sales Program.

15. This is a ~~extension~~ of a previously approved collection of information.

16. Results will not be published for statistical purposes.

17. Approval not to display the expiration date is not being sought.

18. No exceptions to the certification statement are being sought.

Collections of Information Employing Statistical Methods.

The IMSI is not utilized for statistical purposes.