SUBMISSION OF INFORMATION COLLECTION UNDER GENERIC CLEARANCES

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SUB AGENCY (I/C): CSR

TITLE: NIH External Constituency Surveys - CSR

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ABSTRACT:

Two surveys are planned -- a Reviewer Survey and an Applicant Survey. The primary objective of these surveys is to assess peer reviewers' and grant applicants' experience with the peer review enhancements. The findings from the surveys will provide an important source of information for developing recommendations to further refine the enhanced peer review process. The information collected in these surveys is needed by NIH to obtain customer feedback about their satisfaction with the changes being implemented. The surveys are intended to garner specific information about reviewers' and applicants' most recent experience with peer review enhancements.

TOTAL ANNUAL BURDEN APPROVED: 1,438 hours
BURDEN USED TO DATE: 183
BURDEN THIS REQUEST: 942.3
IS RACE AND ETHNICITY DATA COLLECTED AS REQUIRED?X_YESNON/A
OBLIGATION TO RESPOND:
X VOLUNTARY
REQUIRED TO OBTAIN OR RETAIN BENEFITS
MANDATORY
HOW WILL THIS SURVEY BE OFFERED?
X WEB SITE
TELEPHONE INTERVIEW
X MAIL RESPONSE
IN PERSON INTERVIEW
OTHER:
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