Request for Approval under the "Generic Clearance for the Collection of Routine Customer Feedback" (OMB Control Number: 2126-0049)

TITLE OF INFORMATION COLLECTION: Generic Clearance for the Collection of Qualitative Feedback on Agency Service Delivery

PURPOSE: To obtain feedback from attendees of FMCSA Analysis Research & Technology annual forum held on Jan. 24, 2012 at the TRB annual conference.

DESCRIPTION OF RESPONDENTS: The conference is a annual event attended by representatives from the truck and bus industries including steak holders, government officials, researchers and commercial motor vehicle drivers (CMV).

| TYPE OF COLLECTION: (Check one) | |
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| [] Customer Comment Card/Complaint Form [] Usability Testing (e.g., Website or Software [] Focus Group | [X] Customer Satisfaction Survey[] Small Discussion Group[] Other: |

CERTIFICATION:

I certify the following to be true:

- 1. The collection is voluntary.
- 2. The collection is low-burden for respondents and low-cost for the Federal Government.
- 3. The collection is non-controversial and does <u>not</u> raise issues of concern to other federal agencies.
- 4. The results are <u>not</u> intended to be disseminated to the public.
- 5. Information gathered will not be used for the purpose of <u>substantially</u> informing <u>influential</u> policy decisions.
- 6. The collection is targeted to the solicitation of opinions from respondents who have experience with the program or may have experience with the program in the future.

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To assist review, please provide answers to the following question:

Personally Identifiable Information:

- 1. Is personally identifiable information (PII) collected? [] Yes [X] No
- 2. If Yes, will any information that is collected be included in records that are subject to the Privacy Act of 1974? [] Yes [] No
- 3. If Yes, has an up-to-date System of Records Notice (SORN) been published? [] Yes [] No

Gifts or Payments:

Is an incentive (e.g., money or reimbursement of expenses, token of appreciation) provided to participants? [] Yes [X] No

BURDEN HOURS

| Category of Respondent | No. of | Participation | Burden |
|------------------------|-------------|---------------|----------|
| | Respondents | Time | |
| Individuals | 200 | 5 minutes | 17 hours |
| | | | |
| Totals | | | |

FEDERAL COST: The estimated annual cost to the Federal government is none.

If you are conducting a focus group, survey, or plan to employ statistical methods, please provide answers to the following questions:

The selection of your targeted respondents

Do you have a customer list or something similar that defines the universe of potential respondents and do you have a sampling plan for selecting from this universe?
 [] Yes [X] No

If the answer is yes, please provide a description of both below (or attach the sampling plan)? If the answer is no, please provide a description of how you plan to identify your potential group of respondents and how you will select them? The respondents will be those who attend the forum event.

Administration of the Instrument

| 1. | How will you collect the information? (Check all that apply) |
|----|--|
| | [] Web-based or other forms of Social Media |
| | [] Telephone |
| | [X] In-person |
| | [] Mail |
| | [] Other, Explain |
| | |

2. Will interviewers or facilitators be used? [] Yes [X] No

Please make sure that all instruments, instructions, and scripts are submitted with the request.