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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

[Docket No.: ED-2013-ICCD-0121]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Comment Request; Highly Qualified Teachers Clearance

AGENCY: Office of Planning, Evaluation
and Policy Development (OPEPD),
Department of Education (ED).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the
Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44
U.S.C. chapter 3501 *et seq.*), ED is
proposing a new information collection.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to
submit comments on or before
November 12, 2013.

ADDRESSES: Comments submitted in
response to this notice should be
submitted electronically through the
Federal eRulemaking Portal at <http://www.regulations.gov> by selecting
Docket ID number ED-2013-ICCD-0121
or via postal mail, commercial delivery,
or hand delivery. Please note that
comments submitted by fax or email
and those 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 Director of
the Information Collection Clearance
Division, U.S. Department of Education,
400 Maryland Avenue SW, LBJ, Room
2E103, Washington, DC 20202-4537.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For
questions related to collection activities
or burden, please call Kathy Axt 540-
776-7742 or electronically mail
ICDocketMgr@ed.gov. Please do not
send comments here.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The
Department of Education (ED), 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. ED is
soliciting comments on the proposed

information collection request (ICR) that
is described below. The Department of
Education 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: Highly Qualified
Teachers Clearance

OMB Control Number: 1875-NEW

Type of Review: A new information
collection.

Respondents/Affected Public: State,
Local, or Tribal Governments

*Total Estimated Number of Annual
Responses:* 17,053

*Total Estimated Number of Annual
Burden Hours:* 115,000

Abstract: As set forth in Section
145(b) of H.J. Res. 117, the Fiscal Year
2013 Continuing Resolution (CR)
Congress directed the U.S. Department
of Education (ED) to submit a report to
Congress on December 31, 2013,
regarding the degree to which certain
populations of students (students with
disabilities, English language learners,
rural students, and economically
disadvantaged students) are taught by
teachers participating in an alternative
route to certification program. State
educational agencies (SEAs) and local
educational agencies (LEAs) have not
been required to collect nor report this
information. The requisite data must be
reported from schools to LEAs to SEAs.
ED respectfully seeks clearance to
collect this information required to
answer Congress's directive. It is
anticipated that the collection is needed
for one year only; hence, SEAs are not
likely to alter their data collection and
reporting systems to meet this data
reporting requirement.

Kate Mullan,

Acting Director, Information Collection
Clearance Division, Privacy, Information and
Records Management Services, Office of
Management.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 3106-001]

New York Power Authority; Notice of Application Accepted for Filing, Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests

Take notice that the following
hydroelectric application has been filed
with the Commission and is available
for public inspection.

a. *Type of Application:* Surrender of
Conduit Exemption.

b. *Project No.:* 3106-001.

c. *Date filed:* December 11, 2012.

d. *Applicant:* New York Power
Authority (NYPA).

e. *Name of Project and Location:* The
Kensico Hydroelectric Project is located
within the headworks of the Kensico
Reservoir—City of New York Aqueduct,
lower part of the Catskill Water
Distribution System, which is owned
and operated by the City of New York.

f. *Filed Pursuant to:* 18 CFR 4.95.

g. *Applicant Contact:* Robert J.

Knowlton, P.E., Vice President
Engineering Operations, New York
Power Authority. (914) 681-6424.
Robert.Knowlton@nypa.gov.

h. *FERC Contact:* Krista Sakallaris,
(202) 502-6302, Krista.Sakallaris@ferc.gov.

i. Deadline for filing comments,
motions to intervene, and protests, is 30
days from the issuance date of this
notice. All documents may be filed
electronically via the Internet. See, 18
CFR 385.2001(a)(1)(iii) and the
instructions on the Commission's Web
site at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/efiling.asp>. If unable to be filed
electronically, documents may be paper-
filed. To paper-file, an original and
seven copies should be mailed to:
Secretary, Federal Energy Regulatory
Commission, 888 First Street NE.,
Washington, DC 20426. Commenters
can submit brief comments up to 6,000
characters, without prior registration,
using the eComment system at <http://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/ecomment.asp>. You must include your
name and contact information at the end
of your comments.

Please include the project number (P-
3106-001) on any comments, motions,
or protests filed.

j. *Description of Project Facilities:*
Three turbine generator units each with
a rated capacity of 1,000 kilowatts
installed in the existing bays within the
lower aqueduct effluent chamber.

k. *Description of Request:* The
applicant received notification from the