

April 18, 2017

Memorandum for: Reviewer of 1220-0025

CC: Nora Kincaid

From: Courtney Lam

Subject: NonSubstantive Change for the International Price Program
(IPP) Survey

The IPP is requesting the removal of the OMB expiration date from the "B Form" (Attachment 14), a collection material used by Field Economists during initiation and authorized by OMB for use through 10/31/2018. The system used to produce this form is being phased out and the expiration date is not easily updated in IPP's initiation system since there is no source file. Removal of the expiration date will eliminate further updates to an aging system that IPP plans to replace in the near future.

Attached for your review and approval is the updated International Price Program form. This change does not affect respondent burden.

If you have any questions about this request, please contact Courtney Lam at lam.courtney@bls.gov or by phone at 202-691-7113.