

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Indian Affairs**

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Number 1076–0120]

**Agency Information Collection
Activities; Bureau of Indian Education
Adult Education Program**

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs,
Interior.

ACTION: Notice of information collection;
request for comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the
Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, we,
the Bureau of Indian Education (BIE) are
proposing to renew an information.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to
submit comments on or before March
26, 2018.

ADDRESSES: Send your comments on
this information collection request (ICR)
by mail to Ms. Juanita Mendoza,
Program Analyst, Bureau of Indian
Education, U.S. Department of the
Interior, 1849 C Street NW, MS 3609–
MIB, Washington, DC 20240; or by
email to Juanita.Mendoza@bie.edu.
Please reference OMB Control Number
1076–0120 in the subject line of your
comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To
request additional information about
this ICR, contact Juanita Mendoza by
email at Juanita.Mendoza@bie.edu, or
by telephone at (202) 208–3559.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In
accordance with the Paperwork
Reduction Act of 1995, we provide the
general public and other Federal
agencies with an opportunity to
comment on new, proposed, revised,
and continuing collections of
information. This helps us assess the
impact of our information collection
requirements and minimize the public's
reporting burden. It also helps the
public understand our information
collection requirements and provide the
requested data in the desired format.

We are soliciting comments on the
proposed ICR that is described below.
We are especially interested in public
comment addressing the following
issues: (1) Is the collection necessary to
the proper functions of the BIE; (2) will
this information be processed and used
in a timely manner; (3) is the estimate
of burden accurate; (4) how might the
BIE enhance the quality, utility, and
clarity of the information to be
collected; and (5) how might the BIE
minimize the burden of this collection
on the respondents, including through
the use of information technology.

Comments that you submit in
response to this notice are a matter of
public record. We will include or
summarize each comment in our request
to OMB to approve this ICR. Before
including your address, phone number,
email address, or other personal
identifying information in your
comment, you should be aware that
your entire comment—including your
personal identifying information—may
be made publicly available at any time.
While you can ask us in your comment
to withhold your personal identifying
information from public review, we
cannot guarantee that we will be able to
do so.

Abstract: The Bureau of Indian
Education (BIE) is seeking renewal of
the approval for the information
collection conducted under 25 CFR part
46 to manage program resources and for
fiscal accountability and appropriate
direct services documentation.
Approval for this collection expires on
March 31, 2018. This information
includes an annual report form. No
changes are being made to the approved
burden hours and forms for this
information collection.

Title of Collection: Bureau of Indian
Education Adult Education Program.

OMB Control Number: 1076–0120.

Form Number: BIA Form 62123.

Type of Review: Extension without
change of currently approved collection.

Respondents/Affected Public:
Individuals (Tribal Adult Education
Program Administrators).

*Total Estimated Number of Annual
Respondents:* 70 per year, on average.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual
Responses:* 70 per year, on average.

*Estimated Completion Time per
Response:* 4 hours.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual
Burden Hours:* 280 hours.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to
Obtain a Benefit.

Frequency of Collection: Once per
year.

*Total Estimated Annual Nonhour
Burden Cost:* \$200.

An agency may not conduct or
sponsor and a person is not required to
respond to a collection of information
unless it displays a currently valid OMB
control number.

The authority for this action is the
Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44
U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*).

Elizabeth K. Appel,

*Director, Office of Regulatory Affairs and
Collaborative Action—Indian Affairs.*

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Indian Affairs**

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0160]

**Agency Information Collection
Activities; Submission to the Office of
Management and Budget for Review
and Approval; Verification of Indian
Preference for Employment in BIA and
IHS**

AGENCY: Bureau of Indian Affairs,
Interior.

ACTION: Notice of information collection;
request for comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the
Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, we,
the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) are
proposing to renew an information
collection.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to
submit comments on or before February
22, 2018.

ADDRESSES: Send written comments on
this information collection request (ICR)
to the Office of Management and
Budget's Desk Officer for the
Department of the Interior by email at
OIRA_Submission@omb.eop.gov; or via
facsimile to (202) 395–5806. Please
provide a copy of your comments to Ms.
Laurel Iron Cloud, Chief, Division of
Tribal Government Services, Office of
Indian Services, Bureau of Indian
Affairs, 1849 C Street NW, Mail Stop
4513 MIB, Washington, DC 20240;
facsimile: (202) 208–5113; email:
laurel.ironcloud@bia.gov. Please
reference OMB Control Number 1076–
0160 in the subject line of your
comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To
request additional information about
this ICR, contact Ms. Laurel Iron Cloud
by email at laurel.ironcloud@bia.gov, or
by telephone at (202) 513–7641. You
may also view the ICR at [http://
www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain).

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requirements and minimize the public's
reporting burden. It also helps the
public understand our information
collection requirements and provide the
requested data in the desired format.

A **Federal Register** notice with a 60-
day public comment period soliciting