These statutory provisions have been part of the Title I, Part A statute since 1994. They were first implemented in 1999 when ED switched to allocating Title I, Part A funds directly to LEAs.

The estimated burden and cost to the 52 SEAs to follow the steps outlined in §§200.70 – 200.75 and §200.100 of the regulations is 2080 annual hours at a cost of $62,400. This assumes that on average 52 SEAs will require 40 hours of work to carry out these procedures. The cost per hour would average $30.

Note that there is no instrument of collection for data by ED associated with these provisions in the statute and regulations. This narrative addresses only the burden associated with the actual process an SEA must follow to obtain approval from ED to use alternative poverty data to redistribute Title I, Part A funds to small LEAs.

State Educational Agency and Local Educational Agency- Title I, Part A Burden Hours/Cost					
Citation	Description	# of respondents	Average # of Hours per Respondent	Total Hours	Total Cost (Total Hours x $40)
200.70-200.75 200.100	SEA reporting	52	40	2080	$62,400

Public Burden Statement

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless such collection displays a valid OMB control number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is 1810-0622. Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 40 hours per response, including time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. The obligation to respond to this collection is required to obtain or retain benefit under 20 USC 6333(a)(2), 6334(a), 6335(a). If you have any comments concerning the accuracy of the time estimate, suggestions for improving this individual collection, or if you have comments or concerns regarding the status of your individual form, application or survey, please contact Todd Stephenson, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, LBJ-Room 3C156, Washington, DC, 20202 or todd.stepheonson@ed.gov directly.