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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: Submission of this information allows Assistant Secretary-Indian Affairs, Office of Federal Acknowledgment (OFA) to review applications for the Federal acknowledgment of a group as an Indian tribe. The acknowledgment regulations at 25 CFR part 83 contain seven criteria that unrecognized groups seeking Federal acknowledgment as Indian tribes must demonstrate that they meet. Information collect from petitioning groups under these regulations provide anthropological, genealogical and historical data used by the AS-IA to establish whether a petitioning group has the characteristics necessary to be acknowledged as having a government-to-government relationship with the United States. Respondents are not required to retain copies of the information submitted to OFA but will probably maintain copies for their own use; therefore, there is no recordkeeping requirement included in this information collection.

Title of Collection: Documented Petitions for Federal Acknowledgment as an Indian Tribe.

OMB Control Number: 1076-0104.

Form Number: BIA-8304, BIA-8305, and BIA-8306.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents/Affected Public: Groups petitioning for Federal acknowledgment as Indian Tribes.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Respondents: 10 per year, on average.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses: 10 per year, on average.

Estimated Completion Time per Response: 2,075 hours, on average.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours: 20,750 hours.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to Obtain a Benefit.

Frequency of Collection: Once.

Total Estimated Annual Nonhour Burden Cost: \$0.

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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Agency Information Collection Activities; Bureau of Indian Education Tribal Colleges and Universities; Application for Grants and Annual Report Form

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 collection with revisions.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before July 19, 2021.

ADDRESSES: Send written comments on this information collection request (ICR) to Dr. Katherine Campbell, Program

Analyst, Office of Research, Policy and Post-Secondary, at 12220 Sunrise Valley Drive, Reston, VA 20191 or by email to Katherine.Campbell@bie.edu. Please reference OMB Control Number 1076-0018 in the subject line of your comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request additional information about this ICR, contact Dr. Katherine Campbell by email at Katherine.Campbell@bie.edu, or by telephone at (703) 390-6697.

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.

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Abstract: Each tribally-controlled college or university requesting financial assistance under the Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities Assistance Act of 1978 (the Act) (25 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*), which provides grants to Tribally Controlled Colleges or Universities for the purpose of ensuring continued and expanded educational

opportunities for Indian students. Similarly, each Tribally Controlled College or University that receives financial assistance is required by Sec. 107(c)(1) of the Act and 25 CFR part 41 to provide a report on the use of funds received.

Title of Collection: Bureau of Indian Education Tribal Colleges and Universities; Application for Grants and Annual Report Form.

OMB Control Number: 1076-0018.

Form Number: BIE-62107, BIE-6259, BIE Form 22, and the Third Week Monitoring Form.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents/Affected Public: Tribal college and university administrators.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Respondents: 29 per year, on average.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses: 29 per year, on average.

Estimated Completion Time per Response: Varies from 1 hour to 11 hours.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours: 870 hours.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to Obtain a Benefit.

Frequency of Collection: Annually.

Total Estimated Annual Nonhour Burden Cost: \$0.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Virtual Hearing on the Use of Motorized Vehicles and Aircraft

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of public hearing.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management (BLM) announces the date of a virtual public hearing regarding the use of motorized vehicles and aircraft in the management of wild horses and burros on public lands.

DATES: The BLM will hold a virtual public hearing on Tuesday, May 25, 2021, from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Mountain Daylight Time (MDT).

ADDRESSES: The virtual public hearing will be held via the Zoom Webinar Platform. Written comments pertaining to the hearing and written statements that will be presented to the BLM may be filed in advance of the hearing through the Motorized Vehicles email address at BLM_HQ_MotorizedVehicleHearing@blm.gov. Please include “Motorized Vehicles Comment” in the subject line of the email.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dorothea Boothe, Wild Horse and Burro Program Coordinator; telephone: (602) 906-5543, email: dboothe@blm.gov. Individuals that use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Relay Service (FRS) at (800) 877-8339 to contact Ms. Boothe during normal business hours. The FRS is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. All responses will be during normal business hours.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 and 43 CFR 4740.1(b), the BLM will hold a virtual public hearing on the use of motorized vehicles, helicopters, and fixed-wing aircraft in the management of wild horses and burros on public lands. The public will be notified of future hearings through press releases in addition to other public-facing methods (e.g., the BLM website).

Although the BLM has previously held localized, in-person meetings on the use of motorized vehicles and aircraft in the management of wild horses and burros on public lands, the BLM has determined that, in light of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, a virtual hearing is necessary to ensure the safety of the public and Federal employees. Additionally, a virtual meeting that applies to all Western states where the BLM manages wild horses and burros on public lands will provide an opportunity for broader participation by members of the public who might be unable to travel and attend an in-person meeting.

The hearing will be open to the public and will be live streamed at www.blm.gov/live and through the Zoom Webinar Platform.

Information about the hearing and how to register to speak will be posted 3 days prior to the hearing online at www.blm.gov/whb. The public will have an opportunity to provide verbal comments to the BLM during the 2-hour comment period or by submitting

written comments to the BLM email address (see **ADDRESSES**) by 5 p.m. MDT on Monday, May 24.

Beyond live captioning, any person(s) with special needs, such as an auxiliary aid, interpreting service, assistive listening device, or materials in an alternate format, must notify Ms. Boothe 3 days before the scheduled hearing date. It is important to adhere to the 3-day notice to allow enough time to arrange for the auxiliary aid or special service. Live captioning will be available throughout the event on both the Zoom Webinar Platform and the livestream page at www.blm.gov/live.

Public Comment Procedures

The BLM welcomes comments from all interested parties. Members of the public will have an opportunity to make statements (audio only) to the BLM regarding the use of motorized vehicles and aircraft in the management of wild horses and burros on Tuesday, May 25, from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. MDT. To accommodate all individuals interested in providing comments, please register with the BLM 3 days in advance of the hearing. Individuals who have not registered in advance but would like to offer comments will be permitted if time allows. Information on how to register, login, and participate in the virtual hearing will be announced at least 3 days in advance of the hearing on the BLM website at <https://www.blm.gov/whb>. Participants using desktops, laptops, smartphones, and other personal digital devices will be able to participate via audio only. Those with phone-only access will also be able to participate via a provided phone number and meeting ID. The BLM may limit the length of comments, depending on the number of participants who register in advance. Please see the **ADDRESSES** section earlier for the BLM email address and include “Motorized Vehicles Comment” in the subject line of your email. The BLM will record the entire hearing, including the allotted comment time. Comments should be specific and address the use of motorized vehicles and aircraft in the management of wild horses and burros.

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