

**PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT  
CHANGE SHEET**  
School Pulse Panel (SPP) 2024-25  
August-October 2024 Surveys Change Request

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| <b>Agency/Subagency</b><br>U.S. Department of Education, Institute of Education Sciences  |               | <b>OMB Control Number</b><br>1850-0969 v.15 |        |
| <b>Current Record</b>   |               | <b>New Record</b>                           |        |
| <b>Agency form number(s)</b>  | NA            |   | NA     |
| <b>Annual reporting and record keeping hour burden</b>  |               |   |        |
| <b>Number of respondent</b>   | 1,235         |   | 1,235  |
| <b>Total annual responses</b>   | 53,955        |   | 53,955 |
| <b>Percent of these responses collected electronically</b>  | 100%          |   | 100%   |
| <b>Total annual hours</b>   | 10,175        |   | 10,175 |
| <b>Difference</b>   |               |   |        |
| <b>Explanation of difference</b>  |               |   |        |
| <b>Program change</b>   |               |   |        |
| <b>Adjustment</b>   |               |   |        |
| <b>Annual reporting and record keeping cost burden (in thousands of dollars)</b>  |               |   |        |
| <b>Total annualized capital/startup costs</b>   | NA            |   | NA     |
| <b>Total annual costs (O&amp;M)</b>   | NA            |   | NA     |
| <b>Total annualized cost requested</b>  | NA            |   | NA     |
| <b>Difference</b>   |               |   | NA     |
| <b>Explanation of difference</b>  |               |   |        |
| <b>Program change</b>   |               |   | NA     |
| <b>Adjustment</b>   |               |   | NA     |
| <b>Other change**</b>   |               |   |        |
| <p>The School Pulse Panel is an ongoing study conducted by the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES), part of the Institute of Education Sciences (IES), within the United States Department of Education, to collect extensive data on current and emerging issues concerning students and staff in U.S. public primary, middle, high, and combined-grade schools. Specifically, the survey will ask school leaders about topics such as staffing, college and career readiness, artificial intelligence, tutoring, summer and after-school programs, facilities, and learning strategies and recovery, among other topics. The SPP has become one of the nation's main sources of timely and reliable data on issues concerning the education environment, as reported by principals in U.S. public schools.</p> <p>The SPP monthly data collection went through a 60-day public comment period, followed by a 30-day public comment period (OMB# 1850-0969 v.13) and was formally cleared on July 1, 2024. The purpose of this memo is to request approval for changes to the August, September, and October 2024 SPP questionnaires. The items that were submitted as a part of the 30-day public comment period (v.13, approved July 2024) were undergoing cognitive testing at the time the package was out for public comment.</p> <p>Changes to the August, September, and October 2024 questionnaires that are being made in response to the cognitive testing are detailed below. Many of the changes were made to improve item clarity and include such actions as modifying response options based on recommendations from the cognitive testing. The costs to the government have not changed as a result of this amendment, nor has the projected respondent burden. Below, for each month, we provide explanations for our changes. Changes to the materials that are part of this submission are described below.</p> |               |   |        |
| <b>Signature of Senior Official or designee:</b>  | <b>Date:</b>  | <b>For OIRA Use</b>                         |        |
| <i>Carrie K. Clarady</i>  | July 19, 2024 | _____                                       |        |

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