Request for Non-Substantive Change 1405-0264 Foreign Assistance Review Data Call

As part of the Department's compliance with the President's Executive Order of January 20, 2025, entitled "Reevaluating and Realigning United States Foreign Aid", the Department of State requested (and the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs granted) emergency approval under the Paperwork Reduction Act to collect information from foreign assistance implementing partners (IPs).

When creating the request for this information collection and describing the collection instrument and obligation to respond, the Department inadvertently checked "Required to Obtain or Retain Benefits" in ROCIS. This was an error. The correct choice was "Voluntary." This item should be corrected to ensure that the collection is accurate and compliant with 5 C.F.R. 1320.8(b)(3)(iv).

The Department requests that the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs approve a non-substantive change to this information collection, by either changing, or authorizing the Department to change, the "Obligation to Respond" to "Voluntary".