

<p>U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) Employment and Training Administration Office of Apprenticeship (OA) Washington, D.C. 20210</p>	<p>Distribution: A-541 Headquarters A-544 All Field Tech</p>	<p>Subject: Pending Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Authorization of ETA Form 671 Program Registration, Section I, and Apprenticeship Agreement, Section II Code: 907 Records and Reports</p>
<p>Symbols: DPAMS/AV</p>		<p>Action: Immediate</p>

PURPOSE: To inform OA staff of the following:

- OA’s request to extend, with changes, ETA Form 671, Program Registration, Section I, and Apprenticeship Agreement, Section II, is pending with the Office of Management and Budget (OMB),
- The expiration date for OMB’s approval of ETA Form 671 is being extended on a month-to-month basis until OMB issues its “Notice of Action”, and
- OA anticipates that action in mid-late April 2012.

BACKGROUND: The goals of the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995 (P.L. 104-13) are to reduce, to the extent practicable and appropriate, the burden on respondents. OMB’s control number for ETA Form 671 is 1205-0223. Until OMB approves OA’s request, the expiration date on the currently approved ETA Form 671 will be extended on a month-to-month basis.

ACTION: Staff are to staple on the currently approved ETA 671, Sections I and II paper form the following text, which will also be linked to both Sections I and II in RAPIDS.

This form, approved under OMB Control Number 1205-0223, is now pending with OMB for a three-year extension of the expiration date. Until OMB issues its “Notice of Action” with the new expiration date, this form is being approved on a month-to-month basis, and the expiration date will change to the end of the following month on the last day of the month. This information is contained in the 30 day Federal Register notice for extending this information collection, published February 1, 2012 (attached).

OA staff, other partners, program sponsors, and apprentices must use the OMB currently approved form that is attached below until OMB issues its approval of the changes currently requested.

Attachments:

- [U.S. DOL’s 30-day Federal Register Notice](#)
- [ETA Form 671 Sections I](#)
- [ETA Form 671 Sections II](#)