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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Fish and Wildlife Service**

**[FWS–HQ–DMA–2013–N288]**

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**Proposed Information Collection; Federal Fish and Wildlife Permit**

**Applications and Reports–Management Authority**

**AGENCY:** Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice; request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** We (U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service) will ask the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) to approve the information collection (IC) described below. As required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 and as part of our continuing efforts to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, we invite the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on this IC. This IC is scheduled to expire on February 28, 2014. We 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.

**DATES:** To ensure that we are able to consider your comments on this IC, we must receive them by [INSERT DATE 60 DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

**ADDRESSES:** Send your comments on the IC to the Service Information Collection Clearance Officer, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, MS 2042–PDM, 4401 North

Fairfax Drive, Arlington, VA 22203 (mail); or [hope\\_grey@fws.gov](mailto:hope_grey@fws.gov) (email). Please include “1018–0093” in the subject line of your comments.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To request additional information about this IC, contact Hope Grey at [hope\\_grey@fws.gov](mailto:hope_grey@fws.gov) (email) or 703–358–2482 (telephone).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**I. Abstract.** This information collection covers permit applications and reports that our Division of Management Authority uses to determine the eligibility of applicants for permits requested in accordance with the criteria in various Federal wildlife conservation laws and international treaties. Service regulations implementing these statutes and treaties are in chapter I, subchapter B of title 50, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). These regulations stipulate general and specific requirements that when met allow us to issue permits to authorize activities that are otherwise prohibited.

We are not proposing any major changes to the applications and reports currently approved under OMB Control Number 1018-0093. You may view the currently approved forms at <http://www.fws.gov/forms/display.cfm?number1=200>.

We are proposing a new application: FWS Form 3-200-88 (Musical Instrument (CITES)). The Musical Instrument application will be for multiple border crossings for noncommercial use (including, but not limited to, personal use, performance, display, or competition).

**II. Data**

*OMB Control Number.* 1018–0093.

*Title:* Federal Fish and Wildlife Permit Applications and Reports--Management Authority, 50 CFR 13, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, and 23.

*Service Form Numbers:* 3-200-19 through 3-200-37, 3-200-39 through 3-200-44, 3-200-46 through 3-200-53, 3-200-58, 3-200-61, 3-200-64 through 3-200-66, 3-200-69 to 3-200-70, 3-200-73 through 3-200-76, 3-200-80, and 3-200-85 through 3-200-88.

*Type of Request:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

*Description of Respondents:* Individuals; biomedical companies; circuses; zoological parks; botanical gardens; nurseries; museums; universities; antique dealers; exotic pet industry; hunters; taxidermists; commercial importers/exporters of wildlife and plants; freight forwarders/brokers; and State, tribal, local, and Federal governments

*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to obtain or retain a benefit.

*Frequency of Collection:* On occasion.

*Estimated Number of Annual Respondents:* 13,095.

<b>FORM/ACTIVITY</b>	<b>NUMBER OF RESPONSES</b>	<b>COMPLETION TIME PER RESPONSE</b>	<b>TOTAL ANNUAL BURDEN HOURS*</b>
3-200-19 - application	1,083	20 minutes	361
3-200-20 - application	21	1 hour	21
3-200-21 - application	201	45 minutes	151
Report – Argali Sheep	135	15 minutes	34
3-200-22 - application	95	20 minutes	32
3-200-23 - application	241	45 minutes	181
3-200-24 - application	485	45 minutes	364
3-200-25 - application	64	1 hour	64
3-200-26 - application	618	20 minutes	206
3-200-27 - application	113	45 minutes	85
3-200-28 - application	95	30 minutes	48
3-200-29 - application	270	2.5 hours	676
3-200-30 - application	81	1 hour	81
3-200-30A - report	69	30 minutes	35
3-200-31 - application	3	2 hours	6

3-200-32 - application	614	1 hour	614
3-200-33 - application	303	2 hours	606
3-200-34 - application	107	20 minutes	36
3-200-35 - application	3	1 hour	3
3-200-36 - application	3	1 hour	3
3-200-37 - application	165	2 hour	330
3-200-39 - application	7	1 hour	7
3-200-39A - report	7	30 minutes	4
3-200-40 - application	2	1 hour	2
3-200-40A - report	2	30 minutes	2
3-200-41 - application	87	2 hours	174
3-200-41A - report	83	30 minutes	42
3-200-42 - application	21	1 hour	21
3-200-43 - application	19	2.33 hours	44
3-200-44 - application	2	20 minutes	1
3-200-44A - report	1	1 hour	1
3-200-46 - application	369	0.5	185
3-200-47 - application	16	2 hours	32
3-200-48 - application	4	1 hour	4
3-200-49 - application	4	3 hours	12
3-200-50 - application	2	10 hours	20
3-200-51 - application	2	8 hours	16
3-200-52 - application	198	15 minutes	50
3-200-53 - application	4	2 hours	8
3-200-58 - application	50	1 hour	50
3-200-61 - application	25	43.5 hours	1,088
3-200-64 - application	137	30 minutes	69
3-200-65 - application	2	40 hours	80
3-200-66 - application	50	15 minutes	12
3-200-69 - application	3	30 minutes	2
3-200-70 - application	16	30 minutes	8
3-200-73 - application	5,566	30 minutes	2,783
3-200-74 - application	1,000	6 minutes	101
3-200-75 - application	25	30 minutes	13
3-200-76 - application	120	3 hours	360
3-200-80 - application	15	3 hours	45
3-200-85 - application	90	1 hour	90
3-200-86 - application	15	1.5 hours	23
3-200-87 - application	25	1 hour	25
3-200-88 – application	40	45 minutes	30
Request for Approval of American Ginseng Program	2	12 hours	24
Report - Furbearers CITES Export Program	52	1 hour	52
Report - American Alligator CITES Export Program	10	1 hour	10
Application - Plant Rescue Center Program	3	1 hour	3
Report - Receipt and Condition of Specimens	250	30 minutes	125
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>13,095</b>		<b>9,555</b>

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*Estimated Annual Nonhour Burden Cost:* \$982,781 associated with application fees.

### **III. Comments**

We invite comments concerning this information collection on:

- Whether or not the collection of information is necessary, including whether or not the information will have practical utility;
- The accuracy of our estimate of the burden for this collection of information;
- Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents.

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 IC. 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.

Dated: December 12, 2013

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