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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

**Federal Aviation Administration** 

Agency Information Collection Activities: Requests for Comments; Clearance of Renewed

Approval of Information Collection: Report of Inspections Required by Airworthiness Directives

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

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

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, FAA invites public comments about our intention to request the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval to renew an information collection. Airworthiness Directives (ADs) are regulations issued to require correct corrective action to correct unsafe conditions in aircraft, engines, propellers, and appliances. Reports of inspections are often needed when emergency corrective action is taken to determine if the action was adequate to correct the unsafe condition. The respondents are aircraft owners and operators. Currently, FAA has blanket Paperwork Reduction Act approval from OMB for all ADs with information collection requirements. Per OMB's request, this collection is being converted to a generic information collection requirest, which will require FAA to submit individual ADs to OMB for approval prior to their release.

**DATES:** Written comments should be submitted by [INSERT DATE 60 DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

ADDRESSES: Send comments to the FAA at the following address: Ms. Kathy DePaepe, Room 126B, Federal Aviation Administration, AES-200, 6500 S. MacArthur Blvd, Oklahoma City, OK 73169. PUBLIC COMMENTS INVITED: You are asked to comment on any aspect of this information collection, including (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for FAA's performance; (b) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (c) ways for FAA to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information collection; and (d) ways that the burden could be minimized without reducing the quality of the collected information. The agency will summarize and/or include your comments in the request for OMB's clearance of this information collection.

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**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Kathy DePaepe at (405) 954-9362, or by e-mail at:

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** 

**OMB Control Number:** 2120-0056

**Title:** Report of Inspections Required by Airworthiness Directives

Form Numbers: There are no FAA forms associated with this collection.

**Type of Review:** Renewal of an information collection; conversion to generic information collection

request.

**Background:** Title 14 CFR part 39, Airworthiness Directives (AD), authorized by §§ 40113(a), 44701,

and 44702 of Title 49 United States Code, prescribes how the FAA issues ADs. The FAA issues ADs

when an unsafe condition is discovered on a specific aircraft type. If the condition is serious enough and

more information is needed to develop corrective action, specific information may be required from

aircraft owners/operators. If it is necessary for the aircraft manufacturer or airworthiness authority to

evaluate the information, owners/operators will be instructed to send the information to them.

**Respondents:** Approximately 1,120 aircraft owners/operators.

**Frequency:** Information is collected on occasion.

**Estimated Average Burden per Response:** 5 minutes.

**Estimated Total Annual Burden:** 3,080 hours.

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