

for reporting and drawing funds: 97.030, Community Disaster Loans; 97.031, Cora Brown Fund; 97.032, Crisis Counseling; 97.033, Disaster Legal Services; 97.034, Disaster Unemployment Assistance (DUA); 97.046, Fire Management Assistance Grant; 97.048, Disaster Housing Assistance to Individuals and Households In Presidentially Declared Disaster Areas; 97.049, Presidentially Declared Disaster Assistance—Disaster Housing Operations for Individuals and Households; 97.050, Presidentially Declared Disaster Assistance to Individuals and Households—Other Needs; 97.036, Disaster Grants—Public Assistance (Presidentially Declared Disasters); 97.039, Hazard Mitigation Grant.

**R. David Paulison,**

*Administrator, Federal Emergency Management Agency.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**

**U.S. Customs and Border Protection**

**Accreditation and Approval of Certispec Services USA, Inc., as a Commercial Gauger and Laboratory**

**AGENCY:** U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security.

**ACTION:** Notice of accreditation and approval of Certispec Services USA, Inc., as a commercial gauger and laboratory.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to 19 CFR 151.12 and 19 CFR 151.13, Certispec Services USA, Inc., 1448 Texas Avenue, Texas City, TX 77590, has been approved to gauge and accredited to test petroleum and petroleum products, organic chemicals and vegetable oils for customs purposes, in accordance with the provisions of 19 CFR 151.12 and 19 CFR 151.13. Anyone wishing to employ this entity to conduct laboratory analyses and gauger services should request and receive written assurances from the entity that it is accredited or approved by the U.S. Customs and Border Protection to conduct the specific test or gauger service requested. Alternatively, inquiries regarding the specific test or gauger service this entity is accredited or approved to perform may be directed to the U.S. Customs and Border Protection by calling (202) 344–1060. The inquiry may also be sent to [cbp.labhq@dhs.gov](mailto:cbp.labhq@dhs.gov). Please reference the Web site listed below for a complete listing of CBP approved gaugers and accredited laboratories.

[http://cbp.gov/xp/cgov/import/operations\\_support/labs\\_scientific\\_svcs/commercial\\_gaugers/](http://cbp.gov/xp/cgov/import/operations_support/labs_scientific_svcs/commercial_gaugers/).

**DATES:** The accreditation and approval of Certispec Services USA, Inc., as commercial gauger and laboratory became effective on July 22, 2008. The next triennial inspection date will be scheduled for July 2011.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Randall Breaux, Laboratories and Scientific Services, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Suite 1500N, Washington, DC 20229, 202–344–1060.

Dated: October 16, 2008.

**Ira S. Reese,**

*Executive Director, Laboratories and Scientific Services.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**

**U.S. Customs and Border Protection**

**Approval of Oiltest, Inc., as a Commercial Gauger**

**AGENCY:** U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security.

**ACTION:** Notice of approval of Oiltest, Inc., as a commercial gauger.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to 19 CFR 151.13, Oiltest, Inc., 4333 50th Street South, Tampa, FL 33619, has been approved to gauge petroleum, petroleum products, organic chemicals and vegetable oils for customs purposes, in accordance with the provisions of 19 CFR 151.13. Anyone wishing to employ this entity to conduct gauger services should request and receive written assurances from the entity that it is approved by the U.S. Customs and Border Protection to conduct the specific gauger service requested. Alternatively, inquiries regarding the specific gauger service this entity is approved to perform may be directed to the U.S. Customs and Border Protection by calling (202) 344–1060. The inquiry may also be sent to [cbp.labhq@dhs.gov](mailto:cbp.labhq@dhs.gov). Please reference the Web site listed below for a complete listing of CBP approved gaugers and accredited laboratories.

[http://cbp.gov/xp/cgov/import/operations\\_support/labs\\_scientific\\_svcs/commercial\\_gaugers/](http://cbp.gov/xp/cgov/import/operations_support/labs_scientific_svcs/commercial_gaugers/).

**DATES:** The approval of Oiltest, Inc., as commercial gauger became effective on July 24, 2008. The next triennial inspection date will be scheduled for July 2011.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Randall Breaux, Laboratories and Scientific Services, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Suite 1500N, Washington, DC 20229, 202–344–1060.

Dated: October 16, 2008.

**Ira S. Reese,**

*Executive Director, Laboratories and Scientific Services.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**

**U.S. Customs and Border Protection**

**Approval of Omni Hydrocarbon Measurement, as a Commercial Gauger**

**AGENCY:** U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security.

**ACTION:** Notice of approval of Omni Hydrocarbon Measurement, as a commercial gauger.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to 19 CFR 151.13, Omni Hydrocarbon Measurement, 914 Kennings Ave., Crosby, TX 77532, has been approved to gauge petroleum, petroleum products, organic chemicals and vegetable oils for customs purposes, in accordance with the provisions of 19 CFR 151.13. Anyone wishing to employ this entity to conduct gauger services should request and receive written assurances from the entity that it is approved by the U.S. Customs and Border Protection to conduct the specific gauger service requested. Alternatively, inquiries regarding the specific gauger service this entity is approved to perform may be directed to the U.S. Customs and Border Protection by calling (202) 344–1060. The inquiry may also be sent to [cbp.labhq@dhs.gov](mailto:cbp.labhq@dhs.gov). Please reference the website listed below for a complete listing of CBP approved gaugers and accredited laboratories.

[http://cbp.gov/xp/cgov/import/operations\\_support/labs\\_scientific\\_svcs/commercial\\_gaugers/](http://cbp.gov/xp/cgov/import/operations_support/labs_scientific_svcs/commercial_gaugers/).

**DATES:** The approval of Omni Hydrocarbon Measurement, as commercial gauger became effective on February 13, 2008. The next triennial inspection date will be scheduled for February 2011.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Randall Breaux, Laboratories and Scientific Services, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, 1300 Pennsylvania

Avenue, NW., Suite 1500N,  
Washington, DC 20229, 202-344-1060.

Dated: October 16, 2008.

**Ira S. Reese,**

*Executive Director, Laboratories and  
Scientific Services.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND  
URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

[Docket No. FR-5191-N-36]

**Notice of Proposed Information  
Collection: Comment Request Local  
Appeals to Single Family Mortgage  
Limits**

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant  
Secretary for Housing, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The proposed information  
collection requirement described below  
will be submitted to the Office of  
Management and Budget (OMB) for  
review, as required by the Paperwork  
Reduction Act. The Department is  
soliciting public comments on the  
subject proposal.

**DATES:** *Comments Due Date: December  
22, 2008.*

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are  
invited to submit comments regarding  
this proposal. Comments should refer to  
the proposal by name and/or OMB  
Control Number and should be sent to:  
Lillian Deitzer, Departmental Reports  
Management Officer, QDAM,  
Department of Housing and Urban  
Development, 451 7th Street, SW.,  
Washington, DC 20410; e-mail  
*Lillian\_L\_Deitzer@HUD.gov* or  
telephone (202) 402-8048.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**  
Program Contact, Director, Office of  
Single Family Program Development,  
Department of Housing and Urban  
Development, 451 7th Street SW.,  
Washington, DC 20410, telephone (202)  
708-2121 (this is not a toll free number)  
for copies of the proposed forms and  
other available information.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The  
Department is submitting the proposed  
information collection to OMB for  
review, as required by the Paperwork  
Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C.  
Chapter 35, as amended).

This Notice is soliciting comments  
from members of the public and affected  
agencies concerning the proposed  
collection of information to: (1) Evaluate  
whether the proposed collection is  
necessary for the proper performance of  
the functions of the agency, including

whether the information will have  
practical utility; (2) Evaluate the  
accuracy of the agency's estimate of the  
burden of the proposed collection of  
information; (3) Enhance the quality,  
utility, and clarity of the information to  
be collected; and (4) Minimize the  
burden of the collection of information  
on those who are to respond; including  
the use of appropriate automated  
collection techniques or other forms of  
information technology, e.g., permitting  
electronic submission of responses.

This Notice also lists the following  
information:

*Title of Proposal:* Local Appeals to  
Single Family Mortgage Limits.

*OMB Control Number, if applicable:*  
2502-0302.

1. *Description of the need for the  
information and proposed use:* Any  
interested party may submit a request  
for the mortgage limits to be increased  
in a particular area if they believe that  
the present limit does not accurately  
reflect the higher sales prices in that  
area. Any request for an increase must  
be accompanied by sufficient housing  
sales price data to justify higher limits.  
Typically, this data includes housing  
sales data extracted from multiple  
listing services (MLS) that includes all  
or nearly all one-family and  
condominium sales in the area for a  
specified period of time, deleting all  
non-arms length sales and sales  
involving two or more family units.

This data should be categorized as  
shown in the table below in a listing of  
all, or nearly all, of the one-family  
properties sold in the area for a period  
of time, depending on the volume of  
sales. HUD uses the information  
collected to determine whether an  
increase is warranted.

Sales volume	Revised data period (month)
500 or more per month .....	1
250 to 499 per month .....	2
250 or less per month .....	3

These requests are usually submitted  
by housing industry groups, such as  
homebuilders, realtors, and mortgage  
lenders. Most often, the housing sales  
price data is necessary to support a  
request for a higher mortgage limit that  
may be obtained from existing local  
industry sources, such as the real estate  
multiple listing services.

The request for an increase to the  
mortgage limit is required to obtain  
benefits.

*Agency form numbers, if applicable:*  
None.

*Estimation of the total numbers of  
hours needed to prepare the information  
collection including number of  
respondents, frequency of response, and  
hours of response:* The number of  
burden hours annually is 31,000. The  
number of respondents is 4500, the  
number of responses is 4500, the  
frequency of response is averaged one  
per respondent, and the burden hour  
per response is 7.

*Status of the proposed information  
collection:* This is a renewal of OMB  
Control Number 2502-0302.

**Authority:** The Paperwork Reduction Act  
of 1995, 44 U.S.C., Chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: October 15, 2008.

**Ronald Y. Spraker,**

*Acting General Deputy Assistant Secretary  
for Housing—Deputy Federal Housing  
Commissioner.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND  
URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

[Docket No. FR-5130-N-34]

**Privacy Act of 1974; Notice of  
Matching Program Between the United  
States Department of Housing and  
Urban Development (HUD) and the  
United States Department of  
Agriculture Rural Housing Service  
(RHS)**

**AGENCY:** Office of the Chief Information  
Officer, HUD.

**ACTION:** Notice of a Computer Matching  
Program between HUD and the  
Department of Agriculture RHS.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the Computer  
Matching and Privacy Protection Act of  
1988, as amended, and the Office of  
Management and Budget's (OMB)  
Guidance on the statute, HUD is  
announcing a new matching program  
involving comparisons between data  
provided by participants in HUD's  
assisted housing programs and  
applicants for RHS's rural housing  
programs. The matching program will  
be carried out to identify individuals  
who are receiving excess or duplicate  
housing assistance as a result of  
Hurricanes Katrina and Rita.

The matching program will be  
accomplished by comparing information  
from HUD's systems of records known  
as (1) the Tenant Housing Assistance  
and Contract Verification Data (HUD/H-  
11 and (2) the Inventory Management  
System, previously the Public and  
Indian Housing Information Center  
(HUD/PIH-4), with disaster emergency  
assistance data maintained by RHS