PART 602—OMB CONTROL NUMBERS UNDER THE PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT

Par. 9. The authority citation for part 602 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 26 U.S.C. 7805.

Par. 10. Section 602.101 (c) is amended by adding the following entries in numerical order to the table to read as follows:

§ 602.101 OMB Control numbers.

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CFR part or section where identified and described				Current OMB con- trol number
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Margaret Milner Richardson,

Commissioner of Internal Revenue. Approved: November 22, 1994.

Leslie B. Samuels,

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.
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FEDERAL MEDIATION AND CONCILIATION SERVICE

29 CFR Part 1425

Mediation Assistance in the Federal Sector

AGENCY: Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This final rule is published in order to renew *Form F–53*, *Notice to Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service.*

Pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service submitted its final rule to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) on November 2, 1994 and received its approval on November 23, 1994 for the use of F–53 through November 30, 1997. **EFFECTIVE DATE:** February 9, 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Eileen Hoffman, (202) 653–5305. SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: November 4, 1994, FMCS published a notice of proposed rulemaking in the **Federal Register** (59 FR 55268). This notice was published in order to extend FMCS Form F–53, which is used for

notification of contract expirations or reopener in the Federal service, and to revise the text of 29 CFR 1425, which accompanies the illustration of Form F–53 in the agency's regulations (29 CFR 1425.2).

Form F–53 is made available to assist Federal agencies and labor organizations to obtain FMCS services, as provided for in the Title 5 U.S.C. Section 7119(a). The revision of Form F–53 allows parties to more clearly and accurately state the service requested and arranges information in a manner which aids in entry of data into FMCS computer records. The revised version of Form F–53 is shown below in this rule for purposes of identification.

A summary of information pertaining to Form F–53 is as follows:

Form number: FMCS F-53, OMB 3076-0005.

Frequency: On occasion.
Respondent: Parties to a Federal
Sector dispute or grievance.

Obligation: Voluntary.

Binder: Approximately 600 responses per year; approximately 100 reporting hours per year; approximately 15 minutes per response.

Need and Use: The information is needed to advise FMCS of Federal Sector disputes pursuant to 29 CFR Part 1425 paragraph 1425.3. It is used in order to make assignments of cases to FMCS mediators.

Comments: No comments were received on the proposed form as it is no change from existing form.

Executive Order 12291

This rule is not a "major rule" under Executive Order 12291 because it is not likely to result in (1) an annual effect on the economy of \$100 million or more; (2) a major increase in costs or prices for consumers, individual industries, Federal, State or local government agencies, or geographic regions; or (3) a significant decline in productivity, innovation, or the ability of United States-based enterprises to compete with foreign-based enterprises in domestic or export markets.

Accordingly, no regulatory impact analysis is required.

Paperwork Reduction Act Notice

The collection of information in this rule was submitted to the Office of Management and Budget under section 3504(h) of the Paperwork Reduction Act [44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq.]. Comments regarding any aspect of this information collection should be submitted to the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, 2100 K Street, NW., Washington, DC 20427, Attention: Eileen B. Hoffman, and the Office of

Management and Budget, Attention: Desk Officer for FMCS, OMB room 3001, Washington, DC 20503.

Regulatory Flexibility Act Certification

The FMCS finds that this rule will have no significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities within the meaning of section 3(a) of the Regulatory Flexibility Act, Pub. L. 96–354, 94 Stat. 1164 [5 U.S.C. 605(g)], and will so certify to the Chief Counsel for Advocacy of the Small Business Administration. This conclusion has been reached because the proposed rule does not, in itself, impose any additional economic requirements upon small entities. Accordingly, no regulatory flexibility analysis is required.

List of Subjects in 29 CFR Part 1425

Administrative practice and procedure, collective bargaining, Labormanagement relations.

Dated: December 14, 1994.

John Calhoun Wells,

Director, FMCS.

Accordingly, 29 CFR Part 1425 is amended as follows:

PART 1425—MEDIATION ASSISTANCE IN THE FEDERAL SERVICE

1. The authority citation for 29 CFR Part 1425 is revised to read as follows:

Authority: 5 U.S.C. 581(8), 7119, 7134.

2. Section 1425.2 is revised to read as follows:

§ 1425.2 Notice to the Service of agreement negotiations.

(a) In order that the Service may provide assistance to the parties, the party initiating negotiations shall file a notice with the FMCS Notice Processing Unit, 2100 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20427, at least 30 days prior to the expiration or modification date of an existing agreement, or 30 days prior to the reopener date of an existing agreement. In the case of an initial agreement the notice shall be filed within 30 days after commencing negotiations.

(b) Parties engaging in mid-term or impact and/or implementation bargaining are encouraged to send a notice to FMCS if assistance is desired. Such notice may be sent by either party or may be submitted jointly. In regard to such notices a brief listing should be general in nature e.g., smoking policies, or Alternative Work Schedules (AWS).

(c) Parties requesting grievance mediation must send a request signed by both the union and the agency involved. Receipt of such request does