

Department of Agriculture

Staff Assistant to the Chief, Natural Resources Conservation Service. Effective May 6, 1998.

Confidential Assistant to the Chief Financial Officer. Effective May 6, 1998.

Confidential Assistant to the Administrator, Economic Research Service. Effective May 19, 1998.

Department of Commerce

Senior Advisor to the Director, Office of Business Liaison. Effective May 12, 1998.

Director of Planning and Scheduling to the Deputy Chief of Staff for External Affairs. Effective May 12, 1998.

Director, Secretariat for Electronic Commerce to the Assistant to the Secretary and Director, Office of Policy and Strategic Planning. Effective May 22, 1998.

Deputy Director of Advance to the Director of Advance, Office of External Affairs. Effective May 26, 1998.

Department of Defense

Special Assistant for Health Care Policy to the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Legislative Affairs. Effective May 15, 1998.

Department of Education

Director, Corporate Liaison to the Assistant Secretary, Office of Intergovernmental and Interagency Affairs. Effective May 6, 1998.

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Intergovernmental and Constituent Relations to the Assistant Secretary, Office of Intergovernmental and Interagency Affairs. Effective May 21, 1998.

Department of Energy

Special Assistant for External Programs to the Director, Office of Nuclear Energy, Science and Technology. Effective May 13, 1998.

Department of Health and Human Services

Deputy Chief of Staff to the Chief of Staff. Effective May 6, 1998.

Congressional Liaison Specialist to the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Legislation (Congressional Liaison). Effective May 21, 1998.

Deputy Director for Operations to the Director of Intergovernmental Affairs. Effective May 21, 1998.

Deputy Director for Policy to the Director of Intergovernmental Affairs. Effective May 21, 1998.

Department of the Interior

Special Assistant to the Director, Bureau of Land Management. Effective May 6, 1998.

Communications Director to the Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs. Effective May 20, 1998.

Special Assistant to the Director, Office of Communications. Effective May 21, 1998.

Department of Labor

Special Assistant to the Secretary of Labor. Effective May 8, 1998.

Department of State

Staff Assistant to the Senior Advisor to the Secretary and White House Liaison. Effective May 14, 1998.

Protocol Assistant to the Deputy Chief of Protocol. Effective May 22, 1998.

Federal Trade Commission

Special Assistant to the Commissioner. Effective May 27, 1998.

General Services Administration

Special Assistant to the Regional Administrator, Great Lakes Region. Effective May 22, 1998.

Office of Management and Budget

Staff Assistant to the Director, Office of Management and Budget. Effective May 6, 1998.

Office of National Drug Control Policy

Press Relations Assistant (Typing) to the Chief of Press Relations, Office of Public Affairs. Effective May 12, 1998.

Office of Personnel Management

Confidential Assistant to the Chief of Staff. Effective May 12, 1998.

Special Assistant to the Chief of Staff. Effective May 12, 1998.

Office of the United States Trade Representative

Congressional Affairs Specialist to the Assistant United States Trade Representative for Congressional Affairs. Effective May 13, 1998.

Small Business Administration

Deputy Assistant Administrator for Congressional and Legislative Affairs to the Assistant Administrator for Congressional and Legislative Affairs. Effective May 14, 1998.

Special Assistant to the Associate Deputy Administrator for Capital Access. Effective May 14, 1998.

Special Assistant to the Senior Advisor to the Administrator. Effective May 22, 1998.

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Office of Personnel Management.

Janice R. Lachance,

Director.

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RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD**Agency Forms Submitted for OMB Review**

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35), the Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) has submitted the following proposal(s) for the collection of information to the Office of Management and Budget for review and approval.

Summary of Proposal(s)

(1) *Collection title:* Earnings Information Request.

(2) *Form(s) submitted:* G-19-F.

(3) *OMB Number:* 3220-0184.

(4) *Expiration date of current OMB clearance:* 9/30/1998.

(5) *Type of request:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

(6) *Respondents:* Individuals or households.

(7) *Estimated annual number of respondents:* 1,500.

(8) *Total annual responses:* 1,500.

(9) *Total annual reporting hours:* 200.

(10) *Collection description:* Under Section 2 of the Railroad Retirement Act, an annuity is not payable or is reduced for any month(s) in which the beneficiary works for a railroad or earns more than prescribed amounts. The collection obtains earnings information not previously or erroneously reported by a beneficiary.

Additional Information or Comments: Copies of the form and supporting documents can be obtained from Chuck Mierzwa, the agency clearance officer (312-751-3363). Comments regarding the information collection should be addressed to Ronald J. Hodapp, Railroad Retirement Board, 844 North Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611-2092 and the OMB reviewer, Laura Oliven (202-395-7316), Office of Management and Budget, Room 10230, New Executive Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20503.

Chuck Mierzwa,

Clearance Officer.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Investment Company Act Release No. 23295; 812-11106]

First American Investment Funds, Inc. et al.; Notice of Application

June 30, 1998.

AGENCY: Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC").