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From: Johnson, Beverly(M/AS/IRD)
Sent: Monday, September 24, 2007 3:43 PM
To: 'Rottmund, Helen'
Subject: Proposed Partner Information Form
Attachments: OMB - Partner Information Form - Proposed.doc

Dear Ms. Rottmund,

As requested, attached is the Partner Information Form. Also, for your information, the Federal Register notice will be republished for comment.

Sincerely,

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From: Johnson, Beverly(M/AS/IRD)
Sent: Friday, August 17, 2007 11:34 AM
To: 'Rottmund, Helen'
Subject: RE: USAID Proposed Partner Vetting System - Federal Register Notices July 17th, 20th and 23rd
Attachments: OMB - Federal Register Notice - System of Records - Partner Vetting System.doc

Dear Ms. Rottmund,

Further to our phone discussion of yesterday.

When available, I will send you via e-mail the Information Collection form.

Also, attached is the System of Records Notice for the proposed Partner Vetting System.

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From: Rottmund, Helen [mailto:hkrothm@crs.org]
Sent: Thursday, August 16, 2007 5:12 PM
To: Johnson, Beverly(M/AS/IRD)
Cc: Rottmund, Helen
Subject: USAID Proposed Partner Vetting System - Federal Register Notices July 17th, 20th and 23rd

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Catholic Relief Services asks that USAID conduct a public forum enabling USAID recipients/partners to discuss this proposed new rule and system. In talking among ourselves, the recipient community has many similar questions and needs for clarification on the proposed new rule and system which can best be accommodated in a public dialogue forum. This should take place before the initial comment due date of August 27th. Please confirm whether USAID will accommodate this request.

Questions on the three Federal Register notices I have on which I would appreciate your facilitating responses:

1.) July 17th Fed Reg notice. Comments due August 27 and system to be effective the same day. Will not comments be considered before the system becomes effective?

2.) The three Fed Reg notice have different comment due dates (8/27, 9/18, 9/21). Will not the implementation or effective date of the system be adjusted until all comments are received, considered or incorporated? When does USAID plan for the system to become effective? When will we see the information collection form in solicitation notices?

3.) Partners cannot comment on the system until we know the exact data collection details of the proposed information collection form. Request that you adjust your comment period to reconcile with availability of the information collection form.

As discussed on the phone you will send me via email when available:

1.) The information collection form (anticipated to be available in the next two weeks after mission input comes in next week)

2.) A copy of the System of Records Notice

CRS will be submitting formal comments on the Federal Register notices.

Regards.

Helen K. Rottmund

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