

Dear Dana Outlaw:

Thank you for submitting comments to Federal Register listing FNS-2015-0018-0001, Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposals, Submissions, and Approvals: Food Program and Reporting System on behalf of the South Carolina Department of Social Services. This is a response from the Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) to your comments regarding burden hours and cost. All other relevant comments are addressed in the Supporting Statement for this Information Collection Request. The Supporting Statement will be publicly available upon approval by the Office of Management and Budget.

**Comment:** “This is an extreme amount of data to gather for one person to be responsible for gathering from various divisions/program areas and submitting. I think it would be much easier and less error prone if report could be submitted monthly or at least quarterly instead of yearly.”

**FNS Response:** “Annual reporting for this form is mandated at 7 CFR 272.2(e). Frequency of reporting, therefore, cannot be modified as part of this information collection request. Modification of the FNS-366B reporting period is part of a separate FNS rulemaking package. This rulemaking contains the additional burden hours that any modification may necessitate.

Thank you again for your submission,