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Dated: March 19, 2002.

**Madeleine Clayton,**

*Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer,  
Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Economics and Statistics Administration

#### Decennial Census Advisory Committee

**AGENCY:** Economics and Statistics Administration, Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. Appendix 2, section 10(a)(b), the Bureau of the Census (Census Bureau) is giving notice of a meeting of the Decennial Census Advisory Committee. The Committee will address issues related to 2010 decennial planning, development, and testing, as well as the American Community Survey and other related decennial programs. Last-minute changes to the schedule are possible, which could prevent us from giving advance notification.

**DATES:** May 2-3, 2002. On May 2, the meeting will begin approximately 8:45 a.m. and end approximately 5:15 p.m. On May 3, the meeting will begin approximately 8:45 a.m. and end approximately 1:45 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held in the Francis Amasa Walker Conference Center, U.S. Census Bureau, 4700 Silver Hill Road, Federal Office Building 3, Suitland, MD 20746.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jeri Green, Committee Liaison Officer, Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau, Room 3627, Federal Office Building 3, Washington, DC 20233, telephone 301-457-2075, TDD 301-457-2540.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Decennial Census Advisory Committee is composed of a Chair, Vice-Chair, and up to 40 member organizations, all appointed by the Secretary of Commerce. The Commerce considers the goals of the decennial census and users' needs for information provided by the decennial census. The Committee provides an outside user perspective about how research and design plans for the 2010 decennial census, and the

development of the American Community Survey and related programs, will realize those goals and satisfy those needs. The members of the Advisory Committee will draw on their experience with Census 2000 planning and operational processes, results of research studies, test censuses, and results of the Census 2000 evaluation program to provide input on the design and related operations of the 2010 decennial census, the American Community Survey, and other related programs.

A brief period will be set aside at the meeting for public comment. However, individuals with extensive statements for the record must submit them in writing to the Census Bureau Committee Liaison Officer, named above, at least three working days prior to the meeting. Seating is available to the public on a first-come, first-served basis.

The meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to the Census Bureau Committee Liaison Officer.

Dated: March 15, 2002.

**Kathleen B. Cooper,**

*Under Secretary for Economic Affairs,  
Economics and Statistics Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Bureau of Export Administration

#### Proposed Information Collection; Comment Request; National Security and Critical Technology Assessment of the U.S. Industrial Base

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Export Administration, Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)).

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted on or before May 21, 2002.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all written comments to Madeleine Clayton, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, (202) 482-3129, Department of Commerce, Room 6608, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument(s) and instructions should be directed to Dawnielle Battle, BXA ICB Liaison, (202) 482-0637, Department of Commerce, Room 6883, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Abstract

The Department of Commerce/BXA, in coordination with other government agencies and private entities, conduct assessments of U.S. industries deemed critical to our national security. The information gathered is needed to assess the health and competitiveness as well as the needs of the targeted industry sector in order to maintain a strong U.S. industrial base.

##### II. Method of Collection

Written response.

##### III. Data

*OMB Number:* 0694-0119.

*Form Number:* None.

*Type of Review:* Regular submission.

*Affected Public:* Individuals, businesses or other for-profit organizations, and not-for-profit institutions.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 6,000.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* 4 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 24,000.

*Estimated Total Annual Cost:* \$0.

##### IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they will also become a matter of public record.