

*Affected Public:* Individual, Businesses and other for-profit organizations.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 6.

*Estimated Time per Respondent:* 40 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden*

*Hours:* 280.

*Title:* Identity Theft Affidavit; Declaración Jurada sobre el Robo de Identidad.

*OMB Number:* 1545–2139.

*Form Number:* Form 14039 and Form 14039–SP.

*Abstract:* The primary purpose of these forms is to provide a method of reporting identity theft issues to the IRS so that the IRS may document situations where individuals are or may be victims of identity theft. Additional purposes include the use in the determination of proper tax liability and to relieve taxpayer burden. The information may be disclosed only as provided by 26 U.S.C 6103.

*Current Actions:* There is no change in the paperwork burden previously approved by OMB. This form is being submitted for renewal purposes only.

*Type of Review:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or Households.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 100,000.

*Estimated Time per Respondent:* 15 minutes.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden*

*Hours:* 25,000.

The following paragraph applies to all of the collections of information covered by this notice:

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless the collection of information displays a valid OMB control number.

Approved: July 19, 2012.

**Yvette B. Lawrence,**

*IRS Reports Clearance Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### United States Mint

#### Price for the 2012 American Eagle Silver Proof Coin

**AGENCY:** United States Mint, Department of the Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The United States Mint is lowering the price of the 2012 American Eagle Silver Proof Coin. The product will now be offered for sale at a price of \$54.95.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** B. B. Craig, Associate Director for Sales and Marketing; United States Mint; 801 9th Street NW; Washington, DC 20220; or call 202–354–7500.

**Authority:** 31 U.S.C. 5111, 5112 & 9701.

Dated: July 17, 2012.

**Richard A. Peterson,**

*Deputy Director, United States Mint.*

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## U.S.-CHINA ECONOMIC AND SECURITY REVIEW COMMISSION

### Notice of Open Meetings To Prepare and Release 2012 Annual Report to Congress

*Advisory Committee:* U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of open meetings.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given of meetings of the U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission.

*Name:* Dennis C. Shea, Chairman of the U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission.

The Commission will meet in Washington, DC as follows: (1) Review-Edit 2012 Annual Report to Congress—August 1–2, September 12–13, October 11–12, and October 23–24, and (2) Official Public Release of Commission's Annual Report—November 14, 2012.

The Commission is mandated by Congress to investigate, assess, evaluate and report to Congress annually on the U.S.-China economic and security relationship. The mandate specifically charges the Commission to prepare a report to Congress “regarding the national security implications and impact of the bilateral trade and economic relationship between the United States and the People’s Republic of China [that] shall include a full analysis, along with conclusions and recommendations for legislative and administrative actions \* \* \*”

#### Purpose of Meetings

Pursuant to this mandate, the Commission will meet in Washington, DC on August 1–2, September 12–13, October 11–12, and October 23–24, 2012 to consider drafts of material for its 2012 Annual Report to Congress that have been prepared for its consideration by the Commission staff, and to make modifications to those drafts that Commission members believe are needed; and release the final Annual Report to the public on November 14, 2012.

The report review-editing sessions are for members of the Commission to review and edit staff drafts of sections of the Commission’s 2012 Annual Report for submission to Congress. The Commission is subject to the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) with the enactment of the Science, State, Justice, Commerce and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006 that was signed into law on November 22, 2005 (Pub. L. 109–108). In accord with FACA’s requirement, meetings of the Commission to make decisions concerning the substance and recommendations of its 2012 Annual Report to Congress are open to the public.

#### Topics To Be Discussed

The Commissioners will be considering draft report sections addressing the following topics:

- The United States-China trade and economic relationship, including its bilateral investment and the role of state-owned enterprises, intellectual property protection and its 5-year plan, technology transfers, and outsourcing.

- China’s activities directly affecting U.S. national security interests, including its area control military strategy, space developments, and intelligence activities and capabilities.

- China’s foreign and regional activities and relationships, including those pertaining to Taiwan and Hong Kong.

- China’s foreign and national security policies.

#### Dates and Times (Eastern Daylight Time)

- Wednesday, August 1, 2012 (10 a.m. to 5 p.m.)
- Thursday, August 2, 2012 (9 a.m. to 5 p.m.)
- Wednesday and Thursday, September 12–13, 2012 (9 a.m. to 5 p.m.)
- Thursday and Friday, October 11–12, 2012 (9 a.m. to 5 p.m.)
- Tuesday and Wednesday, October 23–24, 2012 (9 a.m. to 5 p.m.)
- Wednesday, November 14, 2012—

Official Press Conference to Release Final Report to the Public—Date, Time and Location will be announced in October on the Commission’s Web site at [www.uscc.gov](http://www.uscc.gov).

**ADDRESSES:** All report review-editing sessions will be held in The Hall of the States (North Bldg.) in Conference Room 231 (2nd floor) located at 444 North Capitol Street NW., Washington, DC 20001. The location for the Official Press Conference to release the final Annual Report to the public will be

announced on the Commission's Web site at [www.uscc.gov](http://www.uscc.gov) in October 2012.

Public seating is limited and will be available on a "first-come, first-served" basis. Advanced reservations are not required. All participants must register at the front desk of the lobby.

#### Required Accessibility Statement

The entirety of these Commission editorial and drafting meetings will be open to the public. The Commission may recess the public editorial/drafting sessions to address administrative issues in closed session.

The open meetings will also be adjourned in the noon vicinity for a lunch break. At the beginning of the lunch break, the Chairman will announce the reconvening time for the Annual Report review and editing session so members of the public will know when they may return if they wish to do so.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Gavin Williams, USCC Staff Assistant, U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission, 444 North Capitol Street NW., Suite 602, Washington, DC 20001; Phone: (202) 624-1407; Email: [gwilliams@uscc.gov](mailto:gwilliams@uscc.gov).

#### Authority

Congress created the U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission in 2000 in the National Defense Authorization Act (Pub. L. 106-398), as amended by Division P of the Consolidated Appropriations Resolution, 2003 (Pub. L. 108-7), as amended by Public Law 109-108 (November 22, 2005).

Dated: July 17, 2012.

#### Michael Danis,

*Executive Director, U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

[OMB Control No. 2900-0564]

### Proposed Information Collection Activity; Comment Request: Direct Deposit Enrollment

**AGENCY:** Veterans Benefits Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Veterans Benefits Administration (VBA), Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), is announcing an opportunity for public comment on the proposed collection of certain information by the agency. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, Federal agencies are required to publish notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed revision of a currently approved collection, and allow 60 days for public comment in response to the notice. This notice solicits comments on the information needed to enroll claimants receiving benefit payments into an electronic funds transfer program.

**DATES:** Written comments and recommendations on the proposed collection of information should be received on or before September 24, 2012.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit written comments on the collection of information through Federal Docket Management System (FDMS) at [www.Regulations.gov](http://www.Regulations.gov) or to Nancy J. Kessinger, Veterans Benefits Administration (20M35), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20420 or email to [nancy.kessinger@va.gov](mailto:nancy.kessinger@va.gov). Please refer to "OMB Control No. 2900-0564" in any correspondence. During the comment period, comments may be viewed online through FDMS.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Nancy J. Kessinger at (202) 632-8924 or FAX (202) 275-5947.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Under the PRA of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13; 44 U.S.C. 3501-3521), Federal agencies must obtain approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for each

collection of information they conduct or sponsor. This request for comment is being made pursuant to Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the PRA.

With respect to the following collection of information, VBA invites comments on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of VBA's functions, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of VBA's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or the use of other forms of information technology.

#### Titles

a. Direct Deposit Enrollment, VA Form 24-0296.

b. International Direct Deposit Enrollment, VA Form 24-0296a.

*OMB Control Number:* 2900-0564.

*Type of Review:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

*Abstract:* Claimants who wish to have their benefit payments electronically deposited into their financial institution account must complete the appropriate direct deposit form to enroll the electronic funds transfer program.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

#### Estimated Annual Burden

a. VA Form 24-0296—750 hours.

b. VA Form 24-0296a—500 hours.

*Estimated Average Burden per Respondent:* 15 minutes.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion.

#### Estimated Number of Respondents

a. VA Form 24-0296—3,000.

b. VA Form 24-0296a—2,000.

Dated: July 19, 2012.

By direction of the Secretary.

#### Denise McLamb,

*Program Analyst, Enterprise Records Service.*

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