

Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau, Room 8H185, 4600 Silver Hill Road, Washington, DC 20233, telephone 301-763-6590. For TTY callers, please use the Federal Relay Service 1-800-877-8339.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The members of the C-SAC are appointed by the Census Bureau's Director. The Committee provides scientific and technical expertise, as appropriate, to address Census Bureau program needs and objectives. The Committee has been established in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Title 5, United States Code, Appendix 2, Section 10).

All meetings are open to the public. A brief period will be set aside at the meeting for public comment on November 2. However, individuals with extensive questions or statements must submit them in writing to:

*census.scientific.advisory.committee@census.gov* (subject line "November 2015 C-SAC Virtual Meeting Public Comment"), or by letter submission to the Committee Liaison Officer, Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau, Room 8H185, 4600 Silver Hill Road, Washington, DC 20233.

Dated: October 15, 2015.

**John H. Thompson,**

*Director, Bureau of the Census.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Commerce will submit to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

*Agency:* Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA), Department of Commerce.

*Title:* Quarterly Survey of Financial Services Transactions between U.S. Financial Services Providers and Foreign Persons.

*OMB Control Number:* 0608-0065.

*Form Number:* BE-185.

*Type of Request:* Regular submission.

*Number of Responses:* 2,700 annually (675 filed each quarter; 550 reporting mandatory data, and 125 that would file other responses).

*Average Hours per Response:* 10 hours is the average for those reporting data and 1 hour is the average for those not reporting data or providing voluntary responses, but hours may vary considerably among respondents

because of differences in company size and complexity.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 22,500.

*Needs and Uses:* The Quarterly Survey of Financial Services Transactions between U.S. Financial Services Providers and Foreign Persons (BE-185) is a survey that collects data from U.S. financial services providers that engage in covered transactions with foreign persons in financial services. A U.S. person must report if it had sales of covered services to foreign persons that exceeded \$20 million for the previous fiscal year, or are expected to exceed that amount during the current fiscal year, or if it had purchases of covered services from foreign persons that exceeded \$15 million for the previous fiscal year, or are expected to exceed that amount during the current fiscal year.

The data collected on the survey are needed to monitor U.S. trade in services, to analyze the impact of U.S. trade on the U.S. and foreign economies, to compile and improve the U.S. economic accounts, to support U.S. commercial policy on trade in services, to conduct trade promotion, and to improve the ability of U.S. businesses to identify and evaluate market opportunities. The data are used in estimating the financial services component of the U.S. international transactions accounts and national income and product accounts.

The Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA) is proposing no additions and modifications to the current BE-185 survey. The effort to keep current reporting requirements unchanged is intended to minimize respondent burden while considering the needs of data users. Existing language in the instructions and definitions will be reviewed and adjusted as necessary to clarify survey requirements.

*Affected Public:* Businesses or other for-profit organizations.

*Frequency:* Quarterly.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Mandatory.

This information collection request may be viewed at [www.reginfo.gov](http://www.reginfo.gov). Follow the instructions to view the Department of Commerce collections currently under review by OMB.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to OIRA *Suybmission@omb.eop.gov* or faxed to (202) 395-5806.

Dated: October 14, 2015.

**Glenna Mickelson,**

*Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Economic Development Administration

#### Membership of the Economic Development Administration Performance Review Board

**AGENCY:** Economic Development Administration, Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of Membership on the Economic Development Administration's Performance Review Board.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with 5 U.S.C. § 4314(c)(4), the Economic Development Administration (EDA), Department of Commerce (DOC), announces the appointment of those individuals who have been selected to serve as members of EDA's Performance Review Board. The Performance Review Board is responsible for (1) reviewing performance appraisals and rating of Senior Executive Service (SES) members and (2) making recommendations to the appointing authority on other performance management issues, such as pay adjustments, bonuses and Presidential Rank Awards for SES members. The appointment of these members to the Performance Review Board will be for a period of twenty-four (24) months.

**DATES:** The period of appointment for those individuals selected for EDA's Performance Review Board begins on October 20, 2015.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jennifer Munz, U.S. Department of Commerce, Office of Human Resources Management, Office of Executive Resources, 14th and Constitution Avenue NW., Room 51010, Washington, DC 20230, at (202) 482-4051.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4), the Economic Development Administration (EDA), Department of Commerce (DOC), announces the appointment of those individuals who have been selected to serve as members of EDA's Performance Review Board. The Performance Review Board is responsible for (1) reviewing performance appraisals and rating of Senior Executive Service (SES) members and (2) making recommendations to the appointing authority on other performance management issues, such

as pay adjustments, bonuses and Presidential Rank Awards for SES members. The appointment of these members to the Performance Review Board will be for a period of twenty-four (24) months.

**DATES:** The period of appointment for those individuals selected for EDA's Performance Review Board begins on October 20, 2015. The name, position title, and type of appointment of each member of EDA's Performance Review Board are set forth below by organization:

1. *Department of Commerce, Office of the Secretary, Office of the General Counsel (OS/OGC)*  
Stephen D. Kong, Chief Counsel for Economic Development, Career SES, Chairperson
2. *Department of Commerce, Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA)*  
Edith J. McCloud, Associate Director for Management, Career SES
3. *Department of Commerce, Office of the Secretary (OS), Office of the Chief Financial Officer and Assistant Secretary for Administration (CFO/ASA)*  
Renee A. Macklin, Director for Program Evaluation and Risk Management, Career SES (New Member)
4. *Department of Commerce, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)*  
Russell F. Smith, III, Deputy Assistant Secretary for International Fisheries, Non-Career SES

**Denise A. Yaag,**

*Director, Office of Executive Resources, Office of Human Resources Management, Office of the Secretary/Office of the CFO/ASA, Department of Commerce.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**Economics and Statistics Administration**

**Performance Review Board Membership**

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Below is a listing of individuals who are eligible to serve on the Performance Review Board (PRB) in accordance with the Economics and Statistics Administration's (ESA) Senior Executive Service and Senior Professional performance management systems:

Kenneth A. Arnold, Deputy Under Secretary for Economic Affairs, ESA

Lisa M. Blumerman, Associate Director for Decennial Census Programs, Census Bureau

William G. Bostic, Jr., Associate Director for Economic Programs, Census Bureau  
Stephen B. Burke, Chief Financial Officer and Director for Administration, ESA  
Joanne Buenzli Crane, Associate Director for Administration and Chief Financial Officer, Census Bureau

Austin J. Durrer, Chief of Staff, ESA  
Susan Helper, Special Advisor, ESA

Ron S. Jarmin, Assistant Director for Research and Methodology, Census Bureau  
Enrique Lamas, Associate Director for Demographic Programs, Census Bureau  
Harry Lee, Assistant Director for Information Technology and Deputy Chief Information Officer, Census Bureau

Thomas A. Louis, Associate Director for Research and Methodology, Census Bureau  
Jennifer Madans, Associate Director for Science, Center for Disease Control and Prevention

Brent R. Moulton, Associate Director for National Economics, Bureau of Economic Analysis

Brian C. Moyer, Director, Bureau of Economic Analysis

Joel D. Platt, Associate Director for Regional Economics, Bureau of Economic Analysis  
Nancy A. Potok, Deputy Director, Census Bureau

Pravina A. Raghavan, Senior Advisor for Policy and Program Integration, Office of the Deputy Secretary

Angela Simpson, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Communications and Information, National Telecommunications and Information Administration

Jeannie L. Shiffer, Associate Director for Communications, Census Bureau

Sarahelen Thompson, Associate Director for International Economics, Bureau of Economic Analysis

Katherine K. Wallman, Chief Statistician, Office of Management and Budget

The purpose of a PRB is to provide fair and impartial review of recommended SES/ST performance ratings, bonuses, and pay adjustments and Presidential Rank Award nominations. The term of each PRB member will expire on December 31, 2017.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Latasha Ellis, Executive Resources Office, 301-763-3727.

Dated: October 12, 2015.

**Stephen B. Burke,**

*Chief Financial Officer and Director for Administration, Chair, ESA Performance Review Board.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**National Telecommunications and Information Administration**

**First Responder Network Authority**

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**Final Interpretations of Parts of the Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012**

**AGENCY:** First Responder Network Authority, National Telecommunications and Information Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice; final interpretations.

**SUMMARY:** The First Responder Network Authority ("FirstNet") publishes this *Notice* to issue final interpretations of its enabling legislation that will inform, among other things, forthcoming requests for proposals, interpretive rules, and network policies. The purpose of this *Notice* is to provide stakeholders FirstNet's interpretations on many of the key preliminary interpretations presented in the proposed interpretations published on March 13, 2015.

**DATES:** Effective October 20, 2015.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Eli Veenendaal, First Responder Network Authority, National Telecommunications and Information Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 12201 Sunrise Valley Drive, M/S 243, Reston, VA 20192; 703-648-4167; or [elijah.veenendaal@firstnet.gov](mailto:elijah.veenendaal@firstnet.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**I. Introduction and Background**

The Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012 (Pub. L. 112-96, Title VI, 126 Stat. 256 (codified at 47 U.S.C. 1401 *et seq.*)) (the "Act") established the First Responder Network Authority ("FirstNet") as an independent authority within the National Telecommunications and Information Administration ("NTIA"). The Act establishes FirstNet's duty and responsibility to take all actions necessary to ensure the building, deployment, and operation of a nationwide public safety broadband network ("NPSBN").<sup>1</sup>

One of FirstNet's initial steps in carrying out this responsibility pursuant to the Act is the issuance of open, transparent, and competitive requests for proposals ("RFPs") for the purposes of building, operating, and maintaining

<sup>1</sup> 47 U.S.C. 1426(b).