

3. *Type of submission:* Extension.
 4. *The form number, if applicable:* Not applicable.
 5. *How often the collection is required or requested:* On occasion. Defects and noncompliances are reportable as they occur.
 6. *Who will be required or asked to respond:* Individual directors and responsible officers of firms constructing, owning, operating, or supplying the basic components of any facility or activity licensed under the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, or the Energy Reorganization Act of 1974, as amended, to report immediately to the NRC the discovery of defects in basic components or failures to comply that could create a substantial safety hazard.
 7. *The estimated number of annual responses:* 800 (88 reporting responses + 357 third-party disclosure responses + 355 recordkeepers).
 8. *The estimated number of annual respondents:* 355.
 9. *The estimated number of hours needed annually to comply with the information collection requirement or request:* 32,083 (6,500 reporting hours + 25,215 hours recordkeeping + 368 hours third party disclosure).
 10. *Abstract:* Part 21 of title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations (10 CFR), requires each individual, corporation, partnership, commercial grade dedicating entity, or other entity subject to the regulations in this part to adopt appropriate procedures to evaluate deviations and failures to comply to determine whether a defect exists that could result in a substantial safety hazard. Depending upon the outcome of the evaluation, a report of the defect must be submitted to the NRC. Reports submitted under 10 CFR part 21 are reviewed by the NRC staff to determine whether the reported defects or failures

to comply in basic components at the NRC licensed facilities or activities are potentially generic safety problems. These reports have been the basis for the issuance of numerous NRC Generic Communications that have contributed to the improved safety of the nuclear industry. The records required to be maintained in accordance with 10 CFR part 21 are subject to inspection by the NRC to determine compliance with the subject regulation.

III. Specific Requests for Comments

- The NRC is seeking comments that address the following questions:
1. Is the proposed collection of information necessary for the NRC to properly perform its functions? Does the information have practical utility?
 2. Is the estimate of the burden of the information collection accurate?
 3. Is there a way to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected?
 4. How can the burden of the information collection on respondents be minimized, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology?

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 25th day of June 2019.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.
Kristen E. Benney,
Acting NRC Clearance Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

Excepted Service

AGENCY: Office of Personnel Management (OPM).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice identifies Schedule A, B, and C appointing authorities applicable to a single agency that were established or revoked from December 1, 2018 to December 31, 2018.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Julia Alford, Senior Executive Resources Services, Senior Executive Services and Performance Management, Employee Services, 202-606-2246.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with 5 CFR 213.103, Schedule A, B, and C appointing authorities available for use by all agencies are codified in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). Schedule A, B, and C appointing authorities applicable to a single agency are not codified in the CFR, but the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) publishes a notice of agency-specific authorities established or revoked each month in the **Federal Register** at www.gpo.gov/fdsys/. OPM also publishes an annual notice of the consolidated listing of all Schedule A, B, and C appointing authorities, current as of June 30, in the **Federal Register**.

Schedule A

No Schedule A Authorities to report during December 2018.

Schedule B

No Schedule B Authorities to report during December 2018.

Schedule C

The following Schedule C appointing authorities were approved during December 2018.

Agency name	Organization name	Position title	Authorization No.	Effective date
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE	Office of Rural Housing Service	Policy Advisor	DA190029	12/11/2018
		Congressional Advisor	DA190039	12/20/2018
	Farm Service Agency	State Executive Director	DA190028	12/20/2018
	Office of Natural Resources Conservation Service.	Policy Advisor	DA190021	12/17/2018
	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Congressional Relations.	Congressional Advisor	DA190030	12/11/2018
	Office of the Assistant To the Secretary for Rural Development.	Confidential Assistant	DA190037	12/20/2018
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ...	Office of the Secretary	Advance Lead	DA190020	12/17/2018
		Confidential Assistant	DA180178	12/20/2018
	Patent and Trademark Office	Special Advisor for Communications.	DC190021	12/17/2018
DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE	Office of Director General of the United States and Foreign Commercial Service and Assistant Secretary for Global Markets.	Senior Advisor for External Affairs	DC190031	12/20/2018
	Office of the Secretary of Defense	Protocol Officer	DD190021	12/20/2018
	Office of the General Counsel	Attorney-Advisor (General)	DD190022	12/20/2018

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION ...	Office of Communications and Outreach.	Confidential Assistant (3)	DB190028	12/12/2018
			DB190027	12/20/2018
			DB190041	12/20/2018
	Office of Elementary and Secondary Education.	Confidential Assistant (2)	DB190037	12/12/2018
			DB190044	12/20/2018
	Office of Legislation and Congressional Affairs.	Special Assistant	DB190032	12/11/2018
		Confidential Assistant	DB190030	12/13/2018
		Director, Office of Legislation and Congressional Affairs.	DB190049	12/21/2018
	Office of Postsecondary Education	Special Assistant	DB190016	12/03/2018
		Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services.	Special Assistant	DB190036
	Office of the Deputy Secretary	Confidential Assistant	DB190018	12/12/2018
		Confidential Assistant	DB190043	12/20/2018
	Office of the General Counsel	Attorney Adviser (4)	DB190038	12/03/2018
			DB190033	12/13/2018
			DB190031	12/17/2018
		DB190011	12/26/2018	
		DB190021	12/12/2018	
Office of the Secretary	Confidential Assistant (4)	DB190024	12/13/2018	
		DB190022	12/17/2018	
		DB190023	12/17/2018	
		DB190034	12/13/2018	
		DB190025	12/13/2018	
		DB190029	12/13/2018	
		DB190017	12/17/2018	
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY	Office of Scheduling and Advance Scheduling Coordinator	DE190029	12/20/2018	
	Office of Economic Impact and Diversity.	Senior Advisor on Minority Education.	DE180146	12/21/2018
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY.	Office of the Assistant Administrator for Land and Emergency Management.	Attorney-Adviser (General)	EP190014	12/20/2018
	Office of the Assistant Administrator for Water.	Attorney-Adviser (General)	EP190015	12/13/2018
	Office of the Associate Administrator for Congressional and Intergovernmental Relations.	Director for Oversight	EP190004	12/04/2018
		Special Advisor for the Office of Congressional Affairs.	EP180079	12/20/2018
GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION.	Region VII—Lenexa, Kansas	Renewable Fuels Advisor	EP190013	12/11/2018
	Office of Governmentwide Policy ...	Senior Advisor for Governmentwide Policy.	GS190012	12/20/2018
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES.	Office of the Secretary	Advisor	DH190026	12/11/2018
	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Legislation.	Deputy Assistant Secretary for Legislation for Discretionary (Public Health and Science).	DH190030	12/17/2018
	Office of Intergovernmental and External Affairs.	Regional Director, New York, New York, Region II.	DH180172	12/20/2018
DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY.	Office of the General Counsel	Oversight Counsel	DM190046	12/11/2018
	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Policy.	Confidential Assistant for Border, Immigration and Trade Policy.	DM190045	12/20/2018
	Office of United States Customs and Border Protection.	Oversight Counsel	DM190058	12/20/2018
DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT.	Office of the Administration	Advance Coordinator	DU190020	12/20/2018
	Office of Housing	Deputy Assistant Secretary for Operations.	DU190021	12/20/2018
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR	Office of the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.	Special Assistant	DI190005	12/13/2018
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	Office of the Solicitor	Counselor	DI190009	12/17/2018
	Office of Public Affairs	Chief Speechwriter and Media Affairs Specialist.	DJ190024	12/11/2018
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	Office of Bureau of International Labor Affairs.	Policy Advisor	DL180127	12/21/2018
OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET.	Office of Natural Resource Programs.	Confidential Assistant	BO190004	12/17/2018
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION.	Office of the Chairman	Senior Policy Adviser, Regulatory Reporting.	SE190001	12/11/2018
DEPARTMENT OF STATE	Office of Policy Planning	Staff Assistant	DS190015	12/17/2018
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Governmental Affairs.	Senior Governmental Affairs Officer.	DT180082	12/11/2018
	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Transportation Policy.	Director of Public Engagement	DT190005	12/13/2018

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS.	Office of the Secretary	Special Assistant for Strategic Initiatives.	DT190009	12/13/2018
	Office of the Secretary and Deputy	Senior Advisor	DT190007	12/17/2018
		White House Liaison	DV190013	12/11/2018
		Special Assistant	DV190014	12/11/2018

The following Schedule C appointing authorities were revoked during December 2018.

Agency name	Organization name	Position title	Request No.	Date vacated
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Congressional Relations.	Senior Advisor	DA170186	12/08/2018
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION ...	Office of the Secretary	Staff Assistant	DA180143	12/08/2018
	Office of Rural Housing Service	State Director—Florida	DA180074	12/09/2018
	Office of Elementary and Secondary Education.	Confidential Assistant	DB180045	12/08/2018
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY	Office of the Under Secretary	Special Assistant (Supervisory)	DB180008	12/22/2018
	Office of the Deputy Secretary	Confidential Assistant	DB180048	12/22/2018
	Office of the Secretary	Confidential Assistant	DB180049	12/22/2018
	Office of Management	Senior Congressional Correspondence Advisor.	DE180068	12/08/2018
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES.	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Congressional and Intergovernmental Affairs.	Director of External Affairs	DE170225	12/22/2018
	Office of National Nuclear Security Administration.	Director of Congressional Affairs ...	DE180110	12/22/2018
	Office of Economic Impact and Diversity.	Special Advisor	DE180033	12/22/2018
	Office of the Secretary of Energy Advisory Board.	Deputy Director, Office of Secretarial Boards and Councils.	DE180029	12/29/2018
DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT.	Office of Global Affairs	Chief of Staff	DH170307	12/08/2018
	Office of Administration for Children and Families.	Confidential Assistant	DH180164	12/18/2018
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	Office of the Secretary	Policy Advisor	DH180177	12/22/2018
	Office of Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity.	Senior Advisor	DU170159	12/09/2018
DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY.	Department of the Treasury	Media Affairs Specialist	DJ180036	12/15/2018
		Program Event Press Specialist	DJ180061	12/15/2018
		Deputy Chief of Staff	DY170145	12/10/2018
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Governmental Affairs.	Senior Governmental Affairs Officer.	DT180083	12/28/2018
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY.	Office of the Associate Administrator for Congressional and Intergovernmental Relations.	Special Assistant to the Deputy Associate Administrator for Congressional Relations.	EP170063	12/22/2018
SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION.	Office of Field Operations	Regional Administrator for Region X.	SB170045	12/11/2018
	Office of Administration	Director of Scheduling and External Affairs.	SB180014	12/21/2018

Authority: 5 U.S.C. 3301 and 3302; E.O. 10577, 3 CFR, 1954–1958 Comp., p. 218.

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