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Dated: July 9, 2019.

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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Notice of Public Meeting of the Florida Advisory Committee

AGENCY: U.S. Commission on Civil Rights.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights (Commission) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act that the Florida Advisory Committee will hold a meeting on Tuesday July 23, 2019; 10 a.m.–6 p.m. to hear testimony on Voter Suppression and Disenfranchisement Issues.

DATES: Tuesday, July 23, 2019; 10 a.m.–6 p.m. EST.

ADDRESSES: Broward County Main Library, 100 South Andrews Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT: Jeff Hinton, GFO, at jhinton@usccr.gov or (312) 353-8311.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Members of the public are invited to come in and listen to the discussion. Written comments will be accepted until August 23, 2019 and may be mailed to the Regional Program Unit Office, U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, 230 S. Dearborn, Suite 2120, Chicago, IL 60604. They may also be faxed to the Commission at (312) 353-8324 or may be emailed to the Regional Director, Jeff Hinton at jhinton@usccr.gov. Records of the meeting will be available via www.facadatabase.gov under the Commission on Civil Rights, Florida Advisory Committee link. Persons interested in the work of this Committee are directed to the Commission's website, <http://www.usccr.gov>, or may contact the Southern Regional Office at the above email or street address.

Agenda

- Opening Remarks and Introductions (10 a.m.–10:15 a.m.)
Panel 1: (10:15 a.m.–11:15 a.m.)
Panel 2: (11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.)
- Open Public Comment (12:30 p.m.–1 p.m.)
- Break (1 p.m.–2:30 p.m.)
Panel 3: (2:30 p.m.–3:30 p.m.)

Panel 4: (3:45 p.m.–4:45 p.m.)

- Open Public Comment (5 p.m.–6 p.m.)
- Closing Remarks (6 p.m.)

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Economic Analysis

Proposed Information Collection; Comment Request; Direct Investment Surveys: BE-577, Quarterly Survey of U.S. Direct Investment Abroad—Transactions of U.S. Reporter With Foreign Affiliate

AGENCY: Bureau of Economic Analysis, 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 comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted on or before September 10, 2019.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Jessica Hanson, Chief, Direct Transactions and Positions Branch, Direct Investment Division, Bureau of Economic Analysis, 4600 Silver Hill Rd., BE-69Q, Washington, DC 20233, or via email at PRAcomments@doc.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument and instructions should be directed to Jessica Hanson, Chief, Direct Transactions and Positions Branch, Direct Investment Division (BE-49Q), Bureau of Economic Analysis, U.S. Department of Commerce, 4600 Silver Hill Rd., Washington, DC 20233; via email at Jessica.Hanson@bea.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

The Quarterly Survey of U.S. Direct Investment Abroad—Transactions of U.S. Reporter with Foreign Affiliate (Form BE-577) obtains quarterly data on transactions and positions between U.S.-owned foreign business enterprises and their U.S. parents, except certain private funds. The survey is a sample survey that covers all foreign affiliates

above a size-exemption level. The sample data are used to derive universe estimates in nonbenchmark years from similar data reported in the BE-10, Benchmark Survey of U.S. Direct Investment Abroad, which is conducted every five years. The data are essential for the preparation of the U.S. international transactions accounts, the national income and product accounts, the input-output accounts, and the international investment position of the United States. The data are needed to measure the size and economic significance of direct investment abroad, measure changes in such investment, and assess its impact on the U.S. and foreign economies.

The Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA) proposes changes to the reporting requirements and content of the survey. BEA proposes to increase the reporting threshold for indirectly-owned foreign affiliates from \$1 million in intercompany debt balances to \$10 million. These foreign affiliates must also have total assets, annual sales or gross operating revenues, or annual net income (loss) after the provision for foreign income taxes greater than \$60 million. We estimate that this threshold increase will exempt approximately 1,700 foreign affiliates from the BE-577 survey. These affiliates account for less than 1 percent of intercompany debt and their balances will be estimated using data reported on the benchmark survey.

Additionally, BEA proposes to add a question for each debt category (receivables and payables) on the currency composition of intercompany debt. BE-577 survey respondents will be asked to provide the amount of debt denominated in U.S. dollars, euros, yen, and other currencies. These data will allow BEA to produce international investment position statistics by currency, as recommended by the G-20 Data Gaps Initiative II.

Both of these changes will take effect with the BE-577 survey that is due for the first quarter of 2020 (the fiscal quarter ending closest to March 30). BEA expects that the collection of information will be approved for fourth quarter of 2019 (the fiscal quarter ending closest to December 31), when the current approval expires. The current version of the BE-577 survey, without the changes discussed above, will be used by respondents to report for the fourth quarter of 2019.

II. Method of Collection

Notice of specific reporting requirements, including who is to report, the information to be reported, the manner of reporting, and the time