

days for public comment in response to the notice. This notice complies with that requirement.

DATES: Submit comments on or before September 22, 2020.

ADDRESSES: Send all comments to Kelly Jackson, Program Analyst, Office of Government Contracting, Small Business Administration, 409 3rd Street, 8th Floor, Washington, DC 20416.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kelly Jackson, Program Analyst, 202-205-0108, kelly.jackson@sba.gov, or Curtis B. Rich, Management Analyst, 202-205-7030, curtis.rich@sba.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A small business determined to be non-responsible for award of a specific prime Government contract by a Government contracting office has the right to appeal that decision through the Small Business Administration (SBA). The information contained on this form, as well as, other information developed by SBA, is used in determining whether the decision by the Contracting Officer should be overturned.

Solicitation of Public Comments:

SBA is requesting comments on (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the agency to properly perform its functions; (b) whether the burden estimates are accurate; (c) whether there are ways to minimize the burden, including through the use of automated techniques or other forms of information technology; and (d) whether there are ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information.

Summary of Information Collection:

(1) *Title:* Small Business Administration Application for Certificate of Competency.

Description of Respondents: Small Businesses.

Form Number: SBA Form 1531.

Total Estimated Annual Responses: 300.

Total Estimated Annual Hour Burden: 2,400.

Curtis Rich,

Management Analyst.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Data Collection Available for Public Comments

ACTION: 60-Day notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Small Business Administration (SBA) intends to request approval, from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for the

collection of information described below. The Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995 requires Federal agencies to publish a notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information before submission to OMB, and to allow 60 days for public comment in response to the notice. This notice complies with that requirement.

DATES: Submit comments on or before September 22, 2020.

ADDRESSES: Send all comments to Cynthia Pitts, Director, Disaster Administrative Services, Small Business Administration, 409 3rd Street, 6th Floor, Washington, DC 20416.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Cynthia Pitts, Director, Disaster Administrative Services, Cynthia.pitts@sba.gov, 202-205-7570, or Curtis B. Rich, Management Analyst, 202-205-7030, curtis.rich@sba.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Governor of the State U.S. territory or possession affected by a disaster submits this information collection to request that SBA issue a disaster declaration. The information identifies the time, place and nature of the incident and helps SBA to determine whether the regulatory criteria for a disaster declaration have been met, and disaster assistance can be made available to the affected region.

Solicitation of Public Comments:

SBA is requesting comments on (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the agency to properly perform its functions; (b) whether the burden estimates are accurate; (c) whether there are ways to minimize the burden, including through the use of automated techniques or other forms of information technology; and (d) whether there are ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information.

Summary of Information Collection:

(1) *Title:* Governor's Request for Disaster Declaration.

Description of Respondents: Disaster victim's seeking assistance.

Form Number: N/A.

Total Estimated Annual Responses: 58.

Total Estimated Annual Hour Burden: 1,160.

Curtis Rich,

Management Analyst.

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STATE DEPARTMENT

Foreign Affairs Policy Board Meeting Notice; Closed Meeting

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App., the Department of State announces a meeting of the Foreign Affairs Policy Board to take place on August 17, 2020, at the Department of State, Washington, DC

The Foreign Affairs Policy Board reviews and assesses: (1) Global threats and opportunities; (2) trends that implicate core national security interests; (3) technology tools needed to advance the State Department's mission; and (4) priorities and strategic frameworks for U.S. foreign policy. Pursuant to section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App 10(d), and 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(1), it has been determined that this meeting will be closed to the public as the Board will be reviewing and discussing matters properly classified in accordance with Executive Order 13526.

For more information, contact Duncan Walker at (202) 647-2236.

Duncan Walker,

Designated Federal Officer, Office of Policy Planning, Department of State.

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SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

[Docket No. FD 36411]

Arkansas-Oklahoma Railroad Company—Lease and Operation Exemption Including Interchange Commitment—Union Pacific Railroad Company

Arkansas-Oklahoma Railroad Company (AOK), a Class III railroad, has filed a verified notice of exemption pursuant to 49 CFR 1150.41 to continue to lease from Union Pacific Railroad Company (UP) and operate a UP rail line between milepost 445.0 near Brangus Road and milepost 482.0 near Oklahoma City, Okla., a total distance of approximately 37 miles (the Line). AOK states that it has entered into a lease agreement (New Lease) with UP, dated June 19, 2020, that will supersede and replace two existing leases (the Current Leases).¹

¹ See *Ark.-Okla. R.R.—Lease & Operation Exemption—Union Pac. R.R.*, FD 33897 (STB served July 21, 2000) (between milepost 446.5 and milepost 482.0); *Ark.-Okla. R.R.—Lease & Operation Exemption—Union Pac. R.R.*, FD 35655 (STB served Aug. 22, 2012) (between milepost 445.0 and milepost 446.5).