

Therefore, each SBA participating lender with an eligible loan(s) must submit a request to SBA for each eligible loan with the gross monthly payment due including accrued interest and associated fees due. SBA will reconcile those amounts and transmit the funds electronically to the lender on behalf of the borrower in accordance with the provisions set forth in the CARES Act and Economic Aid Act.

#### 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 Proposed Information Collection

*OMB Control Number:* 3245-0414.

*Title:* CARES Act Section 1112 Gross Loan Payment.

*Description of Respondents:* 7(a), 504, and Microloan Program Participants.

*Total Estimated Annual Responses:* 48,000.

*Total Estimated Annual Hour Burden:* 12,000.

**Curtis Rich,**

*Management Analyst.*

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#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 11398]

#### Notice of Renewed Charter for the Title VIII Advisory Committee

**ACTION:** Notice of renewal.

In accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), the Department of State renewed the Charter for the Advisory Committee for the Study of Eastern Europe and the Independent States of the Former Soviet Union (Title VIII Advisory Committee).

The Advisory Committee was established under the authority of 22 U.S.C. 4503 to provide advice and recommendations to the Secretary of State or his or her designated representative concerning implementation of the Research and Training for Eastern Europe and the Independent States of the Former Soviet Union Act of 1983, Public Law 98-164,

as amended. The renewed charter was filed with Congress on March 26, 2021, per statute.

**Sidni J. Dechaine,**

*Designated Federal Officer, Advisory Committee for the Program for the Study of Eastern Europe and the Independent States of the Former Soviet Union.*

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#### DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 11396]

#### Notice of Department of State Sanctions Actions

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Secretary of State has determined, pursuant to the Countering America's Adversaries Through Sanctions Act of 2017 (CAATSA), that the Turkish entity Presidency of Defense Industries (SSB), formerly known as the Undersecretariat for Defense Industries (SSM), has knowingly, on or after August 2, 2017, engaged in a significant transaction with a person that is part of, or operates for or on behalf of, the defense or intelligence sectors of the Government of the Russian Federation. The Secretary of State has also selected certain sanctions to be imposed upon SSB and Ismail Demir, SSB's president; Faruk Yigit, SSB's vice president; Serhat Gencoglu, SSB's Head of the Department of Air Defense and Space; and Mustafa Alper Deniz, Program Manager for SSB's Regional Air Defense Systems Directorate, pursuant to CAATSA.

**DATES:** The Secretary of State's determination that SSB has knowingly, on or after August 2, 2017, engaged in a significant transaction with a person that is part of, or operates for or on behalf of, the defense or intelligence sectors of the Government of the Russian Federation, and the Secretary of State's selection of certain sanctions to be imposed upon SSB and Ismail Demir, Faruk Yigit, Serhat Gencoglu, and Mustafa Alper Deniz are effective on December 14, 2020.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to Section 231(a) of CAATSA and Executive Order 13849 the Secretary of State has selected the following sanctions to be imposed upon SSB:

- United States Government departments and agencies shall not issue any specific license or grant any other specific permission or authority under the Export Control Reform Act of 2018 (50 U.S.C. 4801 *et seq.*), the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2751 *et seq.*), the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2011 *et seq.*), or any statute that requires the prior review or approval of the United States Government as a condition for the export or re-export of goods or technology to SSB;

- United States financial institutions shall be prohibited from making loans or providing credits to SSB totaling more than \$10,000,000 in any 12-month period unless SSB is engaged in activities to relieve human suffering and the loans or credits are provided for such activities;

- The Export-Import Bank of the United States shall not give approval to the issuance of any guarantee, insurance, extension of credit, or participation in the extension of credit in connection with the export of any goods or services to SSB;

- The United States executive director to each international financial institution shall use the voice and vote of the United States to oppose any loan from the international financial institution that would benefit SSB; and
- Imposition on the principal executive officer or officers of SSB, or on persons performing similar functions and with similar authorities as such officer or officers, certain sanctions, as selected by the Secretary of State and described below.

The Secretary of State has selected the following sanctions to be imposed upon Ismail Demir, Faruk Yigit, Serhat Gencoglu, and Mustafa Alper Deniz, pursuant to CAATSA Section 235(a)(12):

- A prohibition on any transactions in foreign exchange that are subject to the jurisdiction of the United States and in which Ismail Demir, Faruk Yigit, Serhat Gencoglu, or Mustafa Alper Deniz has any interest;

- A prohibition on any transfers of credit or payments between financial institutions, or by, through, or to any financial institution, to the extent that such transfers or payments are subject to the jurisdiction of the United States and involve any interest of Ismail Demir, Faruk Yigit, Serhat Gencoglu, or Mustafa Alper Deniz;

- All property and interests in property of Ismail Demir, Faruk Yigit, Serhat Gencoglu, or Mustafa Alper Deniz that are in the United States, that hereafter come within the United States, or that are or hereafter come within the possession or control of any United