

**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION****Office of the Secretary****[Docket No. DOT-OST-2018-0204]****Air Carrier Access Act Advisory Committee; Notice of Public Meeting****AGENCY:** Office of the Secretary (“OST”), Department of Transportation (“DOT”).**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.**SUMMARY:** This notice announces a meeting of the Air Carrier Access Act Advisory Committee (“ACAA Advisory Committee”).**DATES:** The ACAA Advisory Committee will hold virtual meetings on September 2, 8 and 9, 2021, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Eastern Daylight Time.

Requests to attend the meeting must be received by August 30, 2021.

Requests for accommodations because of a disability must be received by August 30, 2021. If you wish to speak during the meeting, you must submit a written copy of your remarks to DOT by August 30, 2021.

Requests to submit written materials to be reviewed during the meeting must be received no later than August 30, 2021.

**ADDRESSES:** The virtual meetings will be open to the public and held via the Zoom Webinar Platform. Virtual attendance information will be provided upon registration. A detailed agenda will be available on the ACAA Advisory Committee website at <https://www.transportation.gov/airconsumer/ACAACommittee> at least one week before the meeting, along with copies of the meeting minutes after the meeting.**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To register and attend this virtual meeting, please contact the Department by email at [ACAA-Advisory-Committee@dot.gov](mailto:ACAA-Advisory-Committee@dot.gov). Attendance is open to the public subject to any technical and/or capacity limitations. For further information, please contact Vinh Nguyen, Senior Attorney, by email at [vinh.nguyen@dot.gov](mailto:vinh.nguyen@dot.gov).**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****I. Background**

The ACAA Advisory Committee was created under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (“FACA”), in accordance with Section 439 of the FAA Reauthorization Act of 2018 (“FAA Act”), to identify and assess barriers to accessible air travel, determine the extent to which DOT’s programs and activities are addressing the barriers, recommend improvements, and advise the Secretary on implementing the Air Carrier Access Act. The charter of the

ACAA Advisory Committee sets forth policies for the operation of the advisory committee. The charter is available at <https://www.transportation.gov/individuals/aviation-consumer-protection/charter-air-carrier-access-act-advisory-committee>.

The first meeting of the ACAA Advisory Committee was held on March 10 and 11, 2020, in Washington, DC. The purpose of the first meeting was to gather information on the barriers encountered by passengers with disabilities in the following areas: Ticketing; pre-flight seat assignments; access to bulkhead seating; stowage of assistive devices; and guide and wheelchair assistance at airports and on aircraft. In each of these areas, the ACAA Advisory Committee heard from speakers who provided an overview of: The applicable rules, requirements, and complaint data; challenges faced by air travelers with disabilities; and airlines’ policies and procedures. In addition, the Department presented a working draft of the “Airline Passenger with Disabilities Bill of Rights” to the ACAA Advisory Committee for discussion.

At that first meeting, the ACAA Advisory Committee also discussed the benefits of establishing subcommittees to help the Committee with its work. Soon thereafter the Department established three subcommittees to address: (1) Ticketing practices and seating accommodations; (2) stowage of assistive devices; and (3) assistance at airports and on aircraft and related training of carrier personnel and contractors. The Subcommittees submitted reports with recommendations to the ACAA Advisory Committee members for their consideration. The reports are available for public review on the ACAA Advisory Committee’s docket, DOT-OST-2018-0204.

**II. Summary of the Agenda**

During the September 2, 8 and 9, 2021 meeting, the ACAA Advisory Committee will deliberate on the Subcommittees’ recommendations and continue its discussion of the draft Airline Passenger with Disabilities Bill of Rights. A more detailed agenda will be made available at least one week before the meeting at <https://www.transportation.gov/airconsumer/ACAACommittee>.

**III. Public Participation**

The meeting will be open to the public and attendance may be limited due to virtual meeting constraints. To register, please send an email to the Department as set forth in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section.

The Department is committed to providing equal access to this meeting for all participants. If you need alternative formats or services because of a disability, such as sign language interpreter or other ancillary aids, please contact the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section above no later than August 30, 2021.

Members of the public may also present written comments at any time. The docket number referenced above (DOT-OST-2018-0204) has been established for committee documents, including any written comments that may be filed. At the discretion of the Chair or DFO, after completion of the planned agenda, individual members of the public may provide comments through the chat feature of the webinar platform or orally, time permitting. Any oral comments presented must be limited to the objectives of the committee and will be limited to five (5) minutes per person. Individual members of the public who wish to present oral comments must notify the Department of Transportation contact noted above via email that they wish to attend and present oral comments no later than August 30, 2021.

Speakers are requested to submit a written copy of their prepared remarks for inclusion in the meeting records and for circulation to ACAA Advisory Committee members by August 30, 2021. All prepared remarks submitted on time will be accepted and considered as part of the meeting’s record.

**IV. Viewing Documents**

You may view documents mentioned in this notice at <https://www.regulations.gov>. After entering the docket number (DOT-OST-2018-0204), click the link to “Open Docket Folder” and choose the document to review.

Issued in Washington, DC, this 10th day of August 2021.

**John E. Putnam,***Acting General Counsel.*

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**BILLING CODE P****DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY****Bureau of the Fiscal Service****Proposed Collection of Information: Request for Payment of Federal Benefit by Check, EFT Waiver Form****ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.**SUMMARY:** The Department of the Treasury, as part of its continuing effort

to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. Currently the Bureau of the Fiscal Service within the Department of the Treasury is soliciting comments concerning Request for Payment of Federal Benefit by Check, EFT Waiver Form.

**DATES:** Written comments should be received on or before October 15, 2021 to be assured of consideration.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all written comments and requests for additional information to Bureau of the Fiscal Service, Bruce A. Sharp, Room #4006-A, P.O. Box 1328, Parkersburg, WV 26106-1328, or [bruce.sharp@fiscal.treasury.gov](mailto:bruce.sharp@fiscal.treasury.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title:* Request for Payment of Federal Benefit by Check, EFT Waiver Form.

*OMB Number:* 1530-0019.

*Form Number:* FS Form 1201W, FS Form 1201W-DFAS, FS Form 1201W (SP).

*Abstract:* 31 CFR part 208 requires that all Federal non-tax payments be made by electronic funds transfer (EFT). The forms are used to collect information from individuals requesting a waiver from the EFT requirement because of a mental impairment, living in a remote geographic location that does not support the use of EFT, or persons born on or before May 1, 1921. These individuals may continue to receive payment by check. However, 31 CFR part 208 requires individuals requesting one of these waiver conditions to submit a written justification that is notarized by a notary public. In order to assist individuals with this submission, Treasury has prepared waiver forms in order to collect all necessary information.

*Current Actions:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Type of Review:* Regular.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or Households.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 3,250.

*Estimated Time per Respondent:* 20 minutes.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 1,083.

*Request for Comments:* Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will become a matter of public record. Comments are invited on: 1. Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance

of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; 2. the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; 3. ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; 4. ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and 5. estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

Dated: August 11, 2021.

**Bruce A. Sharp,**

*Bureau PRA Clearance Officer.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**

[OMB Control No. 2900-0003]

**Agency Information Collection Activity: Application for Burial Benefits**

**AGENCY:** Veterans Benefits Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Veteran's Benefits Administration (VBA), Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), is announcing an opportunity for public comment on the proposed collection of certain information by the agency. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, Federal agencies are required to publish notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed extension of a currently approved collection, and allow 60 days for public comment in response to the notice.

**DATES:** Written comments and recommendations on the proposed collection of information should be received on or before October 15, 2021.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit written comments on the collection of information through Federal Docket Management System (FDMS) at [www.Regulations.gov](http://www.Regulations.gov) or to Nancy J. Kessinger, Veterans Benefits Administration (20M33), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20420 or email to [nancy.kessinger@va.gov](mailto:nancy.kessinger@va.gov). Please refer to "OMB Control No. 2900-0003" in any correspondence. During the comment period, comments may be viewed online through FDMS.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Maribel Aponte, Office of Enterprise

and Integration, Data Governance Analytics (008), 1717 H Street NW, Washington, DC 20006, (202) 266-4688 or email [maribel.aponte@va.gov](mailto:maribel.aponte@va.gov). Please refer to "OMB Control No. 2900-0003" in any correspondence.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

Under the PRA of 1995, Federal agencies must obtain approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for each collection of information they conduct or sponsor. This request for comment is being made pursuant to Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the PRA.

With respect to the following collection of information, VBA invites comments on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of VBA's functions, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of VBA's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or the use of other forms of information technology.

*Authority:* 38 U.S.C. 2302.

*Title:* Application for Burial Benefits (VA Form 21P-530).

*OMB Control Number:* 2900-0003.

*Type of Review:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

*Abstract:* Under the authority of 38 U.S.C. 2302, VA uses the information provided on VA Form 21P-530 to evaluate respondents' eligibility for monetary burial benefits, including the burial allowance, plot or internment allowance, and transportation reimbursement. In these situations, VBA uses VA Form 21P-530 *Application for Burial Benefits*, to gather information that is necessary to determine eligibility for income-based benefits and the rate payable; without this information, determination of eligibility would not be possible.

The program office requests removal of the 21P-530EZ (Under 38 U.S.C. Chapter 23), from the 2900-0003 series, as the form will be submitted as a new form, requiring a separate control number. The program office submits a request to reinstate VA Form 21P-530 *Application for Burial Benefits* as the instrument has expired.

*Affected Public:* Individuals and households.

*Estimated Annual Burden:* 34,750 hours.

*Estimated Average Burden per Respondent:* 15 minutes.