

nonexempt subcontracts and purchase orders, and describes generally the sanctions, penalties, and remedies that may be imposed if the contractor fails to satisfy its obligations under the Order and the clause.

The regulatory provisions implementing E.O. 13496 (29 CFR part 471) include the language of the required notices, and they explain posting and contractual requirements, the complaint process, the investigatory process, and sanctions, penalties, and remedies that may be imposed if the contractor or subcontractor fails to comply with its obligations under the Order. Specifically, 29 CFR part 471.11(c) sets forth the procedures that the Department must use when accepting written complaints alleging that a contractor doing business with the Federal government has failed to post the notice required by the Executive Order.

The Department continues to estimate a total of 10 respondents with an equal amount of responses. Since the ICR was last approved in 2019, the Department has received 1 complaint. The Department maintains the estimate of 10 complaints for purposes of this renewal request. The Department continues to estimate that it will take an employee 1.28 hours per complaint, for a total of 12.8, rounded to 13 hours.

Additionally, employees will incur costs of \$0.62 per complaint in capital/start-up costs (\$0.58 for standard-sized, rectangular envelopes postage in January 2022¹ + \$0.03 for an envelope + \$0.01 for paper) for a total cost of \$6.20. (Although employees will submit many if not all complaints via email, the Department assumes, conservatively, that it will receive all via mail.) The total cost for the estimated 10 complaints is therefore \$6.20. There are no ongoing operation/maintenance costs associated with this information collection.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for Office of Management and Budget approval of the information collection request; they will also become a matter of public record.

This information collection is subject to the PRA. A Federal agency generally cannot conduct or sponsor a collection of information, and the public is generally not required to respond to an information collection, unless the OMB approves it and displays a currently valid OMB Control Number. In addition, notwithstanding any other provisions of law, no person shall generally be subject to penalty for failing to comply with a

collection of information that does not display a valid OMB Control Number. See 5 CFR 1320.5(a) and 1320.6.

DOL seeks PRA authorization for this information collection for three (3) years. OMB authorization for an ICR cannot be for more than three (3) years without renewal. The DOL notes that information collection requirements submitted to the OMB for existing ICRs receive a month-to-month extension while they undergo review.

Agency: DOL-OLMS.

Type of Review: Extension.

Title of Collection: Notice of Employee Rights under National Labor Relations Act Complaint Process.

OMB Control Number: 1245-0004.

Affected Public: Employees of Federal Contractors and Subcontractors.

Total Estimated Number of Respondents: 10.

Frequency: On occasion.

Total Estimated Number of Responses: 10.

Estimated Average Time per

Response: 1.28 hours.

Total Estimated Annual Time Burden: 13 hours.

Total Estimated Annual Other Costs Burden: \$6.20.

(Authority: 44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A))

Dated: March 24, 2022.

Karen Torre,

Chief of the Division of Interpretations and Regulations.

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MARINE MAMMAL COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Notice

TIME AND DATE: The Marine Mammal Commission and its Committee of Scientific Advisors on Marine Mammals will hold a public meeting on Tuesday, 12 April 2022, from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. (Eastern Daylight Time).

PLACE: This meeting will be conducted by remote means.

STATUS: This meeting will be held in accordance with the provisions of the Government in the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. 552b) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. I) and will be open to the public. Public participation will be allowed as time permits and as determined to be desirable by the Chairman. The Commission will livestream the meeting via a Zoom webinar. For further information and to register for the webinar, go to the Commission's website at <https://www.mmc.gov/events-meetings-and-workshops/other-events/>

approaches-to-reducing-vessel-strike-of-cetaceans/.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: The Commission and Committee of Scientific Advisors will meet to consider actions for reducing vessel strike of large cetaceans. Specifically, meeting participants will review Federal vessel-routing and speed-reduction programs, their elements, and effectiveness, identify locations where additional measures are or may be needed, and consider recommendations for next steps. The agenda for the meeting is posted on the Commission's website at [https://www.mmc.gov/events-meetings-and-workshops/other-events/approaches-to-reducing-vessel-strike-of-cetaceans/.](https://www.mmc.gov/events-meetings-and-workshops/other-events/approaches-to-reducing-vessel-strike-of-cetaceans/)

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Brady O'Donnell or Hannah Wellman, Marine Mammal Commission, 4340 East West Highway, Room 700, Bethesda, MD 20814; (301) 504-0087; email: mmc@mmc.gov.

Peter O. Thomas,

Executive Director.

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MILLENNIUM CHALLENGE CORPORATION

[MCC FR 22-05]

Notice of Open Meeting

AGENCY: Millennium Challenge Corporation.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the requirements of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC) Advisory Council was established as a discretionary advisory committee on July 14, 2016. Its charter was renewed for a second term on July 11, 2018 and third term on July 8, 2020. The MCC Advisory Council serves MCC solely in an advisory capacity and provides insight regarding innovations in infrastructure, technology and sustainability; perceived risks and opportunities in MCC partner countries; new financing mechanisms for developing country contexts; and shared value approaches. The MCC Advisory Council provides a platform for systematic engagement with the private sector and other external stakeholders and contributes to MCC's mission—to reduce poverty through sustainable, economic growth.

DATES: Thursday, April 21, 2022 from 10:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m. EDT.

¹ See: <https://www.usps.com/business/prices.htm>.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held in-person and via conference call.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Contact Bahgi Berhane, 202–521–3600, or email MCCAdvisoryCouncil@mcc.gov or visit <https://www.mcc.gov/about/org-unit/advisory-council>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Agenda. During the Spring 2022 meeting of the MCC Advisory Council, Co-Chairs will meet with MCC leadership. Additionally, Council members will provide advice on the compact program development process and MCC's investment strategy in Sierra Leone.

Public Participation. The meeting will be open to the public. Members of the public may file written statement(s) before or after the meeting. If you plan to attend, please submit your name and affiliation no later than Monday, April 18, 2022 to MCCAdvisoryCouncil@mcc.gov, to receive instructions on how to attend.

Authority: Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App.

Dated: March 25, 2022.

Thomas G. Hohenthauer,

Acting VP/General Counsel and Corporate Secretary.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Notice of Intent To Renew a Current Information Collection

AGENCY: National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics, National Science Foundation.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics (NCSES) within the National Science Foundation (NSF) is announcing plans to request renewal of the Higher Education Research and Development Survey. In accordance with the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, we are providing opportunity for public comment on this action. After obtaining and considering public comment, NSF will prepare the submission requesting that OMB approve clearance of this collection for three years.

DATES: Written comments on this notice must be received by May 31, 2022 to be assured consideration. Comments received after that date will be considered to the extent practicable. Send comments to address below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Suzanne H. Plimpton, Reports Clearance Officer, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, W18253, Alexandria, Virginia 22314; telephone (703) 292–7556; or send email to splimpto@nsf.gov. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1–800–877–8339 between 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title of Collection: Higher Education Research and Development Survey.

OMB Approval Number: 3145–0100.

Expiration Date of Current Approval: August 31, 2022.

Type of Request: Intent to seek approval to extend an information collection for three years.

Abstract: Established within NSF by the America COMPETES Reauthorization Act of 2010 § 505, codified in the NSF Act of 1950, as amended, the National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics (NCSES)—one of 13 principal federal statistical agencies—serves as a central Federal clearinghouse for the collection, interpretation, analysis, and dissemination of objective data on science, engineering, technology, and research and development for use by practitioners, researchers, policymakers, and the public.

The Higher Education Research and Development (R&D) Survey (formerly known as the Survey of R&D Expenditures at Universities and Colleges) originated in fiscal year (FY) 1954 and has been conducted annually since FY 1972. The survey represents one facet of the research and development component of NCSES's statistical program, which also includes R&D surveys on the business, federal government, higher education, state government, and nonprofit sectors.

Use of the Information: The proposed project will continue the annual survey cycle for three years. The Higher Education R&D Survey will provide continuity of statistics on R&D expenditures by source of funding, type of R&D (basic research, applied research, or development), and field of research, with separate data requested on research equipment by field. Further breakdowns are collected on funds passed through to subrecipients and funds received as a subrecipient, and on R&D expenditures by field from specific federal agency sources. The survey also requests total R&D expenditures funded from foreign sources, R&D within an institution's medical school, clinical

trial expenditures, R&D by type of funding mechanism (contracts vs. grants), and R&D by cost category (salaries, equipment, software, etc.). Since FY 2020, the survey has requested headcounts and full-time equivalents of R&D personnel (researchers, R&D technicians, and R&D support staff).

Data are published in NSF's annual publication series *Higher Education Research and Development*, available on the web at <http://www.nsf.gov/statistics/srvyherd/>.

Expected respondents: The FY 2022 Higher Education R&D Survey will be administered to approximately 650 institutions. In addition, a shorter version of the survey asking for R&D expenditures by source of funding and broad field will be sent to approximately 275 institutions spending at least \$150 thousand but less than \$1 million on R&D in their previous fiscal year. A short population review screener is also sent to approximately 125 institutions before the survey cycle to identify potential eligible institutions not already in the survey frame. Finally, a survey requesting R&D expenditures by source of funds, cost categories, and type of R&D will be administered to the 43 Federally Funded Research and Development Centers.

Estimate of burden: The survey is a fully automated web data collection effort and is handled primarily by administrators in university sponsored programs and accounting offices. To minimize burden, institutions are provided with an abundance of guidance and resources on the web and can respond via downloadable spreadsheet if desired. Each institution's record is pre-loaded with the 2 previous years of comparable data that facilitate editing and trend checking. Response to this voluntary survey has exceeded 95 percent each year.

The average burden estimate is 64 hours for the approximately 650 institutions reporting at least \$1 million in R&D expenditures, 8 hours for the approximately 275 institutions reporting less than \$1 million, 1 hour for the approximately 125 institutions in the population screener, and 11 hours for the 43 organizations completing the FFRDC survey. The total calculated burden across all forms is 44,398 hours.

Comments: Comments are invited on (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity