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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Agriculture has submitted the following information collection requirement(s) to OMB for review and approval under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104–13. Comments are requested regarding whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; the accuracy of the agency's estimate of burden including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments regarding this information collection received by December 17, 2025 will be considered. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be submitted within 30 days of the publication of this notice on the following website [www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain). Find this particular information collection by selecting "Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless the collection of information displays a currently valid OMB control number and the agency informs potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information that such persons are not required to respond to the collection of information unless it

displays a currently valid OMB control number.

### Food Safety and Inspection Service

*Title:* Industry Response to Noncompliance Records.

*OMB Control Number:* 0583–0146.

*Summary of Collection:* The Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS) has been delegated the authority to exercise the functions of the Secretary as provided in the Federal Meat Inspection Act (FMIA) (21 U.S.C. 601 *et seq.*), the Poultry Products Inspection Act (PPIA) (21 U.S.C. 451 *et seq.*), and the Egg Products Inspection Act (EPIA) (21 U.S.C. 1031, *et seq.*). These statutes mandate that FSIS protect the public by verifying that meat and poultry products are safe, wholesome, and properly labeled. If FSIS in-plant personnel discover non-compliances with regulatory requirements they issue Noncompliance Records (NRs). Establishment management then can respond in writing.

*Need And Use of the Information:* FSIS Form 5400–4 serves as FSIS's official record of noncompliance with one or more regulatory requirements. Inspection program personnel use the forms to document their findings and provide written notification of the establishment's failure to comply with regulatory requirement(s). The establishment management receives a copy of the form and has an opportunity to respond in writing using the Noncompliance Record form. Response by the establishment's management is voluntary.

*Description of Respondents:* Business or other for-profit.

*Number of Respondents:* 7,057.

*Frequency of Responses:* Reporting: On occasion.

*Total Burden Hours:* 13,996.

### Food Safety and Inspection Service

*Title:* Certificate of Medical Examination.

*OMB Control Number:* 0583–0167.

*Summary of Collection:* The Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS) has been delegated the authority to exercise the functions of the Secretary as provided in the Federal Meat Inspection Act (FMIA) (21 U.S.C. 601 *et seq.*), the Poultry Products Inspection Act (PPIA) (21 U.S.C. 451 *et seq.*), and the Egg Products Inspection Act (EPIA) (21 U.S.C. 1031 *et seq.*). These statutes mandate that FSIS protect the public by

ensuring that meat, poultry, and egg products are safe, wholesome, and properly labeled.

FSIS uses the form titled Certificate of Medical Evaluation (FSIS 4339–1) to collect information to determine whether an applicant for an FSIS Food Inspector, Consumer Safety Inspector, or Veterinary Medical Officer in-plant position meets the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) approved medical qualification standards. FSIS employees ask their health care providers to complete the FSIS Form Medical Documentation for Employee's Reasonable Accommodation Request FSIS (4306–5) if they apply for a reasonable accommodation.

*Need and USE of the Information:* FSIS collects certificates of medical examination to determine whether an applicant for a Food Inspector, Consumer Safety Inspector, or Veterinary Medical Officer in-plant position meets the Office of Personnel Management (OPM)-approved medical qualification standards for the position. This form, Certificate of Medical Evaluation (FSIS 4339–1), ensures accurate collection of the required data. The OPM-approved medical qualification standards apply only to positions in FSIS, not positions in other Federal agencies.

When requesting that applicants for the positions listed above undergo the medical examination, a representative from FSIS notifies the applicants in writing of the reasons for the examination, the process, and the consequences of the failure to report for an examination or provide medical documentation. Any physical condition which would hinder an individual's full, efficient, and safe performance of his or her duties is considered disqualifying for employment, except when convincing evidence is presented that the individuals can perform the essential functions of the job efficiently and without hazard to themselves or others.

FSIS uses the FSIS Form 4306–5, "Medical Documentation for Employee's Reasonable Accommodation Request," to help determine whether the Agency will provide reasonable accommodation to qualified individuals. In accordance with the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act of 2008, FSIS makes

reasonable accommodations for the known physical or mental limitations of qualified individuals with disabilities, unless the accommodation would impose an undue hardship on the operation of FSIS. FSIS requires medical information from a health care provider to determine whether the person's condition rises to the level of disability under the law and to determine whether the limitations can be effectively accommodated.

*Description of Respondents:*  
Individuals or households.

*Number of Respondents:* 1,250.

*Frequency of Responses:*

Recordkeeping; Reporting: On occasion.

*Total Burden Hours:* 1,542.

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*Departmental Information Collection Clearance Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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#### New England Fishery Management Council; Public Meeting

**AGENCY:** National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The New England Fishery Management Council (Council) will hold a 3-day hybrid meeting with both in-person and webinar participation options to consider actions affecting New England fisheries in the exclusive economic zone (EEZ).

**DATES:** The meeting will be held Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, December 2–4, 2025, beginning at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, December 2 and at 9 a.m. on Wednesday, December 3 and Thursday, December 4.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at the Newport Harbor Hotel and Marina, 49 Americas Cup Avenue, Newport, RI 02840; telephone (401) 847-9000; online at <https://www.newporthotel.com/>. Webinar registration information will be posted on the Council's December 2025 meeting web page at <https://www.nefmc.org/calendar/december-2025-council-meeting>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Cate O'Keefe, Executive Director, New

England Fishery Management Council; telephone: (978) 465-0492, ext. 113.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Agenda

*Tuesday, December 2, 2025*

The Council Meeting will begin with introductions and announcements by Council Chair Daniel Salerno followed by reports from the Council Chair and Executive Director, the Greater Atlantic Regional Fisheries Office (GARFO), NOAA General Counsel, the Northeast Fisheries Science Center (NEFSC), the Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (MAFMC), the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission (ASMFC), the U.S. Coast Guard, NOAA Enforcement, Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organization and the International Commission for the Conservation of Atlantic Tunas report.

After returning from lunch the Council will then review NOAA guidance to councils on financial disclosure and voting recusals followed by an update on status of regional capacity for science and management support.

The Council will then receive a 2025 Monitoring Report from the Whiting Committee as well as a review of the 2024 whiting fishery.

They will then hear an update from MAFMC regarding Spiny Dogfish Committee. Discussion will be on Framework Including Accountability Measures Modifications and 2026–2027 Specifications: (1) review recommendations from the Mid-Atlantic Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC), Monitoring Committee, AP, staff, and Joint Committee; (2) review the MAFMC's adopted alternatives; (3) select preferred alternatives and Council final action.

The council will adjourn for the day at 5 p.m. At 6 p.m. they will host a public outreach session in the hotel to encourage informal discussions between Council members, staff, industry representatives, and members of the public. All are welcome to attend.

*Wednesday, December 3, 2025*

Wednesday will open with Update on the status of the Council's revised Risk Policy and activities of the Risk Policy Working Group.

There will then be a presentation on SSCs overfishing limit (OFL) and acceptable biological catch (ABC) recommendations for Atlantic sea scallops.

The Council will then receive a report from the Scallop Committee regarding Framework 40: final action on 2026

fishery specifications, 2027 default specifications, and other measures; presentation of final report of the Scallop Strategic Plan and Council approval.

Returning from lunch break will be a review from the Transboundary Management Guidance Committee. Specifically review, discuss, and approve TMGC recommendations for 2026 total allowable catches (TACs) for three shared U.S./Canada groundfish resources on Georges Bank—Eastern Georges Bank cod, Eastern Georges Bank haddock, and Georges Bank yellowtail flounder.

The Council will receive a presentation from the SSC on OFL and ABC recommendations for Acadian redfish, white hake, winter flounder, yellowtail flounder, Georges Bank cod, and Georges Bank haddock.

Last agenda item for Wednesday is from the Groundfish Committee on Framework Adjustment 72: final action to set specifications for several groundfish stocks for fishing years 2026–2030, U.S./Canada TACs for 2026, and other management measures.

*Thursday, December 4, 2025*

Thursday opens with update on development of the Council's Holistic Strategic Plan initiative.

The Council will have open period for public comment on issues not listed on the agenda.

The council will then take final action on the 2026 Council Priorities for all fishery management plans and other Council responsibilities.

Then there will be Planning updates: 2025 Council Priorities status, IRA Initiatives, action timelines, and other activities.

The meeting will conclude with any other business and adjourn at noon.

#### Special Accommodations

This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Cate O'Keefe, Executive Director, at (978) 465-0492, at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

*Authority:* 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*

Dated: November 13, 2025.

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