

COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS**Notice of Public Meeting of the New Jersey Advisory Committee to the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights**

AGENCY: U.S. Commission on Civil Rights.

ACTION: Notice of virtual business meeting.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights (Commission) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act, that the New Jersey Advisory Committee (Committee) to the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights will hold a public meeting via Zoom. The purpose is for the committee to discuss the Proposal Stage on the committee's chosen topic of antisemitism and civil rights.

DATES: Monday, February 23, 2026, at 3:00 p.m. Eastern Time.

ADDRESSES:

Registration Link (Audio/Visual):
https://www.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_O7i11vjZS9qa2eykDJde7A.

Join by Phone (Audio Only): 1-833-435-1820 USA Toll Free; Webinar ID: 161 326 4147 #.

AGENDA LINK: <https://usccr.app.box.com/folder/363748071690> (note: final agenda will be available prior to the meeting date).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Victoria Moreno, Designated Federal Officer, at vmoreno@usccr.gov or 1-434-515-0204.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Committee meetings are available to the public through a registration link (above). Any interested members of the public may attend committee meetings. An open comment period will be provided to allow members of the public to make oral statements as time allows. Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, public minutes of each meeting will include a list of persons who are present. If joining via phone, callers can expect to incur regular charges for calls they initiate over wireless lines, according to their wireless plan. The Commission will not refund any incurred charges. Callers will incur no charge for calls they initiate over land-line connections to the toll-free telephone number. Closed captioning is available by selecting "CC" in the meeting platform. To request additional accommodations, please email ebohor@usccr.gov at least 10 business days prior to the meeting.

Members of the public are entitled to submit written comments; the comments must be received in the

regional office within 30 days following the scheduled meeting. Written comments may be emailed to Evelyn Bohor at ebohor@usccr.gov. Persons who desire additional information may contact the Regional Programs Coordination Unit at 1-202-656-8937.

Records generated from this meeting may be inspected and reproduced at the Regional Programs Coordination Unit Office, as they become available, both before and after the meeting. Records of the meetings will be available via the file sharing website, <https://tinyurl.com/3ev8d9n9> as well as at:

www.facadatabase.gov under the Commission on Civil Rights, selecting the Advisory Committee of interest. Persons interested in the work of this Committee are directed to the Commission's website, <http://www.usccr.gov>, or may contact the Regional Programs Coordination Unit at ebohor@usccr.gov.

Dated: February 4, 2026.

David Mussatt,

Supervisory Chief, Regional Programs Unit.

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BILLING CODE P**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE****Census Bureau****Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Annual Business Survey**

The Department of Commerce will submit the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, on or after the date of publication of this notice. We invite the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on proposed and continuing information collections, which helps us assess the impact of our information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. Public comments were previously requested via the **Federal Register** on September 2, 2025, during a 60-day comment period. This notice allows for an additional 30 days for public comments.

Agency: U.S. Census Bureau, Department of Commerce.

Title: Annual Business Survey.

OMB Control Number: 0607-1004.

Form Number(s): ABS-1.

Type of Request: Regular submission, Request for a Revision of a Currently Approved Collection.

Number of Respondents: 230,000.

Average Hours per Response: 1 hour and 17 minutes.

Burden Hours: 295,858.

Needs and Uses: The Annual Business Survey (ABS) measures business demographics, research and development (R&D), innovation, and critical and emerging technologies among businesses in the United States. The ABS is a joint statistical project between the National Center for Science and Engineering Statistics (NCSES) within the National Science Foundation (NSF) and the Census Bureau.

The ABS combines Census Bureau firm-level collections to reduce respondent burden, increase data quality, and reduce operational costs. The ABS is designed to be adaptive, allowing content to be rotated on and off the survey based on topics of relevance.

Content previously collected on the Business Enterprise Research and Development (BERD) Survey will now be collected as part of the Annual Business Survey. The BERD survey will no longer be fielded independently. Integrating the survey instruments necessitated changes to the questions which were then tested with the target populations. The Census Bureau and NCSES worked collaboratively to determine these necessary changes.

R&D data collected from for-profit businesses and nonprofit organizations account for nearly 75 percent of the total U.S. R&D expenditures each year. A consistent R&D information base is essential to government officials formulating public policy, industry personnel involved in corporate planning, and members of the academic community conducting research.

Prior iterations of the ABS used the collection year as part of the survey name. Moving forward, and to be discernible from the past ABS, the survey will omit the mention of the collection year and use the data reference year in all collection materials, informational documentation, and publication tables. As a result, the data collection that starts in May of 2026 will be referred to as the ABS Reference Year 2025.

Statistics from the ABS will be used by government program officials, industry organization leaders, economic and social analysts, business entrepreneurs, and domestic and foreign researchers in business, government and academia.

Frequency: Annually.

Respondent's Obligation: Mandatory.

Legal Authority: The survey is conducted under the authority of Title 13, United States Code, Sections 8(b), 131, and 182; Title 42, United States

Code, Sections 1861–76 (National Science Foundation Act of 1950, as amended); and Section 505 within the America COMPETES Reauthorization Act of 2010. Sections 224 and 225 of Title 13, United States Code, require a response from sampled firms.

This information collection request may be viewed at www.reginfo.gov. Follow the instructions to view the Department of Commerce collections currently under review by OMB.

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. Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function and entering either the title of the collection or the OMB Control Number 0607–1004.

Sheleen Dumas,

Departmental PRA Compliance Officer, Office of the Under Secretary for Economic Affairs, Commerce Department.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[B–12–2026]

Foreign-Trade Zone (FTZ) 204, Notification of Proposed Production Activity; Eastman Chemical Company; (Cellulose Acetate Fibers); Kingsport, Tennessee

Eastman Chemical Company submitted a notification of proposed production activity to the FTZ Board (the Board) for its facility in Kingsport, Tennessee within Subzone 204B. The notification conforming to the requirements of the Board’s regulations (15 CFR 400.22) was received on January 29, 2026.

Pursuant to 15 CFR 400.14(b), FTZ production activity would be limited to the specific foreign-status material(s)/ component(s) and specific finished product(s) described in the submitted notification (summarized below) and subsequently authorized by the Board. The benefits that may stem from conducting production activity under FTZ procedures are explained in the background section of the Board’s website—accessible via www.trade.gov/ftz. The proposed finished products and component would be added to the production authority that the Board

previously approved for the operation, as reflected on the Board’s website.

The proposed finished products include: Fiber Ester Flake; Filament Yarn; Filter Tow; and Staple Fiber (duty rate ranges from 4.3% to 8.8%).

The proposed foreign-status materials/components include: High Purity Dissolving Pulp (duty free).

The request indicates that certain materials/components are subject to duties under section 1702(a)(1)(B) of the International Emergency Economic Powers Act (section 1702) or section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974 (section 301), depending on the country of origin. The applicable section 1702 and section 301 decisions require subject merchandise to be admitted to FTZs in privileged foreign status (19 CFR 146.41). The request also indicates that High Purity Dissolving Pulp is subject to an antidumping/countervailing duty (AD/CVD) order/investigation if imported from certain countries. The Board’s regulations (15 CFR 400.13(c)(2)) require that merchandise subject to AD/CVD orders, or items which would be otherwise subject to suspension of liquidation under AD/CVD procedures if they entered U.S. customs territory, be admitted to the zone in privileged foreign status (19 CFR 146.41).

Public comment is invited from interested parties. Submissions shall be addressed to the Board’s Executive Secretary and sent to: ftz@trade.gov. The closing period for their receipt is March 18, 2026.

A copy of the notification will be available for public inspection in the “Online FTZ Information System” section of the Board’s website.

For further information, contact John Frye at john.frye@trade.gov.

Dated: January 30, 2026.

Elizabeth Whiteman,

Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[B–13–2026]

Foreign-Trade Zone (FTZ) 110, Notification of Proposed Production Activity; Intel Foundry Corporation; (Semiconductor Products); Rio Rancho and Albuquerque, New Mexico

Intel Foundry Corporation submitted a notification of proposed production activity to the FTZ Board (the Board) for its facilities in Rio Rancho and Albuquerque, New Mexico within

Subzone 110E. The notification conforming to the requirements of the Board’s regulations (15 CFR 400.22) was received on January 29, 2026.

Pursuant to 15 CFR 400.14(b), FTZ production activity would be limited to the specific foreign-status material(s)/ component(s) and specific finished product(s) described in the submitted notification (summarized below) and subsequently authorized by the Board. The benefits that may stem from conducting production activity under FTZ procedures are explained in the background section of the Board’s website—accessible via www.trade.gov/ftz.

The proposed finished products include: photomasks; semiconductor transducers; electronic integrated circuit processors; electronic integrated optical circuits; electronic integrated circuit memories; electronic integrated circuit amplifiers; electronic integrated interposer circuits; electronic integrated circuits (not yet determined to be processor or memory); printed circuits; and electronic integrated circuits (duty-free).

The proposed foreign-status materials/components include: corundum; methane (liquid and gas); chlorine; argon; oxygen; hydrogen; helium; xenon; nitrogen; hydrochloric acid; hydrogen chloride; sulfuric acid; nitric acid; phosphoric acid; hydrofluoric acid; silicate reagent; hydrogen bromide; carbon dioxide; silica; carbon monoxide; nitrous oxide; nitric oxide; sulfur dioxide; boron trichloride; dichlorosilane; silane; silicon tetrachloride; chlorine trifluoride; diiodosilane; nitrogen trifluoride; anhydrous ammonia; potassium hydroxide in solid form; sulfur hexafluoride gas; tungsten hexafluoride; titanium tetrachloride; carbonyl sulfide; copper sulphate solution; potassium chloride electrode filling solution; cerium hydroxide; hydrogen peroxide; disilane; phosphine of copper; octane; ethyne (acetylene); trifluoromethane; halocarbon; difluoromethane; fluoromethane; octafluorocyclobutane; isopropyl alcohol; tert-butyl alcohol; hexachlorodisilane; 2-heptanone; cyclohexanone; cyclopentanone; sodium acetate; butyl acetate; propylene glycol monomethyl ether acetate; 2-methylamino)ethanol; tetramethylammonium hydroxide; tetraethylsilanediamine; di-iso-propylaminosilane; tetramethylsilane; trimethylaluminum; trimethylsilane; butyrolactone; potassium chloride; butoxyethanol; ethanolamine; lubrication; ammonium; cerium dioxide; tetraethylammonium