

**OFFICE OF PERSONNEL  
MANAGEMENT****Submission for Review: Initial  
Certification of Full-Time School  
Attendance, RI 25–41, 3206–0099 and  
3206–0215, Verification of Full-Time  
School Attendance, RI 25–49**

**AGENCY:** Office of Personnel  
Management.

**ACTION:** 60-Day notice and request for  
comments.

**SUMMARY:** OPM is soliciting comments  
regarding the renewal of two currently  
approved collections: Initial  
Certification of Full-Time School  
Attendance, RI 25–41 (3206–0099) and  
Verification of Full-Time School  
Attendance, RI 25–49 (3206–0215).  
OPM is considering consolidation of the  
information collections and combining  
the two forms into a single form.

**DATES:** Comments are encouraged and  
will be accepted until May 8, 2026.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments  
on the Federal eRulemaking Portal at  
<http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the  
instructions for submitting comments.  
The general policy for comments and  
other submissions from members of the  
public is to make these submissions  
available for public viewing on the  
internet at <http://www.regulations.gov>  
as they are received without change,  
including any personal identifiers or  
contact information.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** A  
copy of this ICR with applicable  
supporting documentation may be  
obtained by contacting the Retirement  
Services Publications Team, Office of  
Personnel Management, 1900 E Street  
NW, Room 3316–BD, Washington, DC  
20415, Attention: Cyrus S. Benson, or  
via email at [RSPublicationsTeam@  
opm.gov](mailto:RSPublicationsTeam@opm.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** As  
required by the Paperwork Reduction  
Act, as amended (44 U.S.C. chapter 35),  
OPM is soliciting comments for two  
currently approved collections: Initial  
Certification of Full-Time School  
Attendance, RI 25–41 (3206–0099) and  
Verification of Full-Time School  
Attendance, RI 25–49 (3206–0215).

A surviving adult child (between 18  
and 22 years of age) must be unmarried  
and a full-time student in a recognized  
school to receive survivor benefits. RI  
25–41, Initial Certification of Full-Time  
School Attendance is used to make an  
initial determination of whether a  
surviving adult child is eligible to  
receive survivor benefits. RI 25–49 is  
used to verify that a surviving adult  
student annuitant remains entitled to

payment. OPM must determine this in  
order to pay survivor annuity benefits to  
children who are age 18 or older under  
title 5, U.S.C. 8341(a)(4)(C) and  
8441(4)(C).

OPM is considering consolidating the  
RI 25–41 form and the RI 25–49 form,  
by revising the RI 25–41 form so that it  
can be used for initial certifications and  
annual verifications. OPM welcomes  
comments on combining the forms and  
the information collections, whether  
consolidation would reduce the burden  
on respondents, and if so, what the  
burden estimate should be.

The Office of Personnel Management  
is particularly interested in comments  
that:

1. Evaluate whether each of the  
collections of information is necessary  
for the proper performance of functions  
of the agency, including whether the  
information will have practical utility;
2. Evaluate the accuracy of the  
agency's estimate of the burden of each  
collection of information, including the  
validity of the methodology and  
assumptions used;
3. Enhance the quality, utility, and  
clarity of the information to be  
collected; and
4. Minimize the burden of the  
collections 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,  
*e.g.*, permitting electronic submissions  
of responses.

**Analysis**

*Agency:* Retirement Operations,  
Retirement Services, Office of Personnel  
Management.

*Title:* Initial Certification of Full-Time  
School Attendance, Verification of Full-  
Time School Attendance.

*OMB Control Nos.:* 3206–0099 and  
3206–0215.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or  
Households.

*Number of Respondents:* 3206–0099:  
1,200 and 3206–0215: 10,000.

*Estimated Time per Respondent:*  
3206–0099: 90 minutes and 3206–0215:  
60 minutes.

*Total Burden Hours:* 3206–0099:  
1,800 and 3206–0215: 10,000.

Office of Personnel Management.

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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE  
COMMISSION**

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**Self-Regulatory Organizations; Fixed  
Income Clearing Corporation; Notice of  
Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of  
a Proposed Rule Change To Amend  
the Clearing Agency Stress Testing  
Framework**

March 4, 2026.

Pursuant to Section 19(b)(1) of the  
Securities Exchange Act of 1934  
("Act")<sup>1</sup> and Rule 19b–4 thereunder,<sup>2</sup>  
notice is hereby given that on February  
25, 2026, Fixed Income Clearing  
Corporation ("FICC") filed with the  
Securities and Exchange Commission  
("Commission") the proposed rule  
change as described in Items I, II and III  
below, which Items have been prepared  
by the clearing agency. FICC filed the  
proposed rule change pursuant to  
Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Act<sup>3</sup> and Rule  
19b–4(f)(6) thereunder.<sup>4</sup> The  
Commission is publishing this notice to  
solicit comments on the proposed rule  
change from interested persons.

**I. Clearing Agency's Statement of the  
Terms of Substance of the Proposed  
Rule Change**

The proposed rule change consists of  
amendments to the Clearing Agency  
Stress Testing Framework  
("Framework") of FICC and its affiliates,  
The Depository Trust Company ("DTC")  
and National Securities Clearing  
Corporation ("NSCC," and together with  
FICC and DTC, the "Clearing  
Agencies").<sup>5</sup>

**II. Clearing Agency's Statement of the  
Purpose of, and Statutory Basis for, the  
Proposed Rule Change**

In its filing with the Commission, the  
clearing agency included statements  
concerning the purpose of and basis for  
the proposed rule change and discussed  
any comments it received on the  
proposed rule change. The text of these  
statements may be examined at the  
places specified in Item IV below. The  
clearing agency has prepared  
summaries, set forth in sections A, B,  
and C below, of the most significant  
aspects of such statements.

<sup>1</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(1).

<sup>2</sup> 17 CFR 240.19b–4.

<sup>3</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A).

<sup>4</sup> 17 CFR 240.19b–4(f)(6).

<sup>5</sup> Capitalized terms not defined herein shall have  
the meaning assigned to such terms in each of the  
Clearing Agencies' respective rules, available at  
[www.dtcc.com/legal/rules-and-procedures](http://www.dtcc.com/legal/rules-and-procedures).