

Sec. 23, lots 6, 8, 10, and 12;  
 Sec. 24, lots 6, 8, 10, and 12.  
 T. 34 S., R. 20 W.,  
 Sec. 19, only the 60-foot-wide strip reserved by the Presidential Proclamation of May 27, 1907;  
 Sec. 20, only the 60-foot-wide strip reserved by the Presidential Proclamation of May 27, 1907;  
 Sec. 21, only the 60-foot-wide strip reserved by the Presidential Proclamation of May 27, 1907;  
 Sec. 22, only the 60-foot-wide strip reserved by the Presidential Proclamation of May 27, 1907;  
 Sec. 23, only the 60-foot-wide strip reserved by the Presidential Proclamation of May 27, 1907;  
 Sec. 24, only that portion of the 60-foot-wide strip reserved by the Presidential Proclamation of May 27, 1907 lying South of lots 5,7, and 8.  
 T. 34 S., R. 21 W.,  
 Secs. 2 and 16;  
 Sec. 19, only the 60-foot-wide strip reserved by the Presidential Proclamation of May 27, 1907;  
 Sec. 20, only the 60-foot-wide strip reserved by the Presidential Proclamation of May 27, 1907;  
 Sec. 21, only the 60-foot-wide strip reserved by the Presidential Proclamation of May 27, 1907;  
 Sec. 22, only the 60-foot-wide strip reserved by the Presidential Proclamation of May 27, 1907;  
 Sec. 23, only the 60-foot-wide strip reserved by the Presidential Proclamation of May 27, 1907;  
 Sec. 24, only the 60-foot-wide strip reserved by the Presidential Proclamation of May 27, 1907.  
 T. 34 S., R. 22 W.,  
 Sec. 23, only the 60-foot-wide strip reserved by the Presidential Proclamation of May 27, 1907;  
 Sec. 24, only the 60-foot-wide strip reserved by the Presidential Proclamation of May 27, 1907.  
 The area described aggregates approximately 110,967 acres of Federal land in Doña Ana, Luna, and Hidalgo counties.

**Doug Burgum,**

*Secretary of the Interior.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE**

**Notice of Lodging of Proposed Modification to Consent Decree Under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act**

On March 13, 2026, the Department of Justice lodged with the United States District Court for the Southern District of Alabama a proposed modification to the Consent Decree entered in a lawsuit entitled: *United States v. BASF Corporation (f/k/a Ciba-Geigy*

*Corporation)*, Civil Action No. 96-cv-0571-CB-M.

The proposed modification requires the defendant in the lawsuit to perform additional remedial actions at the Ciba-Geigy Superfund Site located about two miles north of McIntosh, Alabama. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) issued a Record of Decision in July 1995, selecting a remedy for Operable Unit 3 at the Site, and the Consent Decree previously entered by the court requires the defendant to implement the remedy. Based on soil, sediment, and water samples taken between 2019 and 2022, EPA issued an Amended Record of Decision in August 2024 selecting additional remedial measures for Operable Unit 3. The proposed modification to the Consent Decree will require the defendant to implement these measures.

The publication of this notice opens a period for public comment on the proposed modification. Comments should be addressed to the Acting Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, and should refer to *United States v. BASF Corporation (f/k/a Ciba-Geigy Corporation)* D.J. Ref. No. 90-11-2-781B. All comments must be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the publication date of this notice. Comments may be submitted either by email or by mail:

<i>To submit comments:</i>	<i>Send them to:</i>
By email .....	<i>pubcomment-ees.enrd@usdoj.gov.</i>
By mail .....	Assistant Attorney General, U.S. DOJ—ENRD, P.O. Box 7611, Washington, DC 20044-7611.

Any comments submitted in writing may be filed by the United States in whole or in part on the public court docket without notice to the commenter.

During the public comment period, the proposed modification may be examined and downloaded at this website: <https://www.justice.gov/enrd/consent-decrees>. If you require assistance accessing the proposed modification you may request assistance by email or by mail to the addresses provided above for submitting comments.

**Scott Bauer,**

*Assistant Section Chief, Environmental Enforcement Section, Environment and Natural Resources Division.*

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**RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD**

**Proposed Collection; Comment Request**

In accordance with the requirement of Section 3506 (c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 which provides opportunity for public comment on new or revised data collections, the Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) will publish periodic summaries of proposed data collections.

*Comments are invited on:* (a) Whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information has practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the RRB's estimate of the burden of the collection of the information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden related to the collection of information on respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

*1. Title and purpose of information collection:* Application to Act as Representative Payee; OMB 3220-0052.

Under Section 12 of the Railroad Retirement Act (45 U.S.C. 231k), the Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) may pay benefits to a representative payee when an employee, spouse or survivor annuitant is incompetent or is a minor. A representative payee may be a court-appointed guardian, a statutory conservator or an individual selected by the RRB. The procedures pertaining to the appointment and responsibilities of a representative payee are prescribed in 20 CFR 266.

The forms furnished by the RRB to apply for representative payee status, and for securing the information needed to support the application follow. RRB Form AA-5, *Application for Substitution of Payee*, obtains information needed to determine the selection of a representative payee who will serve in the best interest of the beneficiary. RRB Form G-478, *Statement Regarding Patient's Capability to Manage Benefits*, obtains information about an annuitant's capability to manage their own benefits. The form is completed by the annuitant's personal physician or by a medical officer, if the annuitant is in an institution. It is not required when a court has appointed an individual or institution to manage the annuitant's funds or, in the absence of such appointment, when the annuitant is a minor. The RRB also provides representative payees with a booklet at the time of their appointment. The

booklet, RRB Form RB-5, *Your Duties as Representative Payee-Representative Payee's Record*, advises representative payees of their responsibilities under 20 CFR 266.9 and provides a means for the representative payee to maintain records pertaining to the receipt and use of RRB benefits. The booklet is provided for the representative payee's convenience. The RRB also accepts records that are kept by representative payee's as part of a common business practice. Completion is voluntary. One response is requested of each respondent. The RRB proposes the following changes to Forms AA-5, G-478 and RB-5:

Form AA-5:

- *Question 4*: Changed "No—Explain in Item 17" to "No—Explain in Item 18".
- *Question 10*: Added checkbox for "Care Facility".
- *Question 12*: Added checkbox for "Wages from employment".
- *Question 19*: Removed bullet "If the beneficiary begins to receive a public service pension, or there is a change in the amount of the pension" to comply with the Social Security Fairness Act of 2023 and added bullet "If there is any change to the beneficiary's banking information;"
- *Page 7*: Changed office hours.
- *Page 8*: Changed last sentence of the Paperwork Reduction Act Notice to

"Railroad Retirement Board, ATTN: Bureau of Information Services/Policy & Compliance, 844 N Rush St., Chicago, IL 60611-1275."

Form G-478:

- Changed last sentence of the Paperwork Reduction Act Notice to "Railroad Retirement Board, ATTN: Bureau of Information Services/Policy & Compliance, 844 N Rush St., Chicago, IL 60611-1275."

- *Question 9*: Added "Doctor/Clinic Tax ID" data entry line.

Form RB-5:

- *Pages 1 and 8*: Changed the office hours, added secure email and Website information.

ESTIMATE OF ANNUAL RESPONDENT BURDEN

Form No.	Annual responses	Time (minutes)	Burden (hours)
AA-5 .....	3,000	.....	900
Individuals .....	2,250	18	675
Institutions .....	750	.....	225
G-478 .....	2,000	6	200
RB-5 .....	15,300	.....	15,300
Individuals .....	11,475	60	11,475
Institutions .....	3,825	.....	3,825
Total .....	38,600	.....	30,600

2. *Title and purpose of information collection*: Supplement to Claim of Person Outside the United States; OMB 3220-0155.

Under the Social Security Amendments of 1983 (Public Law 98-21), which amends Section 202(t) of the Social Security Act, effective January 1, 1985, the Tier I or the overall minimum (O/M) portion of an annuity, and Medicare benefits payable under the Railroad Retirement Act to certain beneficiaries living outside the U.S., may be withheld. The benefit withholding provision of Public Law 98-21 applies to divorced spouses, spouses, minor or disabled children, students, and survivors of railroad employees who (1) initially became

eligible for Tier I amounts, O/M shares, and Medicare benefits after December 31, 1984; (2) are not U.S. citizens or U.S. nationals; and (3) have resided outside the U.S. for more than six consecutive months starting with the annuity beginning date. The benefit withholding provision does not apply, however to a beneficiary who is exempt under either a treaty obligation of the U.S., in effect on August 1, 1956, or a totalization agreement between the U.S. and the country in which the beneficiary resides, or to an individual who is exempt under other criteria specified in Public Law 98-21.

RRB Form G-45, *Supplement to Claim of Person Outside the United States*, is currently used by the RRB to

determine applicability of the withholding provision of Public Law 98-21. Completion of the form is required to obtain or retain a benefit. One response is requested of each respondent. The RRB proposes the following changes to Form G-45:

- Changed last sentence of the Paperwork Reduction Act Notice to "Railroad Retirement Board, ATTN: Bureau of Information Services/Policy & Compliance, 844 N Rush St., Chicago, IL 60611-1275."

- *Question 9 (d) and (e)*: Replaced "checks" with "correspondence" and other minor editorial changes to comply with Executive Order 14247, *Modernizing Payments To and From America's Bank Account*.

ESTIMATE OF ANNUAL RESPONDENT BURDEN

Form No.	Annual responses	Time (minutes)	Burden (hours)
G-45 .....	24	10	4

3. *Title and purpose of information collection*: *Repayment of Debt*; OMB 3220-0169.

Section 2 of the Railroad Retirement Act (RRA) (45 U.S.C. 231a) provides for payment of annuities to railroad employees who are retired due to age or

disability and annuities or benefits to their eligible spouses, divorced spouses, and survivors. Section 2 of the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act (RUIA) (45 U.S.C. 352) provides for the payment of benefits to qualified railroad employees who are unemployed, but

willing and able to work, and railroad employees who are unable to work due to sickness or injury. When an overpayment of RRA or RUIA benefits has occurred, prompt action is initiated to notify the annuitant or beneficiary of the overpayment and the method by

which the debt may be liquidated. The overpayment recovery methods available are cash refund by check, money order, debit card and withholding of annuities or benefits due.

Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) procedures pertaining to RRA annuity and benefit overpayment determinations and recovery are prescribed in 20 CFR

part 255. RUIA procedures pertaining to benefit overpayment determinations are prescribed in 20 CFR part 340.

When a debt is owed on an RRA or RUIA-related debt, the RRB mails Form DRL-145, *Debt Notice, to the debtor*; a Form G-421, *Repayment Method Form*, for the debtor to indicate how they will repay the debt; a Form G-66 or G-66B, *Your Rights to Review and/or Waiver*,

which explains what they can do if they disagree with the amount of the debt; and a Form G-66A or G-66BA, *Rights Request Form*, to request their right to have us review and/or waiver the debt. Completion of Form G-421F is voluntary. The RRB proposes no changes to Form G-421F.

ESTIMATE OF ANNUAL RESPONDENT BURDEN

Form No.	Annual responses	Time (minutes)	Burden (hours)
Form G-421F (RRA) activity .....	360	5	30
Form G-421F (RUIA) activity .....	175	5	15
Total .....	535	.....	45

**Additional Information or Comments:**  
To request more information or to obtain a copy of the information collection justification, forms, and/or supporting material or comments regarding the information collection should be addressed to Brian Foster, Railroad Retirement Board, 844 North Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611-1275 or emailed to [Brian.Foster@rrb.gov](mailto:Brian.Foster@rrb.gov). Written comments should be received within 60 days of this notice.

**Brian Foster,**

*Clearance Officer.*

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**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

[Release No. 34-105037; File No. SR-NYSEAMER-2026-18]

**Self-Regulatory Organizations; NYSE American LLC; Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of Proposed Change To Amend Exchange Rules 904, 903G, and 906G Regarding Options on Certain Crypto Assets**

March 18, 2026.

Pursuant to Section 19(b)(1)<sup>1</sup> of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (“Act”)<sup>2</sup> and Rule 19b-4 thereunder,<sup>3</sup> notice is hereby given that on March 10, 2026, NYSE American LLC (“Exchange”) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (“Commission”) the proposed rule change as described in Items I and II below, which Items have been prepared by the self-regulatory organization. The Commission is publishing this notice to

solicit comments on the proposed rule change from interested persons.

**I. Self-Regulatory Organization’s Statement of the Terms of Substance of the Proposed Rule Change**

The Exchange proposes to amend Rule 904 (Position Limits), Rule 903G (Terms of FLEX Options), and Rule 906G (Position Limits) in connection with the following options overlying Exchange-Traded Fund Shares, as applicable: Grayscale Bitcoin Trust, Grayscale Bitcoin Mini Trust, Bitwise Bitcoin ETF, iShares Bitcoin Trust, Fidelity Wise Origin Bitcoin Fund, ARK21Shares Bitcoin ETF, Grayscale Ethereum Trust ETF, Grayscale Ethereum Mini Trust ETF, Bitwise Ethereum ETF, iShares Ethereum Trust ETF, and Fidelity Ethereum Fund. The proposed rule change is available on the Exchange’s website at [www.nyse.com](http://www.nyse.com) and at the principal office of the Exchange.

**II. Self-Regulatory Organization’s Statement of the Purpose of, and Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change**

In its filing with the Commission, the self-regulatory organization 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 those statements may be examined at the places specified in Item IV below. The Exchange has prepared summaries, set forth in sections A, B, and C below, of the most significant parts of such statements.

**A. Self-Regulatory Organization’s Statement of the Purpose of, and the Statutory Basis for, the Proposed Rule Change**

**1. Purpose**

The Exchange proposes to amend Commentary .07(f) to Rule 904 (Position Limits), Rule 903G(a) (Terms of FLEX Options), and Rule 906G(b) (Position Limits) in connection with the following options overlying Exchange-Traded Fund Shares, as applicable: Grayscale Bitcoin Trust, Grayscale Bitcoin Mini Trust, Bitwise Bitcoin ETF, iShares Bitcoin Trust, Fidelity Wise Origin Bitcoin Fund, ARK21Shares Bitcoin ETF, Grayscale Ethereum Trust ETF, Grayscale Ethereum Mini Trust ETF, Bitwise Ethereum ETF, iShares Ethereum Trust ETF, and Fidelity Ethereum Fund (collectively “the Crypto Assets”). This filing is based on similar proposals submitted by Nasdaq ISE, LLC (“ISE”),<sup>4</sup> Miami International Securities Exchange, LLC (“MIAX”),<sup>5</sup> and Nasdaq PHLX LLC (“Phlx”).<sup>6</sup>

**Background**

On October 19, 2024, the Exchange received approval to list and trade options on the Grayscale Bitcoin Trust, the Grayscale Bitcoin Mini Trust, and

<sup>4</sup> See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 34-104648 (Jan. 21, 2026), 91 FR 3282 (Jan. 26, 2026) (SR-ISE-2026-01) (Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of Proposed Rule Change To Remove Restrictions on Certain Crypto Assets).

<sup>5</sup> See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 34-104738 (Jan. 29, 2026), 91 FR 5000 (Feb. 03, 2026) (SR-MIAX-2026-04) (Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of a Proposed Rule Change To Amend Rule 307, Position Limits, and Rule 309, Exercise Limits, Regarding Position and Exercise Limits on Options Overlying Certain Crypto Assets).

<sup>6</sup> See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 34-104650 (Jan. 21, 2026), 91 FR 3265 (Jan. 26, 2026) (SR-Phlx-2026-02) (Notice of Filing and Immediate Effectiveness of Proposed Rule Change To Remove Restrictions on Certain Crypto Assets).

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

<sup>2</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78a.

<sup>3</sup> 17 CFR 240.19b-4.