

The total time burden annual cost is \$201.50.

Time Burden Basis: The total hourly burden per year, upon respondents, is 6.25.

Staff cost = \$201.50.

\$32.24 per hour—based on mid level clerical salary

$\$32.24 \times 6.25$ hours per year = \$201.50

We are estimating that a mid-level clerical person, with an average salary of \$32.24 per hour, will be completing the Application for Investigation of Representation Dispute form. The total burden is estimated at 6.25 hours, therefore, the total time burden cost is estimated at \$201.50 per year.

The total annual mailing cost to respondents is \$20.50.

Number of applications mailed by

Respondents per year: 25.

Total estimated cost: \$20.50 ($25 \times \0.82 stamp).

The collection of this information is not mandatory; it is a voluntary request from airline and railroad carrier employees seeking to invoke an investigation of a representation dispute. After consulting with a sample of people involved with the collection of this information, the time to complete this information collection is estimated to average 15 minutes per response, including gathering the data needed and completion and review of the information. However, the estimated hour burden costs of the respondents may vary due to the complexity of the specific question in dispute.

The application form is available from the NMB's Office of Legal Affairs and is also available on the internet at <http://www.nmb.gov>, which is the primary source of the form.

12. The total annualized Federal cost is \$340.00. This cost represents the processing cost of the applications once they are received by the NMB. There are no printing or mailing costs. (The NMB has not received any requests to print and mail a form for a number of years.) The completed applications are maintained by the Office of Legal Affairs.

a. Processing Cost = \$340.00.

Basis (processing cost): Representation is requested approximately 25 times per year and it takes approximately 20 minutes to process each application.

Staff Cost = \$340.00

\$.68 per minute (GS 11 Step 1 base hourly rate of \$40.94 per hr. ÷ 60)

$\$.68 \times 20$ minutes per mailing = \$13.60

$\$13.60 \times 25$ times per year = \$340.00

13. Item 13—no change in annual reporting and recordkeeping hour burden.

14. The information collected by the application will not be published.

15. The NMB will display the OMB expiration date on the form.

16(a)—the form does not reduce the burden on small entities; however, the burden is minimized and voluntary.

16(b)—the form does not indicate the retention period for record keeping requirements.

16(c)—not applicable, the form is not part of a statistical survey.

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Michael Jerger,

Chief Financial Officer, Acting Director of Administration, National Mediation Board.

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Advisory Committee for Integrative Activities; Committee Reestablishment

AGENCY: National Science Foundation.

ACTION: Committee management reestablishment.

SUMMARY: The National Science Foundation (NSF) is reestablishing the Advisory Committee for Integrative Activities.

DATES: NSF approves the reestablishment of this committee on 9/4/2026. Effective date for reestablishment is September 30, 2026. For more information, please contact Crystal Robinson, NSF, at (703) 292–8687.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Crystal Robinson, Committee Management Officer, NSF, at (703) 292–8687, or by mail to National Science Foundation, Randolph Building, 401 Dulany Street, Alexandria, VA 22314.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The NSF management officials having responsibility for the advisory committee listed below have determined that reestablishing this committee is necessary and in the public interest in connection with the performance of duties imposed upon the Director, National Science Foundation (NSF), by 42 U.S.C. 1861 *et seq.* This determination follows consultation with the Committee Management Secretariat, General Services Administration.

Committee

Advisory Committee for Integrative Activities, #1373

Pursuant to 41 CFR 102–3.60(a), to establish, renew, reestablish, or merge a discretionary (agency discretion) advisory committee, an agency must

first consult with the General Services Administration's Committee Management Secretariat (the Secretariat) and, as part of the consultation, provide a written public interest determination approved by the head of the agency to the Secretariat with a copy to the Office of Management and Budget. In addition, pursuant to 41 CFR 102–3.35, an agency shall follow the same consultation process and document in writing the same determination of need before creating a subcommittee under a discretionary committee that is not made up entirely of members of a parent advisory committee. Information on the following factors for the committee is provided to the Secretariat to demonstrate that reestablishing the committee is in the public interest:

1. *Annual budget:* \$129,400.

a. *Federal personnel on a full-time equivalent (FTE) basis:* 0.4 FTE.

b. *Other Federal internal costs:*

\$46,000.

c. *Proposed payments to members:* \$38,400.

d. *Proposed number of members:* 24.

e. *Reimbursable costs:* \$45,000.

2. If applicable, the total dollar value of grants expected to be recommended during the fiscal year: N/A.

3. Criteria for selecting members to ensure the committee has the necessary expertise and fairly balance membership.

Membership is expected to consist of up to approximately 24 people appointed on an ad hoc basis as needed. The selection and number of these members will be determined by the subject matter to be considered by the committee. Members are selected to achieve a balance of viewpoints and expertise in scientific areas, sectors, geography, and types of organizations appropriate to the subject matter and encompassed by the Committee's charge. It is anticipated that membership will comprise of Special Government Employees (SGEs) and Regular Government Employees (RGEs)

4. List of all other Federal advisory committees of the agency.

84684 Advisory Committee for Technology, Innovation and Partnerships

1172 Alan T. Waterman Award Committee

13883 Astronomy and Astrophysics Advisory Committee

1173 Committee on Equal Opportunities in Science and Engineering

1186 Proposal Review Panel for Astronomical Sciences

10751 Proposal Review Panel for Atmospheric and Geospace Sciences

10747 Proposal Review Panel for Behavioral and Cognitive Sciences
 10743 Proposal Review Panel for Biological Infrastructure
 1189 Proposal Review Panel for Chemical, Bioengineering, Environmental, and Transport Systems
 1191 Proposal Review Panel for Chemistry
 1194 Proposal Review Panel for Civil, Mechanical, and Manufacturing Innovation
 1207 Proposal Review Panel for Computer and Network Systems
 1192 Proposal Review Panel for Computing & Communication Foundations
 1185 Proposal Review Panel for Cyberinfrastructure
 1569 Proposal Review Panel for Earth Sciences
 1196 Proposal Review Panel for Electrical, Communications, and Cyber Systems
 44011 Proposal Review Panel for Emerging Frontiers in Biological Sciences
 173 Proposal Review Panel for Engineering Education and Centers
 10744 Proposal Review Panel for Environmental Biology
 1756 Proposal Review Panel for Geosciences
 34558 Proposal Review Panel for Emerging Frontiers and Multidisciplinary Activities
 1200 Proposal Review Panel for Information and Intelligent Systems
 84685 Proposal Review Panel for Innovation and Technology Ecosystems
 2469 Proposal Review Panel for Integrative Activities
 10745 Proposal Review Panel for Integrative Organismal Systems
 10749 Proposal Review Panel for International Science and Engineering
 1203 Proposal Review Panel for Materials Research
 1204 Proposal Review Panel for Mathematical Sciences
 10746 Proposal Review Panel for Molecular and Cellular Biosciences
 10752 Proposal Review Panel for Ocean Sciences

1208 Proposal Review Panel for Physics
 1209 Proposal Review Panel for Polar Programs
 59 Proposal Review Panel for Research on Learning in Formal and Informal Settings
 10748 Proposal Review Panel for Social and Economic Sciences
 1766 Proposal Review Panel for Social, Behavioral and Economic Sciences
 84683 Proposal Review Panel for Translational Impacts
 57 Proposal Review Panel for Graduate Education
 1214 Proposal Review Panel for Undergraduate Education

5. Justification that the information or advice provided by the Federal advisory committee or subcommittee is not available from another Federal advisory committee, another Federal Government source, or any other more cost-effective and less burdensome source.

The committee will be convened as needed to provide timely advice on ad hoc matters for which information or advice is not available from another Federal advisory committee or Federal Government source and for which a synthesis of input from individuals with a range of expertise and perspectives will enable the Agency to better serve the public interest.

6. If the consultation is a committee renewal, a summary of the previous accomplishments of the committee and the reasons it needs to continue. Examples of the committee's accomplishments include: advising on potential improvements to NSF's merit review process; conducting assessments of NSF-operated Federally Funded Research and Development Centers; reviewing the implementation of major NSF programs such as the Established Program to Stimulate Competitive Research (EPSCoR), the Major Research Instrumentation program, and the Science and Technology Centers program; and providing advice on public engagement with science.

7. Explanation of why the committee/ subcommittee is essential to the conduct of agency business.

The committee provides advice on complex technical subjects from experts that complement the expertise of the Agency's own staff, and it promotes transparency and public confidence in the integrity of NSF's merit review process. This public interest determination documents that reestablishing the committee is essential to the conduct of agency business and that the information to be obtained is not already available through another advisory committee or source within the Federal Government.

Dated: September 14, 2026.

Crystal Robinson,

Committee Management Officer, National Science Foundation.

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POSTAL SERVICE

International Product Change—Priority Mail Express International, Priority Mail International & First-Class Package International Service Agreements

AGENCY: Postal Service.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Postal Service gives notice of filing requests with the Postal Regulatory Commission to add certain Priority Mail Express International, Priority Mail International & First-Class Package International Service contracts to the list of Negotiated Service Agreements in the Competitive Product List in the Mail Classification Schedule.

DATES: *Date of notice:* September 16, 2026.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Christopher C. Meyerson, (202) 268-7820.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The United States Postal Service hereby gives notice that, pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 3642 and 3632(b)(3), it filed with the Postal Regulatory Commission the following requests:

Date filed with Postal Regulatory Commission	Negotiated service agreement product category and No.	MC docket No.	K docket No.
9/11/2026	PMEI, PMI & FCPIS 124	MC2026-382	K2026-372
9/10/2026	PMEI, PMI & FCPIS 125	MC2026-379	K2026-369