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All filers should name their files using the name of the person or entity submitting the comments. Anonymous comments are also accepted. Communications from agencies of the United States Government will not be made available for public inspection.

Anyone submitting business confidential information should clearly identify the business confidential portion at the time of submission, file a statement justifying nondisclosure and referring to the specific legal authority claimed, and provide a non-confidential version of the submission. The non-confidential version of the submission will be placed in the public file on <http://www.regulations.gov>. For comments submitted electronically containing business confidential information, the file name of the business confidential version should begin with the characters "BC". Any page containing business confidential information must be clearly marked "BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL" on the top of that page. The non-confidential version must be clearly marked "PUBLIC". The file name of the non-confidential version should begin with the character "P". The "BC" and "P" should be followed by the name of the person or entity submitting the comments or rebuttal comments. If a public hearing is held in support of this assessment, a separate **Federal Register** notice will be published providing the date and information about the hearing. The Office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Industrial Policy) does not maintain a separate public inspection facility. Requesters should first view the Departments' web page, which can be found at <https://open.defense.gov/> (see "Electronic FOIA" heading). The records related to this assessment are made accessible in accordance with the regulations published in part 4 of title 15 of the Code of Federal Regulations (15 CFR 4.1 through 4.11).

Dated: September 23, 2021.

Aaron T. Siegel,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Department of Defense Wage Committee (DoDWC); Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting

AGENCY: Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Notice of closed Federal Advisory Committee meeting.

SUMMARY: The Department of Defense is publishing this notice to announce that the following Federal Advisory Committee meeting of the DoDWC will take place.

DATES: Tuesday, October 5, 2021 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and will be closed to the public.

ADDRESSES: The closed meeting will be held by teleconference.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Karl Fendt, (571) 372-1618 (voice), karl.h.fendt.civ@mail.mil (email), 4800 Mark Center Drive, Suite 05G21, Alexandria, Virginia 22350 (mailing address).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Meeting Announcement: Due to circumstances beyond the control of the Department of Defense and the Designated Federal Officer for the DoDWC, the DoDWC was unable to provide public notification required by 41 CFR 102-3.450(a) concerning its October 5, 2021 meeting. Accordingly, the Advisory Committee Management Officer for the Department of Defense, pursuant to 41 CFR 102-3.150(b), waives the 15-calendar day notification requirement.

This meeting is being held under the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) (5 U.S.C., appendix), the Government in the Sunshine Act (5 U.S.C. 552b), and 41 CFR 102-3.140 and 102-3.150.

Purpose of the Meeting: The purpose of this meeting is to provide independent advice and recommendations on matters relating to the conduct of wage surveys and the establishment of wage schedules for all appropriated fund and non-appropriated fund areas of blue-collar employees within the Department of Defense.

Agenda

Reviewing survey results and/or survey specifications for the following Nonappropriated Fund areas:

1. Any items needing further clarification or action from the previous agenda.
 2. Wage Schedule (Full Scale) for the Burlington, Vermont wage area (AC-071).
 3. Wage Schedule (Full Scale) for the Kent, Delaware wage area (AC-076).
 4. Wage Schedule (Full Scale) for the Richmond-Chesterfield, Virginia wage area (AC-082).
 5. Wage Schedule (Full Scale) for the Morris, New Jersey wage area (AC-090).
 6. Wage Schedule (Wage Change) for the Frederick, Maryland wage area (AC-088).
 7. Wage Schedule (Wage Change) for the Alexandria-Arlington-Fairfax, Virginia wage area (AC-125).
 8. Wage Schedule (Wage Change) for the Prince George's-Montgomery, Maryland wage area (AC-127).
 9. Survey Specifications for the Washoe-Churchill, Nevada wage area (AC-011).
 10. Survey Specifications for the Orange, Florida wage area (AC-062).
 11. Survey Specifications for the Bay, Florida wage area (AC-063).
 12. Survey Specifications for the Escambia, Florida wage area (AC-064).
 13. Survey Specifications for the Okaloosa, Florida wage area (AC-065).
 14. Survey Specifications for the Onslow, North Carolina wage area (AC-097).
 15. Survey Specifications for the Shelby, Tennessee wage area (AC-098).
 16. Survey Specifications for the Christian, Kentucky/Montgomery, Tennessee wage area (AC-099).
 17. Survey Specifications for the Charleston, South Carolina wage area (AC-120).
 18. Survey Specifications for the Middlesex, Massachusetts wage area (AC-138).
 19. Survey Specifications for the York, Maine wage area (AC-139).
 20. Survey Specifications for the Clark, Nevada wage area (AC-140).
 21. Survey Specifications for the San Juan-Guaynabo, Puerto Rico wage area (AC-155).
- Reviewing survey results and/or survey specifications for the following Appropriated Fund areas:*
22. Wage Schedule (Full Scale) for the Dothan, Alabama wage area (AC-003).
 23. Wage Schedule (Full Scale) for the Washington, District of Columbia wage area (AC-027).
 24. Wage Schedule (Full Scale) for the Columbus, Georgia wage area (AC-040).

25. Wage Schedule (Full Scale) for the Charlotte, North Carolina wage area (AC-100).

26. Wage Schedule (Full Scale) for the Oklahoma City, Oklahoma wage area (AC-109).

27. Wage Schedule (Full Scale) for the Tulsa, Oklahoma wage area (AC-111).

28. Wage Schedule (Full Scale) for the Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania wage area (AC-116).

29. Wage Schedule (Wage Change) for the Cedar Rapids-Iowa City, Iowa wage area (AC-052).

30. Wage Schedule (Wage Change) for the Portland, Oregon wage area (AC-112).

31. Wage Schedule (Wage Change) for the Wichita Falls, Texas-Southwestern Oklahoma wage area (AC-138).

32. Wage Schedule (Wage Change) for the Madison, Wisconsin wage area (AC-147).

33. Survey Specifications for the Columbus, Georgia wage area (AC-040).

34. Survey Specifications for the Charlotte, North Carolina wage area (AC-100).

35. Special Pay Missouri River Power Rate Schedule.

36. Any items needing further clarification from this agenda may be discussed during future scheduled meetings.

Meeting Accessibility: Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(4), the Department of Defense has determined that the meeting shall be closed to the public. The Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness, in consultation with the Department of Defense Office of General Counsel, has determined in writing that this meeting may disclose trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential.

Written Statements: Pursuant to section 10(a)(3) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act and 41 CFR 102-3.140, interested persons may submit written statements to the Designated Federal Officer for the DoDWC at any time. Written statements should be submitted to the Designated Federal Officer at the email or mailing address listed above in **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**. If statements pertain to a specific topic being discussed at a planned meeting, then these statements must be submitted no later than five (5) business days prior to the meeting in question. Written statements received after this date may not be provided to or considered by the DoDWC until its next meeting. The Designated Federal Officer will review all timely submitted written statements and provide copies to all the committee

members before the meeting that is the subject of this notice.

Dated: September 22, 2021.

Aaron T. Siegel,

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

[Docket No.: ED-2021-SCC-0143]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Comment Request; International Resource Information System (IRIS)

AGENCY: Office of Postsecondary Education (OPE), Department of Education (ED).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, ED is proposing an extension without change of a currently approved collection.

DATES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before November 29, 2021.

ADDRESSES: To access and review all the documents related to the information collection listed in this notice, please use <http://www.regulations.gov> by searching the Docket ID number ED-2021-SCC-0143. Comments submitted in response to this notice should be submitted electronically through the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <http://www.regulations.gov> by selecting the Docket ID number or via postal mail, commercial delivery, or hand delivery. If the [regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) site is not available to the public for any reason, ED will temporarily accept comments at ICDocketMgr@ed.gov. Please include the docket ID number and the title of the information collection request when requesting documents or submitting comments. *Please note that comments submitted by fax or email and those submitted after the comment period will not be accepted.* Written requests for information or comments submitted by postal mail or delivery should be addressed to the PRA Coordinator of the Strategic Collections and Clearance Governance and Strategy Division, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Ave. SW, LBJ, Room 6W208D, Washington, DC 20202-8240.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For specific questions related to collection activities, please contact Sara Starke, 202-453-7681.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Department of Education (ED), in

accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)), provides the general public and Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed, revised, and continuing collections of information. This helps the Department assess the impact of its information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. It also helps the public understand the Department's information collection requirements and provide the requested data in the desired format. ED is soliciting comments on the proposed information collection request (ICR) that is described below. The Department of Education is especially interested in public comment addressing the following issues: (1) Is this collection necessary to the proper functions of the Department; (2) will this information be processed and used in a timely manner; (3) is the estimate of burden accurate; (4) how might the Department enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (5) how might the Department minimize the burden of this collection on the respondents, including through the use of information technology. Please note that written comments received in response to this notice will be considered public records.

Title of Collection: International Resource Information System (IRIS).

OMB Control Number: 1840-0759.

Type of Review: An extension without change of a currently approved collection.

Respondents/Affected Public: Private Sector; Individuals and Households; Federal Government.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses: 6,596.

Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours: 35,712.

Abstract: Information Resource Information System (IRIS) is an online performance reporting system for grantees of International and Foreign Language Education (IFLE) programs. The site also allows for IFLE program officers to process overseas language requests, travel authorization requests, and grant activation requests. IRIS keeps a record of these requests and also of Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Fellowship recipients and grantee performance reports.

Dated: September 23, 2021.

Kate Mullan,

PRA Coordinator, Strategic Collections and Clearance, Governance and Strategy Division, Office of Chief Data Officer, Office of Planning, Evaluation and Policy Development.

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