objectives is to safeguard loan security until the loan is repaid. When a borrower enters into the mortgage agreement with the Agency, all current and future capital assets of the borrower are ordinarily mortgaged or pledged to the Federal Government as security for Agency loans. The Agency's policy on sales of capital assets requires that the sale meet several requirements including the following: (1) the selling price shall be greater than or equal to the fair market value; and (2) the sale shall not jeopardize the repayment of the Agency's loan.

The selling of assets reduces the security and increases the risk to the government. RUS Form 369 allows the borrower to seek agency permission to sell some of its assets. The form collects detailed information regarding the proposed sales of a portion of the borrower's systems. RUS electric utility borrowers complete this form to request RUS approval in order to sell capital assets when the fair market value exceeds 10 percent of the borrower's net utility plant.

Estimate of Burden: Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 2.074 hours per response

*Respondents:* Nonprofit corporations and institutions of higher education.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 35.

Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: 2.31.

Estimated Number of Responses: 81. Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 168 hours.

Copies of this information collection can be obtained from Adyam Negasi, RD Innovation Center—Regulations Management Division, Telephone: 202– 211–9298, email: adyam.negasi@ usda.gov.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will also become a matter of public record.

#### Karl Elmshaeuser,

Administrator, Rural Utilities Service, USDA Rural Development.

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# **COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS**

Notice of Public Meeting of the Maryland 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 Maryland Advisory Committee (Committee) to the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights will a public meeting via Zoom. The purpose is for the committee to discuss possible topics of study.

**DATES:** Monday, September 8, 2025, at 3:00 p.m. EDT.

#### ADDRESSES:

Registration Link (Audio/Visual): https://www.zoomgov.com/webinar/ register/WN\_

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#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Brooke Peery, Designated Federal Officer, at *bpeery@usccr.gov* or 1–202–701–1376.

# 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/mnshz8n9. 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.

# Agenda

I. Welcome & Roll Call

II. Chair's Comments

III. Committee Discussion on Topics of Study

IV. Next Steps

V. Public Comment

VI. Other Business

VII. Adjourn

Dated: August 13, 2025.

#### David Mussatt.

Supervisory Chief, Regional Programs Unit. [FR Doc. 2025–15638 Filed 8–15–25; 8:45 am]

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# **COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS**

# Notice of Public Meeting of the Ohio 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 Ohio Advisory Committee (Committee) to the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights will hold a public meeting via Zoom. The purpose of this meeting is to debrief on testimony received from panel briefings I–III and determine the next course of action.

**DATES:** Friday, September 19, 2025, from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. Eastern Time. **ADDRESSES:** This meeting will be held via Zoom.

Registration Link (Audio/Visual): https://www.zoomgov.com/webinar/ register/WN\_MXo-PdyHSBmFjVVHZv8ajA.

*Join by Phone (Audio Only):* 1–833–435–1820 USA Toll Free; Webinar ID: 160 934 7066.

# FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mallory Trachtenberg, Designated Federal Officer, at *mtrachtenberg@usccr.gov* or 1–202–809–9618.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This Committee meeting is available to the public through the registration link above. Any interested members of the public may attend this meeting. An open comment period will be provided to allow members of the public to make oral comments as time allows. Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act,

public minutes of the meeting will include a list of persons who are present at the meeting. 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 svillanueva@usccr.gov at least 5 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 Sarah Villanueva at svillanueva@usccr.gov. Persons who desire additional information may contact the Regional Programs Coordination Unit at 1–202–809–9618.

Records generated from these meetings may be inspected and reproduced at the Regional Programs Coordination Unit Office, as they become available, both before and after each meeting. Records of the meetings will be available via the file sharing website, https://bit.ly/4g3IB4K. 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 svillanueva@usccr.gov.

# Agenda

I. Welcome and Roll Call

II. Approval of Minutes

III. Announcements and Updates

IV. Committee Discussion

V. Next steps

VI. Public Comment

VII. Adjournment

Dated: August 13, 2025.

# David Mussatt,

Supervisory Chief, Regional Programs Unit. [FR Doc. 2025–15639 Filed 8–15–25; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE P

# **DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

# **Bureau of Economic Analysis**

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Direct Investment Surveys: BE-11, Annual Survey of U.S. Direct Investment Abroad

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 06/16/2025 during a 60-day comment period. This notice allows for an additional 30 days for public comments.

*Agency:* Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA), Department of Commerce.

*Title:* Annual Survey of U.S. Direct Investment Abroad.

*OMB Control Number:* 0608–0053. *Form Number:* BE–11.

*Type of Request:* Reinstatement with change of a previously approved collection.

Number of Respondents: 3,000 respondents (U.S. parents). A complete response includes a BE-11 A form for the U.S. parent's domestic operation and one or more BE-11 B or D forms for its foreign affiliates that meet the BE-11 survey requirements. BEA estimates that U.S. parents will submit 3,000 A forms, 22,000 B forms, 130 D forms, and 500 Claim for Exemption forms.

Average Hours per Response: 95.2 hours per respondent (285,630 hours/3,000 U.S. parents) is the average but may vary considerably among respondents because of differences in company structure, complexity, and the number of foreign affiliates each U.S. parent must report.

Burden Hours: 285,630 hours. Total annual burden is calculated by multiplying the estimated number of submissions of each form by the average hourly burden per form, which is 7 hours for the A form, 12 hours for the B form, 1 hour for the D form, and 1 hour for the Claim for Exemption form.

Needs and Uses: The Annual Survey of U.S. Direct Investment Abroad (BE– 11) obtains sample data on the financial

structure and operations of U.S. parents and their foreign affiliates. The data are needed to provide reliable, useful, and timely measures of U.S. direct investment abroad to assess its impact on the U.S. and foreign economies. The sample data are used to derive universe estimates in nonbenchmark years from similar data reported in the BE-10, Benchmark Survey of U.S. Direct Investment Abroad, which is conducted every five years. The data collected include balance sheets; income statements; property, plant, and equipment; employment and employee compensation; merchandise trade; sales of goods and services; taxes; and research and development activity.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit organizations.

Frequency: Annual.

Respondent's Obligation: Mandatory. Legal Authority: International Investment and Trade in Services Survey Act (P. L. 94–472, 22 U.S.C. 3101–3108, as amended).

This information collection request may be viewed at *www.reginfo.gov*. Follow the instructions to view 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 Review—Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function and entering either the title of the collection or the OMB Control Number 0608–0053.

#### Sheleen Dumas,

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

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# **DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

# International Trade Administration [C-533-941]

# Certain Freight Rail Couplers and Parts Thereof From India: Initiation of Countervailing Duty Investigation

**AGENCY:** Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

**DATES:** Applicable August 12, 2025. **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Joshua Jacobson, AD/CVD Operations, Office IV, Enforcement and Compliance,