

are covered under Social Security or Medicare is the domestic employee coverage threshold. For 2021, this threshold is \$2,300. Section 3121(x) of the Internal Revenue Code provides the formula for increasing the threshold.

#### Computation

Under the formula, the domestic employee coverage threshold for 2021 is equal to the 1995 amount of \$1,000 multiplied by the ratio of the national average wage index for 2019 to that for 1993. If the resulting amount is not a multiple of \$100, we round it to the next lower multiple of \$100.

#### Domestic Employee Coverage Threshold Amount

Multiplying the 1995 domestic employee coverage threshold (\$1,000) by the ratio of the national average wage index for 2019 (\$54,099.99) to that for 1993 (\$23,132.67) produces \$2,338.68. We then round this amount to \$2,300. Therefore, the domestic employee coverage threshold amount is \$2,300 for 2021.

#### Election Official and Election Worker Coverage Threshold

##### General

The minimum amount an election official and election worker must earn so the earnings are covered under Social Security or Medicare is the election official and election worker coverage threshold. For 2021, this threshold is \$2,000. Section 218(c)(8)(B) of the Act provides the formula for increasing the threshold.

#### Computation

Under the formula, the election official and election worker coverage threshold for 2021 is equal to the 1999 amount of \$1,000 multiplied by the ratio of the national average wage index for 2019 to that for 1997. If the amount we determine is not a multiple of \$100, it we round it to the nearest multiple of \$100.

#### Election Official and Election Worker Coverage Threshold Amount

Multiplying the 1999 coverage threshold amount (\$1,000) by the ratio of the national average wage index for 2019 (\$54,099.99) to that for 1997 (\$27,426.00) produces \$1,972.58. We then round this amount to \$2,000. Therefore, the election official and election worker coverage threshold amount is \$2,000 for 2021.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance: Program Nos. 96.001 Social Security-Disability Insurance; 96.002 Social Security-Retirement Insurance; 96.004 Social Security-

Survivors Insurance; 96.006 Supplemental Security Income)

The Commissioner of the Social Security Administration, Andrew Saul, having reviewed and approved this document, is delegating the authority to electronically sign this document to Faye I. Lipsky, who is the primary Federal Register Liaison for SSA, for purposes of publication in the **Federal Register**.

**Faye I. Lipsky,**

*Federal Register Liaison, Office of Legislation and Congressional Affairs, Social Security Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Aviation Administration

[Docket No. FAA-2020-0999]

#### Agency Information Collection Activities: Requests for Comments; Clearance of a Renewed Approval of Information Collection: Protection of Voluntarily Submitted Information

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, FAA invites public comments about our intention to request the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval to renew an information collection. The collection involves protection of voluntarily submitted information. Part 193 of the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) regulations provides that certain information submitted to the FAA on a voluntary basis is not to be disclosed. This part implements a statutory provision. The purpose of Part 193 is to encourage the aviation community to voluntarily share information with the FAA so that the agency may work cooperatively with industry to identify modifications to rules, policies, and procedures needed to improve safety, security, and efficiency of the National Airspace System (NAS). The information collection associated with Part 193 also supports the Department of Transportation's Strategic Goal of Safety and Security.

**DATES:** Written comments should be submitted by December 21, 2020.

**ADDRESSES:** Please send written comments:

*By Electronic Docket:*  
[www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) (Enter docket number into search field).

*By mail:* Sandra Ray, Federal Aviation Administration, Policy Integration Branch AFS-270, 1187 Thorn Run Road, Suite 200, Coraopolis, PA 15108.

*By fax:* 412-239-3063.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Lee Magnuson by email at [lee.magnuson@faa.gov](mailto:lee.magnuson@faa.gov); phone: 816-329-3275.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Public Comments Invited:* You are asked to comment on any aspect of this information collection, including (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for FAA's performance; (b) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (c) ways for FAA to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information collection; and (d) ways that the burden could be minimized without reducing the quality of the collected information. The agency will summarize and/or include your comments in the request for OMB's clearance of this information collection.

*OMB Control Number:* 2120-0646.

*Title:* Protection of Voluntarily Submitted Information.

*Form Numbers:* None.

*Type of Review:* Renewal of an information collection.

*Background:* Part 193 of the FAA regulations provides that certain information submitted to the FAA on a voluntary basis is not to be disclosed. Part 193 implements a statutory provision. Section 40123 was added to Title 49, United States Code, in the Federal Aviation Reauthorization Act of 1996 to encourage people to voluntarily submit desired information. Section 40123 allows the Administrator, through FAA regulations, to protect from disclosure voluntarily provided information relating to safety and security issues.

The purpose of part 193 is to encourage the aviation community to voluntarily share information with the FAA so that the agency may work cooperatively with industry to identify modifications to rules, policies, and procedures needed to improve safety, security, and efficiency of the National Airspace System. FAA programs that are covered under part 193 are Voluntary Safety Reporting Programs, Air Traffic and Technical Operations Safety Action programs, the Flight Operational Quality Assurance program, the Aviation Safety Action Program, and the Voluntary Disclosure Reporting Program. This rule imposes a negligible paperwork burden for certificate holders and fractional ownership programs that choose to submit a letter notifying the

Administrator that they wish to participate in a current program.

The number of respondents has greatly increased since the initial approval of this information collection. In order to accurately reflect the burden of this information collection going forward, the FAA has included total current participants in the programs.

*Respondents:* 1,336.

*Frequency:* Varies per response time.

*Estimated Average Burden per*

*Response:* Varies per response time.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden:*

1,346 Hours.

Issued in Washington, DC, on October 16, 2020.

**Sandra L. Ray,**

*Aviation Safety Inspector, FAA, Policy Integration Branch, AFS-270.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Office of Foreign Assets Control

#### Notice of OFAC Sanctions Actions.

**AGENCY:** Office of Foreign Assets Control, Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) is publishing the names of one or more persons that have been placed on OFAC's Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons List based on OFAC's determination that one or more applicable legal criteria were satisfied. All property and interests in property subject to U.S. jurisdiction of these persons are blocked, and U.S. persons are generally prohibited from engaging in transactions with them.

**DATES:** See **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section for effective date(s).

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

*OFAC:* Associate Director for Global Targeting, tel.: 202-622-2420; Assistant Director for Sanctions Compliance & Evaluation, tel.: 202-622-2490; Assistant Director for Licensing, tel.: 202-622-2480; Assistant Director for Regulatory Affairs, tel.: 202-622-4855.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Electronic Availability

The Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons List and additional information concerning OFAC sanctions programs are available on OFAC's website ([www.treasury.gov/ofac](http://www.treasury.gov/ofac)).

##### Notice of OFAC Action(s)

On October 19, 2020, OFAC determined that the property and

interests in property subject to U.S. jurisdiction of the following persons are blocked under the relevant sanctions authorities listed below.

#### Individual

1. TALIB, Ahmed Luqman (a.k.a. TALEB, Adam Ahmad), Australia; Turkey; Qatar; Brazil; DOB 12 Feb 1990; POB Birmingham, United Kingdom; nationality Australia; Gender Male; Passport N7693460 (Australia) expires 17 Jan 2024; alt. Passport N5230514 (Australia) expires 29 Jul 2021; alt. Passport M6215165 (Australia) expires 24 Jan 2012; alt. Passport 137492291 (Venezuela) expires 17 Jul 2021 (individual) [SDGT] (Linked To: AL QA'IDA).

Designated pursuant to section 1(a)(iii)(C) of Executive Order 13224 of September 23, 2001, "Blocking Property and Prohibiting Transactions With Persons Who Commit, Threaten to Commit, or Support Terrorism," 3 CFR, 2001 Comp., p. 786, as amended by Executive Order 13886 of September 9, 2019, "Modernizing Sanctions To Combat Terrorism", 84 FR 48041 (E.O. 13224, as amended), for having materially assisted, sponsored, or provided financial, material, or technological support for, or goods or services to or in support of, AL-QA'IDA, a person whose property and interests in property are blocked pursuant to E.O. 13224, as amended.

#### Entity

1. TALIB AND SONS PTY LTD, 21 Anthony Dr, 3149 Mt Waverly, Victoria, Australia; Company Number 633227488 (Australia) [SDGT] (Linked To: TALIB, Ahmed Luqman).

Designated pursuant to section 1(a)(iii)(A) of E.O. 13224, as amended, for being owned, controlled, or directed by AHMED LUQMAN TALIB, a person whose property and interests in property are blocked pursuant to E.O. 13224, as amended.

Dated: October 19, 2020.

**Andrea Gacki,**

*Director, Office of Foreign Assets Control, U.S. Department of the Treasury.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Office of Foreign Assets Control

#### Notice of OFAC Sanctions Actions

**AGENCY:** Office of Foreign Assets Control, Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) is publishing the names of one or more persons that have been placed on OFAC's Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons List based on OFAC's determination that one or more applicable legal criteria were satisfied. All property and interests in

property subject to U.S. jurisdiction of these persons are blocked, and U.S. persons are generally prohibited from engaging in transactions with them.

**DATES:** See **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section for applicable date(s).

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

*OFAC:* Associate Director for Global Targeting, tel.: 202-622-2420; Assistant Director for Sanctions Compliance & Evaluation, tel.: 202-622-2490, or; Assistant Director for Licensing, tel.: 202-622-2480.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Electronic Availability

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##### Notice of OFAC Actions

The Secretary of State has determined that the following persons meet criteria for sanctions set forth in section 1244(d)(1)(A) of the Iran Freedom and Counter-Proliferation Act of 2012 (Pub. L. 112-239) (22 U.S.C. 8801 *et seq.*) (IFCA) and has selected sanctions described in section 6(a) of the Iran Sanctions Act of 1996 (Pub. L. 104-172) (50 U.S.C. 1701 note) (ISA) to be imposed with respect to these persons. Accordingly, on October 19, 2020, the Director of OFAC, acting pursuant to delegated authority, has taken the actions described below to impose sanctions set forth in sections 5(a)(i)-5(a)(v) and 5(a)(vii) of Executive Order 13846 with respect to the persons listed below. The below descriptions also reflect the actions taken on October 19, 2020 by the Secretary of State with respect to sanctions set forth in section 4(e) of Executive Order 13846 and communicated to the Director of OFAC for publication.

##### Individuals

1. CHEN, Eric (a.k.a. CHEN, Guo Ping; a.k.a. CHEN, Guoping), Rm 601, No 15, Lane 1299, Dingxiang Rd, Pudong New Area, Shanghai, China; DOB 02 Aug 1968; citizen China; Gender Male; Executive Order 13846 information: LOANS FROM UNITED STATES FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS. Sec. 5(a)(i); alt. Executive Order 13846 information: FOREIGN EXCHANGE. Sec. 5(a)(ii); alt. Executive Order 13846 information: BANKING TRANSACTIONS. Sec. 5(a)(iii); alt. Executive Order 13846 information: BLOCKING PROPERTY AND INTERESTS IN PROPERTY. Sec. 5(a)(iv); alt. Executive Order 13846 information: BAN ON INVESTMENT IN EQUITY OR DEBT OF SANCTIONED PERSON. Sec. 5(a)(v); alt. Executive Order 13846 information: EXCLUSION OF CORPORATE OFFICERS. Sec. 4(e); Passport ED6535652 (China); alt.