

rules, policies, and procedures regarding its legal, governance, risk management, and operating framework, accurate in all material respects at the time of publication; and (v) updating the public disclosure every two years, or more frequently following changes to its system or the environment in which it operates to the extent necessary to ensure statements previously provided remain accurate in all material respects. The Governance Playbook contains procedures regarding required disclosures to ensure that ICC publicly discloses relevant rules and material procedures. The proposed changes assign responsibility, reference applicable regulations, and include additional information and procedures regarding maintaining and updating the Disclosure Framework in accordance with relevant regulations. Such changes would ensure that the Disclosure Framework is updated accordingly and remains accurate in all material respects in compliance with applicable regulatory requirements. Therefore, ICC believes the proposed rule change is consistent with the requirements of Rule 17ad-22(e)(23).<sup>13</sup>

*(B) Clearing Agency's Statement on Burden on Competition*

ICC does not believe the proposed rule change would have any impact, or impose any burden, on competition. The proposed changes to the Governance Playbook will apply uniformly across all market participants. The changes consist of clarifications and updates regarding the roles and responsibilities of Legal and internal committees involved in the governance process to promote clarity, consistency, and completeness in respect of the information provided in the Governance Playbook. Moreover, ICC does not believe these amendments would affect the costs of clearing or the ability of market participants to access clearing. Therefore, ICC does not believe the proposed rule change would impose any burden on competition that is inappropriate in furtherance of the purposes of the Act.

*(C) Clearing Agency's Statement on Comments on the Proposed Rule Change, From Members, Participants or Others*

Written comments relating to the proposed rule change have not been solicited or received. ICC will notify the Commission of any written comments received by ICC.

**III. Date of Effectiveness of the Proposed Rule Change and Timing for Commission Action**

Within 45 days of the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register** or within such longer period up to 90 days (i) as the Commission may designate if it finds such longer period to be appropriate and publishes its reasons for so finding or (ii) as to which the self-regulatory organization consents, the Commission will:

- (A) By order approve or disapprove such proposed rule change, or
- (B) institute proceedings to determine whether the proposed rule change should be disapproved.

**IV. Solicitation of Comments**

Interested persons are invited to submit written data, views, and arguments concerning the foregoing, including whether the proposed rule change is consistent with the Act. Comments may be submitted by any of the following methods:

*Electronic Comments*

- Use the Commission's internet comment form (<http://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml>); or
- Send an email to [rule-comments@sec.gov](mailto:rule-comments@sec.gov). Please include File Number SR-ICC-2022-003 on the subject line.

*Paper Comments*

Send paper comments in triplicate to Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549.

All submissions should refer to File Number SR-ICC-2022-003. This file number should be included on the subject line if email is used. To help the Commission process and review your comments more efficiently, please use only one method. The Commission will post all comments on the Commission's internet website (<http://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml>). Copies of the submission, all subsequent amendments, all written statements with respect to the proposed rule change that are filed with the Commission, and all written communications relating to the proposed rule change between the Commission and any person, other than those that may be withheld from the public in accordance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 552, will be available for website viewing and printing in the Commission's Public Reference Room, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549, on official business days between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Copies of such filings will also be available for

inspection and copying at the principal office of ICE Clear Credit and on ICE Clear Credit's website at <https://www.theice.com/clear-credit/regulation>.

All comments received will be posted without change. Persons submitting comments are cautioned that we do not redact or edit personal identifying information from comment submissions. You should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly. All submissions should refer to File Number SR-ICC-2022-003 and should be submitted on or before May 3, 2022.

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.<sup>14</sup>

**J. Matthew DeLesDernier,**

*Assistant Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

**[Public Notice: 11712]**

**Notice of Public Meeting**

**SUMMARY:** As required by the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Department of State gives notice of a meeting of the Advisory Committee on International Postal and Delivery Services. This Committee will meet virtually on Wednesday, April 27, 2022, from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time, hosted on a Zoom platform, as follows:

**Meeting**

<https://statedept.zoomgov.com/j/1617289259?pwd=VnA1Q1ZIS0lrNIZFN0FHV2FGT0l5QT09>

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Members of the public interested in providing input to the meeting should contact Mr. Tom Moore, whose contact information is listed below (see the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION** section of this notice). Individuals providing oral input are requested to limit their comments to five minutes. Requests to be added to the speakers list must be received in writing (by email) prior to the close of

<sup>13</sup> *Id.*

<sup>14</sup> 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

business on Wednesday, April 20; written comments from members of the public for distribution at this meeting must reach Mr. Moore by email on this same date. Requests received after that date, including any requests for reasonable accommodation, will be considered but might not be able to be fulfilled.

The agenda of the meeting will include discussion of the outcome of the Abidjan Congress and an overview of issues that are being addressed in the current Congress cycle, in particular the U.S. approach to the Universal Postal Union (UPU) Task Force on opening to the wider postal sector, in preparation for 2023 UPU Extraordinary Congress, expected in late summer 2023.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Please contact Mr. Tom Moore of the Office of Specialized and Technical Agencies (IO/STA), Bureau of International Organization Affairs, U.S. Department of State, at tel. (202) 538-1474 or by email at [MooreTH@state.gov](mailto:MooreTH@state.gov).

**Stuart Smith,**

*Designated Federal Officer, Advisory Committee on International Postal and Delivery Services, Office of Specialized and Technical Agencies, Bureau of International Organization Affairs, Department of State.*

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## OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE

### Notice of Continuation and Request for Nominations for the Industry Trade Advisory Committees

**AGENCY:** Office of the United States Trade Representative.

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

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Trade Representative and the Secretary of Commerce (Secretary) have established a new four-year charter term ending in February 2026 for the Industry Trade Advisory Committees (ITACs) and are accepting applications from qualified individuals interested in serving as members. The ITACs provide detailed policy and technical advice, information, and recommendations to the Secretary and the U.S. Trade Representative regarding trade barriers, negotiation of trade agreements, and implementation of existing trade agreements affecting industry sectors, and perform other advisory functions relevant to U.S. trade policy matters. There currently are opportunities for membership on each ITAC and we will

accept nominations throughout the charter term.

**DATES:** We will accept nominations for membership on the ITACs throughout the four-year charter term.

**ADDRESSES:** Submit nominations via email to [ITAC@trade.gov](mailto:ITAC@trade.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ingrid Mitchem, Director, Industry Trade Advisory Center, U.S. Department of Commerce at [ITAC@trade.gov](mailto:ITAC@trade.gov), 202-482-3268, or Ethan Holmes, Director of Private Sector Engagement, Office of Intergovernmental Affairs and Public Engagement, in the Office of the United States Trade Representative at [Ethan.M.Holmes@ustr.eop.gov](mailto:Ethan.M.Holmes@ustr.eop.gov), 202-881-9185. You can find additional information about the ITACs on the International Trade Administration website at: <https://www.trade.gov/industry-trade-advisory-center>.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Background

Section 135 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended (19 U.S.C. 2155), establishes a private-sector trade advisory system to ensure that U.S. trade policy and trade negotiation objectives adequately reflect U.S. commercial and economic interests. Section 135(c)(2) (19 U.S.C. 2155(c)(2)) directs the President to establish sectoral or functional trade advisory committees, as appropriate, including representatives of industry, labor, agriculture, and services, including small business, in the sector or functional area concerned, to provide detailed policy and technical advice, information, and recommendations regarding trade barriers, negotiation of trade agreements, and implementation of existing trade agreements affecting industry sectors, and perform other advisory functions relevant to U.S. trade policy matters as requested.

The ITACs are subject to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act. *See* 19 U.S.C. 2155(f); 5 U.S.C. app. II.

##### II. What do the ITACs do?

The ITACs provide detailed policy and technical advice, information, and recommendations to the Secretary and the U.S. Trade Representative on trade policy matters including:

- Negotiating objectives and bargaining positions before entering into trade agreements. The impact of the implementation of trade agreements on the relevant sector.
- Matters concerning the operation of any trade agreement once entered into.
- Other matters arising in connection with the development, implementation,

and administration of the trade policy of the United States.

The nonpartisan, industry input provided by the ITACs is important in developing unified trade policy objectives and positions when the United States negotiates and implements trade agreements.

The ITACs address market-access problems, trade barriers, tariffs, discriminatory foreign procurement practices, and information, marketing, and advocacy needs of their industry sector. Twelve ITACs (ITACs 1-12) provide advice and information on issues that affect specific sectors of U.S. industry. Three ITACs (ITACs 13-15) focus on crosscutting functional issues that affect all industry sectors and include specifically appointed members along with non-voting members from the industry specific ITACs to represent a broad range of industry perspectives. The ITACs may address other trade policy issues, *e.g.*, government procurement and subsidies, in ad hoc working groups.

##### III. What is the ITAC slate for 2022-2026?

When the U.S. Trade Representative and the Secretary organize the ITACs, the Trade Act requires that they consult with interested private organizations and consider:

- Patterns of actual or potential competition between U.S. industry and agriculture and foreign enterprise in international trade.
- The character of the nontariff barriers and other distortions affecting such competition.
- The necessity for reasonable limits on the number and size of the ITACs.
- That the product lines covered by each ITAC are reasonably related.

The Office of the U.S. Trade Representative and the U.S. Department of Commerce requested comments on proposed changes to the slate of ITACs (86 FR 72303) and received 13 written submissions in response. A majority of the responses substantially supported separating the current ITAC 5 into two separate ITACs and re-establishing the Committee of Chairs. We have carefully considered these submissions and other factors including the nature of the U.S. industry in various sectors, the level of interest in serving on an ITAC (using the number of members and applications for appointment during the 2018-2022 charter terms), the level of activity of each ITAC (using the number of meetings and recommendations submitted during the 2018-2022 charter terms), and constraints on the resources to support and engage with the ITACs. Based on all of this information,