

*Title:* U.S. Pacific Highly Migratory Species Hook and Line Logbook.

*OMB Control Number:* 0648–0223.

*Form Number(s):* NOAA 88–197.

*Type of Request:* Regular submission (extension of a current information collection).

*Number of Respondents:* 1,700.

*Average Hours per Response:* 1 hour.

*Total Annual Burden Hours:* 3,400.

*Needs and Uses:* Under the Fishery Management Plan for United States (U.S.) West Coast Fisheries for Highly Migratory Species (HMS), U.S. anglers participating in the Pacific hook-and-line (also known as the albacore troll and poll-and-line), coastal purse seine (vessels less than 400 st carrying capacity), large-mesh drift gillnet, and swordfish harpoon fisheries, are required to obtain an HMS permit. Permit holders are also required to complete and submit logbooks documenting their daily fishing activities, including catch and effort for each fishing trip. Logbook forms must be completed within 24 hours of the completion of each fishing day and submitted to the Southwest Fisheries Science Center (SWFSC) within 30 days of the end of each trip. Federal regulations allow the use of state logbooks to fulfill this requirement; for example, Washington commercial passenger fishing vessels have fulfilled this requirement to date for HMS fisheries. These data and associated analyses help the SWFSC provide critical HMS fisheries information to researchers, fisheries managers, and the needed management advice to the U.S. in its negotiations with foreign fishing nations that fish for HMS.

*Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit organizations.

*Frequency:* After each trip.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to Obtain or Retain Benefits, and Mandatory.

*Legal Authority:* Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act.

This information collection request may be viewed at [www.reginfo.gov](http://www.reginfo.gov). Follow the instructions to view the 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](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain). Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function and

entering either the title of the collection or the OMB Control Number 0648–0223.

**Sheleen Dumas,**

*Department PRA Clearance Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer, Commerce Department.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Patent and Trademark Office

#### Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Trademark Post Registration

**AGENCY:** United States Patent and Trademark Office, Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection; request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO), as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, invites comments on the extension and revision of an existing information collection: 0651–0055 (Trademark Post Registration). The purpose of this notice is to allow 60 days for public comment preceding submission of the information collection to OMB.

**DATES:** To ensure consideration, comments regarding this information collection must be received on or before July 12, 2021.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit written comments by any of the following methods. Do not submit Confidential Business Information or otherwise sensitive or protected information.

- *Email:* [InformationCollection@uspto.gov](mailto:InformationCollection@uspto.gov). Include “0651–0055 comment” in the subject line of the message.
- *Federal Rulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>.
- *Mail:* Kimberly Hardy, Office of the Chief Administrative Officer, United States Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313–1450.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information should be directed to Catherine Cain, Attorney Advisor, Office of the Commissioner for Trademarks, United States Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313–1450; by telephone at 571–272–8946; or by email at [Catherine.Cain@uspto.gov](mailto:Catherine.Cain@uspto.gov) with “0651–0055 comment” in the subject line. Additional information

about this information collection is also available at <http://www.reginfo.gov> under “Information Collection Review.”

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Abstract

The United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) administers the Trademark Act, 15 U.S.C. 1051 *et seq.*, which provides for the Federal registration of trademarks, service marks, collective trademarks and service marks, collective membership marks, and certification marks. Individuals and businesses that use or intend to use such marks in commerce may file an application to register their marks with the USPTO.

This information collection covers various communications submitted by individuals and businesses to the USPTO occurring after registration of a trademark. One type of communication is a request to amend registrations to delete goods or services that are no longer being used by the registrant or registration owner. Registered marks remain on the register for 10 years and can be renewed, but will be cancelled unless the registration owner files with the USPTO a declaration attesting to the continued use (or excusable non-use) of the mark in commerce, and a renewal application, within specific deadlines. Registration owners may also request to amend or divide a registration, respond to a post-registration Office action, and surrender a registration.

The information in this information collection is used to maintain the quality of the trademark register. The register information may be accessed by an individual or by businesses to determine the availability of a mark. By keeping the register current and accurate, parties may reduce the possibility of initiating use of a mark previously adopted by another.

##### II. Methods of Collection

Items in this information collection must be submitted via online electronic submissions through the Trademark Electronic Application System (TEAS). In limited circumstances, applicants may also be permitted to submit the information in paper form by mail or hand delivery.

##### III. Data

*OMB Control Number:* 0651–0055.  
*Form Numbers:*

- PTO Form 1563 (Declaration of Use of Mark in Commerce Under Section 8)
- PTO Form 1573 (Declaration of Incontestability of a Mark Under Section 15)
- PTO Form 1583 (Combined Declaration of Use and

- Incontestability Under Sections 8 and 15)
- PTO Form 1597 (Section 7 Request)
  - PTO Form 1963 (Combined Declaration of Use of Mark in Commerce and Application for Renewal of Registration of a Mark Under Sections 8 and 9)
  - PTO Form 2302 (Response to Office Action for Post-Registration Matters)
  - PTO Form 2309 (Surrender of Registration for Cancellation)

- PTO Form 2310 (Request to Divide Registration)
- PTO Form 2311 (Section 12(c) Affidavit)

*Type of Review:* Extension and revision of a currently approved information collection.

*Affected Public:* Private sector; individuals or households.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 219,694 respondents per year.

*Estimated Number of Responses:* 219,694 responses per year.

*Estimated Time per Response:* The USPTO estimates that it takes the public approximately between 10 minutes (0.17 hours) and 45 minutes (0.75 hours), depending on the complexity of the situation. This includes the time to gather the necessary information, prepare the appropriate documents, and submit the information to the USPTO.

*Estimated Total Annual Respondent Burden Hour:* 113,620 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Respondent (Hourly) Cost Burden:* \$45,448,000.

TABLE 1—BURDEN HOUR/BURDEN COST TO PRIVATE SECTOR RESPONDENTS

Item No.	Item	Estimated annual respondents	Estimated annual responses	Estimated time for response (hours)	Estimated burden (hour/year)	Rate <sup>1</sup> (\$/hour)	Estimated annual respondent cost burden
			(a)	(b)	(a) × (b) = (c)	(d)	(c) × (d) = (e)
1	Declaration of Use of Mark in Commerce Under Section 8 (PTO Form 1563).	11,932	11,932	0.50 (30 minutes)	5,966	\$400	\$2,386,400
2	Combined Declaration of Use of Mark in Commerce and Application for Renewal of Registration of a Mark Under Sections 8 & 9 (PTO Form 1963).	70,235	70,235	0.50 (30 minutes)	35,118	400	14,047,200
3	Declaration of Incontestability of a Mark Under Section 15 (PTO Form 1573).	853	853	0.17 (10 minutes)	145	400	58,000
4	Combined Declaration of Use and Incontestability Under Sections 8 and 15 (PTO Form 1583).	72,448	72,448	0.50 (30 minutes)	36,224	400	14,489,600
5	Surrender of registration for cancellation (PTO Form 2309).	390	390	0.17 (10 minutes)	66	400	26,400
6	Section 7 Request (PTO Form 1597).	5,330	5,330	0.58 (35 minutes)	3,091	400	1,236,400
7	Response to Office Action for Post-Registration Matters (PTO Form 2302).	12,001	12,001	0.75 (45 minutes)	9,001	400	3,600,400
8	Request to Divide Registration (PTO Form 2310).	2,566	2,566	0.50 (30 minutes)	1,283	400	513,200
9	Section 12(c) Affidavit (PTO Form 2311).	1	1	0.25 (15 minutes)	1	400	400
	Total	175,756	175,756		90,895		36,358,000

TABLE 2—BURDEN HOUR/BURDEN COST TO INDIVIDUAL OR HOUSEHOLD RESPONDENTS

Item No.	Item	Estimated annual respondents	Estimated annual responses	Estimated time for response (hours)	Estimated burden (hour/year)	Rate <sup>2</sup> (\$/hour)	Estimated annual respondent cost burden
			(a)	(b)	(a) × (b) = (c)	(d)	(c) × (d) = (e)
1	Declaration of Use of Mark in Commerce Under Section 8 (PTO Form 1563).	2,983	2,983	0.50 (30 minutes)	1,492	\$400	\$596,800
2	Combined Declaration of Use of Mark in Commerce and Application for Renewal of Registration of a Mark Under Sections 8 & 9 (PTO Form 1963).	17,559	17,559	0.50 (30 minutes)	8,780	400	3,512,000
3	Declaration of Incontestability of a Mark Under Section 15 (PTO Form 1573).	213	213	0.17 (10 minutes)	36	400	14,400
4	Combined Declaration of Use and Incontestability Under Sections 8 and 15 (PTO Form 1583).	18,112	18,112	0.50 (30 minutes)	9,056	400	3,622,400
5	Surrender of registration for cancellation (PTO Form 2309).	98	98	0.17 (10 minutes)	17	400	6,800
6	Section 7 Request (PTO Form 1597).	1,332	1,332	0.58 (35 minutes)	773	400	309,200

<sup>1</sup> 2019 Report of the Economic Survey, published by the Committee on Economics of Legal Practice of the American Intellectual Property Law

Association (AIPLA); <https://www.aipla.org/detail/journal-issue/2019-report-of-the-economic-survey>.

The USPTO uses the mean rate for attorneys in private firms which is \$400 per hour.

TABLE 2—BURDEN HOUR/BURDEN COST TO INDIVIDUAL OR HOUSEHOLD RESPONDENTS—Continued

Item No.	Item	Estimated annual respondents	Estimated annual responses (a)	Estimated time for response (hours) (b)	Estimated burden (hour/year) (a) × (b) = (c)	Rate <sup>2</sup> (\$/hour) (d)	Estimated annual respondent cost burden (c) × (d) = (e)
7	Response to Office Action for Post-Registration Matters (PTO Form 2302).	3,000	3,000	0.75 (45 minutes)	2,250	400	900,000
8	Request to Divide Registration (PTO Form 2310).	641	641	0.50 (30 minutes)	321	400	128,400
	Total	43,938	43,938		22,725		9,090,000

*Estimated Total Annual (Non-hour) Respondent Cost Burden:* \$89,646,738. This information collection has no capital startup, maintenance fees, or operating fees. However, this information collection does have filing fees and postage costs. The total annual non-hour respondent cost burden for

this information collection in the form of filing fees (\$89,646,625) and postage costs (\$113) is approximately \$89,646,738.

#### Filing Fees

Filing fees are charged per class of goods or services and can vary

depending on the number of classes. The filing fees shown here are based on the minimum fee of one class per document associated with this information collection.

TABLE 3—FILING FEES (NON-HOUR) COST BURDEN TRADEMARK POST REGISTRATION

Item No.	Item	Estimated annual responses (a)	Estimated cost (b)	Estimated non-hour cost burden (a) × (b) = (c)
1	Declaration of Use of Mark in Commerce Under Section 8	14,915	\$225	\$3,355,875
2	Combined Declaration of Use of Mark in Commerce and Application for Renewal of Registration of a Mark Under Sections 8 & 9 (TEAS).	87,791	525	46,090,275
2	Combined Declaration of Use of Mark in Commerce and Application for Renewal of Registration of a Mark Under Sections 8 & 9 (paper).	3	825	2,475
2	Issuing New Certificate of Registration	200	100	20,000
2	Certificate of Correction, Registrant's Error (TEAS)	6,463	100	646,300
2	Certificate of Correction, Registrant's Error (paper)	1	200	200
3	Declaration of Incontestability of a Mark Under Section 15	1,066	200	213,200
4	Combined Declaration of Use and Incontestability Under Section 8 and 15 (TEAS)	90,557	425	38,486,725
4	Combined Declaration of Use and Incontestability Under Section 8 and 15 (paper)	3	625	1,875
6	Section 7 Request	488	100	48,800
6-7	Deletion of Goods or Services after submission and prior to acceptance of a section 8 affidavit (TEAS).	1,839	250	459,750
6-7	Deletion of Goods or Services after submission and prior to acceptance of a section 8 affidavit (paper).	1	350	350
8	Request to Divide Registration	3,207	100	320,700
9	Section 12(c) Affidavit	1	100	100
	Total			89,646,625

#### Postage Costs

Although the USPTO requires that the items in this information collection be submitted electronically, the items may, in limited situations, be submitted by mail through the United States Postal Service (USPS). The USPTO estimates that the average postage cost for a mailed submission, using a Priority Mail 2-day flat rate legal envelope, will be \$8.05. The USPTO estimates approximately 14 submissions per year may be mailed to the USPTO, for a total postage cost of \$113 per year.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to obtain or retain benefits.

#### IV. Request for Comments

The USPTO is soliciting public comments to:

(a) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility;

(b) Evaluate the accuracy of the Agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(c) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(d) Minimize the burden of the collection on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

All comments submitted in response to this notice are a matter of public record. The USPTO will include or summarize each comment in the request to OMB to approve this information

<sup>2</sup> 2019 Report of the Economic Survey, published by the Committee on Economics of Legal Practice of the American Intellectual Property Law

Association (AIPPLA); <https://www.aippla.org/detail/journal-issue/2019-report-of-the-economic-survey>.

The USPTO uses the mean rate for attorneys in private firms which is \$400 per hour.

collection. Before including an address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information (PII) in a comment, be aware that the entire comment—including PII—may be made publicly available at any time. While you may ask in your comment to withhold PII from public view, the USPTO cannot guarantee that it will be able to do so.

**Kimberly Hardy,**

*Information Collections Officer, Office of the Chief Administrative Officer, United States Patent and Trademark Office.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

[Docket No.: ED-2021-SCC-0073]

### Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Early Childhood Longitudinal Study, Kindergarten Class of 2023-24 (ECLS-K:2024) Preschool Round Removal Change Request

**AGENCY:** National Center for Education Statistics (NCES), Institute of Education Sciences (IES), Department of Education (ED).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, ED is proposing a no material or nonsubstantive change to a currently approved information collection.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before June 11, 2021.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and recommendations for proposed information collection requests should be submitted within 30 days of publication of this notice to [www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain). Find this particular information collection request by selecting "Department of Education" under "Currently Under Review," then check "Only Show ICR for Public Comment" checkbox.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For specific questions related to collection activities, please contact Carrie Clarady, 202-245-6347 or email [NCES.Information.Collections@ed.gov](mailto:NCES.Information.Collections@ed.gov).

**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:** Early Childhood Longitudinal Study, Kindergarten Class of 2023-24 (ECLS-K:2024) Preschool Round Removal Change Request.

**OMB Control Number:** 1850-0750.

**Type of Review:** No material or nonsubstantive change of a currently approved information collection.

**Respondents/Affected Public:** Individuals or households.

**Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses:** 46,033.

**Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours:** 8,655.

**Abstract:** The Early Childhood Longitudinal Study (ECLS) program, conducted by the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) within the Institute of Education Sciences (IES) of the U.S. Department of Education (ED), draws together information from multiple sources to provide rich, descriptive data on child development, early learning, and school progress. The ECLS program studies deliver national data on children's status at birth and at various points thereafter; children's transitions to nonparental care, early care and education programs, and school; and children's experiences and growth through the elementary grades. The Early Childhood Longitudinal Study, Kindergarten Class of 2022-23 (ECLS-K:2023) is the fourth cohort in the series of early childhood longitudinal studies. The study will advance research in child development and early learning by providing a detailed and comprehensive source of

current information on children's early learning and development, transitions into kindergarten and beyond, and progress through school. Collecting parent data beginning in preschool will enable the study to measure influences on children's development before entry into formal schooling, including children's home environments and access to early care and education. The request to conduct a field test of the ECLS-K:2023 preschool data collection activities from January through October 2020, to field test the preschool data collection materials and procedures, was approved in November 2019 (OMB# 1850-0750 v.19), with change requests approved in January and July 2020 (OMB #1850-0750 v.20-21). In April 2021, OMB approved a one year study delay (OMB #1850-0750 v.22), and the study is now the Early Childhood Longitudinal Study, Kindergarten Class of 2023-24 (ECLS-K:2024). This request is to notify OMB and the public that, following analysis of the results of the preschool field test that was carried out in 2020, NCES has decided not to go forward with the national ECLS-K: 2024 preschool round in spring 2023. No other planned procedures or features of the study will change. Approval for the fall 2022 kindergarten-first grade field test and national study recruitment will be requested in a separate submission later in 2021.

**Stephanie Valentine,**

*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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## ELECTION ASSISTANCE COMMISSION

### Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Charter Renewals

**AGENCY:** U.S. Election Assistance Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice of Federal Advisory Committee charter renewals.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the purpose of this notice is to announce that the Election Assistance Commission (EAC) has renewed the charters for the Board of Advisors, the Standards Board, and the Technical Guidelines Development Committee for a two-year period through April 13, 2023. The Board of Advisors, the Standards Board, and the Technical Guidelines Development Committee are federal advisory committees under the