

Estimated average hours per response: 1 hour.

Number of respondents: 31.

General description of report: This information collection is required (12 U.S.C. 248(a)(2), 461, 602, and 625).

Abstract: U.S. commercial banks, bank holding companies, including financial holding companies, and banking Edge and agreement corporations (U.S. banks) are required to file this reporting form for their large branches and banking subsidiaries that are located in the United Kingdom or the Caribbean. The FR 2502q collects, for each reporting office, claims on and liabilities to residents of individual countries as of each quarter-end. The data are used to construct a piece of the flow of funds data that are compiled by the Federal Reserve.

Current Actions: The Federal Reserve proposes to significantly revise the FR 2502q report form by eliminating most of the geographic information collected on the form. Specifically, staff proposes to delete all individual countries from the form, except for the United States. As a result, the body of the form would consist of two rows, with assets and liabilities reported for customers in the United States and for "Total, all areas," the latter being simply total assets and liabilities of the reporting offices. The retention of these two rows allows the continued use of the report to better understand how banks use their offices in the Caribbean and the United Kingdom as conduits for funds to or from outside the United States. The memoranda section would be retained without changes, allowing its continued use in flow of funds data.

The Federal Reserve also proposes to clarify in the instructions that (1) a reporter should begin filing the report for a branch or subsidiary as of the report date when the branch or subsidiary meets the reporting criteria, and (2) for subsidiaries, the report should be filed on a parent only basis.

With the elimination of geographic detail from the report, the Federal Reserve would discontinue the E.11 Statistical Release, the "Geographical Distribution of Assets and Liabilities of Major Foreign Branches and Subsidiaries of U.S. Banks," which publishes aggregate data from the FR 2502q.

Given the greatly reduced detail in the report, individual reports will no longer be considered confidential unless comments are received providing a reasonable rationale for continued confidentiality.

2. *Report title:* Quarterly Report of Interest Rates on Selected Direct

Consumer Installment Loans and Quarterly Report of Credit Card Plans.¹
Agency form number: FR 2835; FR 2835a.

OMB control number: 7100-0085.

Frequency: Quarterly.

Reporters: Commercial banks.

Estimated annual reporting hours: FR 2835: 176 hours; FR 2835a: 100 hours.

Estimated average hours per response: FR 2835: .29 hours; FR 2835a: .50 hours.

Number of respondents: FR 2835: 150; FR 2835a: 50.

General description of report: These information collections are authorized by Sections 2A, 11, and 12A of the Federal Reserve Act and are voluntary (12 U.S.C. 225a, 248(a)(2), 263, 348a and 353-359). Information requested on the FR 2835 is not confidential and respondents are made aware that information reported is made available to the public. Aggregate information collected on the FR 2835a is not considered confidential; however, individual respondent data is considered confidential under section (b)(4) of the Freedom of Information Act. (5 U.S.C. 552(b)(4)).

Abstract: The FR 2835 collects information from a sample of commercial banks on interest rates charged on loans for new vehicles and loans for other consumer goods and personal expenses. The data are used for the analysis of household financial conditions.

The FR 2835a collects information on two measures of credit card interest rates from a sample of commercial banks with \$1 billion or more in credit card receivables and a representative group of smaller issuers. The data are used to analyze the credit card market and draw implications for the household sector.

Current Actions: The Federal Reserve proposes to revise the FR 2835 by adding a data item to collect information on new (72-month) automobile loans. This change is motivated by the need to better understand market developments, such as the growing popularity of the 72-month maturity.

3. *Report title:* Census of Finance Companies.

Agency form number: FR 3033p.

OMB control number: 7100-0277.

Frequency: Every five years.

Reporters: Domestic finance companies.

Estimated annual reporting hours: 8,000 hours.

¹ This family of reports also contains the voluntary Automobile Finance Company Report (FR 2512), which has fewer than 10 respondents and does not require an OMB control number. The Federal Reserve also proposes to discontinue the FR 2512.

Estimated average hours per response: .5 hours.

Number of respondents: 16,000.

General description of report: This information collection is authorized by law (12 U.S.C. 225a, 263, 348a, and 353-359) and is voluntary. Individual responses are exempt from disclosure pursuant to section (b)(4) of the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552).

Abstract: The Census of Finance Companies is a simple screening survey, which would be sent in June 2015 to all companies that meet criteria developed to identify the potential universe of domestic finance companies. An accurate census is required to form a representative sample of finance companies, to which the more detailed Survey of Finance Companies would be sent. The census would gather limited information including total assets, areas of specialization, and information on the corporate structure of the companies. The Federal Reserve has identified approximately 40,000 firms to which the census would be sent.

Current Actions: The Federal Reserve proposes to increase the respondent panel size, revise the survey to collect information needed to determine whether a company meets the FR 3033 definition of a finance company, solicit information on the types of credit or financing that a company offers, and make minor modifications to the survey design.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, March 9, 2015.

Margaret McCloskey Shanks,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

[OMB Control No. 3090-0221; Docket 2015-0001; Sequence 3]

Civilian Board of Contract Appeals; Information Collection; Civilian Board of Contract Appeals Rules of Procedure (GSA Form 9534 Civilian Board of Contract Appeals Subpoena; Form 4 Government Certificate of Finality; Form 5 Appellant/Applicant Certificate of Finality)

AGENCY: Civilian Board of Contract Appeals, GSA.

ACTION: Notice of request for comments regarding a reinstatement to an existing OMB clearance.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act, the

Regulatory Secretariat has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request to review and approve an extension of a previously approved information collection requirement regarding the Civilian Board of Contract Appeals (CBCA) Rules of Procedure.

DATES: Submit comments on or before: May 11, 2015.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments identified by Information Collection IC 3090-0221, Civilian Board of Contract Appeals Rules of Procedure, by any of the following methods:

- *Regulations.gov:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Submit comments via the Federal eRulemaking portal by searching the OMB Control number 3090-0221. Select the link "Comment Now" that corresponds with "Information Collection IC 3090-0221, Civilian Board of Contract Appeals Rules of Procedure". Follow the instructions provided on the screen. Please include your name, company name (if any), and "Information Collection 3090-0221, Civilian Board of Contract Appeals Rules of Procedure" on your attached document.

- *Fax:* 202-501-4067.

- *Mail:* General Services

Administration, Regulatory Secretariat Division (MVCB), 1800 F Street NW., Washington, DC 20405. ATTN: Hada Flowers/IC 3090-0221, Civilian Board of Contract Appeals Rules of Procedure.

Instructions: Please submit comments only and cite Information Collection 3090-0221, Civilian Board of Contract Appeals Rules of Procedure, in all correspondence related to this collection. All comments received will be posted without change to <http://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal and/or business confidential information provided.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: J. Gregory Parks, Chief Counsel, Civilian Board of Contract Appeals, 1800 F Street NW., Washington, DC 20405, telephone 202-606-8800 or via email to Greg.Parks@cba.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A. Purpose

The CBCA requires the information collected in order to conduct proceedings in contract appeals and petitions, and cost applications. Parties include those persons or entities filing appeals, petitions, cost applications, and government agencies.

B. Annual Reporting Burden

Respondents: 85.

Responses per Respondent: 1.

Hours per Response: .1.

Total Burden Hours: 9.

C. Public Comments

Public comments are particularly invited on: Whether this collection of information is necessary and whether it will have practical utility; whether our estimate of the public burden of this collection of information is accurate, and based on valid assumptions and methodology; ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.

Obtaining Copies of Proposals: Requesters may obtain a copy of the information collection documents from the General Services Administration, Regulatory Secretariat Division (MVCB), 1800 F Street NW., Washington, DC 20405, telephone 202-501-4755. Please cite OMB Control No. 3090-0221, Civilian Board of Contract Appeals Rules of Procedure, in all correspondence.

Dated: March 4, 2015.

Sonny Hashmi,

Chief Information Officer.

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GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

[OMB Control No. 3090-0027; Docket 2015-0001; Sequence 1]

General Services Administration Acquisition Regulation; Information Collection; Contract Administration, Quality Assurance (GSA Form 1678 and GSA Form 308)

AGENCY: Office of Acquisition Policy, GSA.

ACTION: Notice of request for comments regarding an extension to an existing OMB clearance.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act, the General Services Administration will be submitting to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request to review and approve an extension of a previously approved information collection requirement regarding contract administration, and quality assurance.

DATES: Submit comments on or before: May 11, 2015.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Dana Munson, Procurement Analyst, General Services Acquisition Policy Division, at 202-357-9652 or via email to dana.munson@gsa.gov.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments identified by Information Collection 3090-0027, Contract Administration and Quality Assurance (GSA Form 1678

and GSA Form 308), by any of the following methods:

- *Regulations.gov:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Submit comments via the Federal eRulemaking portal by searching the OMB Control number 3090-0027. Select the link "Comment Now" that corresponds with "Information Collection 3090-0027, Contract Administration and Quality Assurance (GSA Form 1678 and GSA Form 308)". Follow the instructions on the screen. Please include your name, company name (if any), and "Information Collection 3090-0027, Contract Administration and Quality Assurance (GSA Form 1678 and GSA Form 308)", on your attached document.

- *Fax:* 202-501-4067.

- *Mail:* General Services Administration, Regulatory Secretariat (MVCB), 1800 F Street NW., Washington, DC 20406. ATTN: Ms. Hada Flowers/IC 3090-0027, Contract Administration and Quality Assurance (GSA Form 1678 and GSA Form 308).

Instructions: Please submit comments only and cite Information Collection 3090-0027, Contract Administration and Quality Assurance (GSA Form 1678 and GSA Form 308), in all correspondence related to this collection. All comments received will be posted without change to <http://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal and/or business confidential information provided.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A. Purpose

Under certain contracts, because of reliance on contractor inspection in lieu of Government inspection, GSA's Federal Acquisition Service (FAS) requires documentation from its contractors to effectively monitor contractor performance and ensure that it will be able to take timely action should that performance be deficient.

B. Annual Reporting Burden

Respondents: 4,604.

Responses per Respondent: 24.

Hours per Response: .07.

Total Burden Hours: 7,735.

C. Public Comment

Public comments are particularly invited on: Whether this collection of information is necessary and whether it will have practical utility; whether our estimate of the public burden of this collection of information is accurate and based on valid assumptions and methodology; and ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.