

or 202-330-0654, or The RTCA Secretariat, 1150 18th Street NW., Suite 910, Washington, DC 20036, or by telephone at (202) 833-9339, fax at (202) 833-9434, or Web site at <http://www.rtca.org>.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 5 U.S.C., App.), notice is hereby given for a meeting of the Thirty Sixth RTCA SC-213 Enhanced Flight Vision Systems/Synthetic Vision Systems (EFVS/SVS) Joint Plenary with EUROCAE Working Group 70. The agenda will include the following:

**Monday, December 4, 2017 10:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.**

1. Welcome/Administrative Duties
2. IPR/Membership Call-Out and Introductions
3. Consider a Motion To Begin Open Consultation/Final Review and Comment for the CVS MASPS
4. New Business
5. Review Action Items
6. Adjourn

Attendance is open to the interested public but limited to space availability. With the approval of the chairman, members of the public may present oral statements at the meeting. Persons wishing to present statements or obtain information should contact the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section. Members of the public may present a written statement to the committee at any time.

Issued in Washington, DC, on October 4, 2017.

**Mohannad Dawoud,**

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Railroad Administration

[Docket Number FRA-2017-0109]

#### Petition for Waiver of Compliance

Under part 211 of Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), this provides the public notice that October 2, 2017, the Port Authority Trans-Hudson Corporation (PATH) petitioned the Federal Railroad Administration (FRA) for a waiver of compliance from certain provisions of the Federal railroad safety regulations contained at 49 CFR P§ 238.123. FRA assigned the petition docket number FRA-2017-0109.

PATH is requesting relief from the requirements of 49 CFR 238.123, *Emergency roof access*, which requires passenger cars ordered on or after April 1, 2009, or placed in service for the first time on or after April 1, 2011, to have two emergency roof access locations. Alternatively, PATH requests approval to install a single emergency roof access location on any new passenger car ordered from this date forward. PATH states that the basis of this petition is the unique nature of the PATH PA-5 vehicles and operation relative to typical railroad operations under FRA jurisdiction. The railcars used by PATH are more typical for urban rapid transit operations, and differ from other passenger rail equipment in dimension and design, such that it is not practicable to have two emergency roof access locations. PATH asserts that the emergency access windows and other exits that are available on its equipment provide a high level of safety that is appropriate to its operations.

A copy of the petition, as well as any written communications concerning the petition, is available for review online at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) and in person at the U.S. Department of Transportation's (DOT) Docket Operations Facility, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., W12-140, Washington, DC 20590. The Docket Operations Facility is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal Holidays.

Interested parties are invited to participate in these proceedings by submitting written views, data, or comments. FRA does not anticipate scheduling a public hearing in connection with these proceedings since the facts do not appear to warrant a hearing. If any interested parties desire an opportunity for oral comment and a public hearing, they should notify FRA, in writing, before the end of the comment period and specify the basis for their request.

All communications concerning these proceedings should identify the appropriate docket number and may be submitted by any of the following methods:

- *Web site:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the online instructions for submitting comments.
- *Fax:* 202-493-2251.
- *Mail:* Docket Operations Facility, U.S. Department of Transportation, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., W12-140, Washington, DC 20590.
- *Hand Delivery:* 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., Room W12-140, Washington, DC 20590, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal Holidays.

Communications received by December 21, 2017 will be considered by FRA before final action is taken. Comments received after that date will be considered if practicable.

Anyone can search the electronic form of any written communications and comments received into any of our dockets by the name of the individual submitting the comment (or signing the document, if submitted on behalf of an association, business, labor union, etc.). Under 5 U.S.C. 553(c), DOT solicits comments from the public to better inform its processes. DOT posts these comments, without edit, including any personal information the commenter provides, to [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov), as described in the system of records notice (DOT/ALL-14 FDMS), which can be reviewed at <https://www.transportation.gov/privacy>. See also <https://www.regulations.gov/privacyNotice> for the privacy notice of regulations.gov.

Issued in Washington, DC, on October 30, 2017.

**John K. Alexy,**

*Director, Office of Safety Analysis.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Public Availability of the Department of Transportation FY 2016 Service Contract Inventory

**AGENCY:** Department of Transportation.

**ACTION:** Notice of Public Availability of FY 2016 Service Contract Inventory.

In accordance with Section 743 of Division C of the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2010, Public Law 111-117, Department of Transportation is publishing this notice to advise the public of the availability of the FY 2016 Government-wide Service Contract Inventory data, the analysis of the FY 2015 Service Contract Inventory data and the plan for analyzing the FY 2016 data. This inventory provides information on service contract actions over \$25,000 awarded in FY 2016. The information is organized by function to show how contracted resources are distributed throughout the agency.

The inventory has been developed in accordance with guidance issued on November 5, 2010 by the Office of Management and Budget's Office of Federal Procurement Policy (OFPP). OFPP's guidance is available at <http://www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/2010/11/052010.pdf>. Department of Transportation has posted its analysis of the FY 2015 Service Contract Inventory

data, the plan for analyzing the FY 2016 data, and the link to the FY 2016 Government-wide inventory on the Department of Transportation's homepage at the following link: <https://www.transportation.gov/assistant-secretary-administration/procurement/service-contract-inventory>. Questions regarding the Service Contract Inventory should be directed to Diane Morrison in the Office of the Senior Procurement Executive at 202-366-4960 or [diane.morrison@dot.gov](mailto:diane.morrison@dot.gov).

Dated: October 3, 2017.

**Gregory Cate,**

*Deputy Director, Office of Senior Procurement Executive.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### United States Mint

#### **Renewal of Currently Approved Information Collection: Comment Request for Customer Satisfaction and Opinion Surveys, and Focus Group Interviews**

**AGENCY:** United States Mint, Treasury.

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

**SUMMARY:** The United States Mint, a bureau of the Department of the Treasury, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on currently approved information collection 1525-0012, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, The United States Mint is soliciting comments on the United States Mint customer satisfaction and opinion surveys, and focus group interviews.

**DATES:** Written comments should be received on or before November 30, 2017, to be assured of consideration.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all written comments to Mary Ann Scharbrough, Records Officer, Office of the Director; United States Mint; 801 9th Street NW., Washington, DC 20220; (202) 384-5805 (this is not a toll-free number); [mary.scharbrough@usmint.treas.gov](mailto:mary.scharbrough@usmint.treas.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection package should be directed to Mary Ann Scharbrough, Records Officer, Office of the Director; United States Mint; 801 9th Street NW.; Washington, DC 20220; (202) 384-5805 (this is not a toll-free number); [mary.scharbrough@usmint.treas.gov](mailto:mary.scharbrough@usmint.treas.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Title:* United States Mint Customer Satisfaction and Opinion Surveys, and Focus Group Interviews.

*OMB Number:* 1525 0012.

*Abstract:* The proposed customer satisfaction and opinion surveys and focus group interviews will allow the United States Mint to assess the acceptance of, potential demand for, and barriers to acceptance/increased demand for current and future products, and the needs and desires of customers for more efficient, economical services.

*Current Actions:* The United States Mint conducts customer satisfaction and opinion surveys, and focus group interviews to measure customer opinion and assess acceptance of, the potential demand for, and barriers to acceptance/increased demand for United States Mint products, and to determine the level of satisfaction of United States Mint customers and the general public.

*Type of Review:* Renewal of a currently approved information collection.

*Affected Public:* The affected public includes serious and casual numismatic collectors, dealers, and persons in the numismatic business, and the general public.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* The estimated number of annual respondents is 50,136.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* The estimated number of annual burden hours is 15,564.

*Requests for Comments:* Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for Office of Management and Budget approval. All comments will become a matter of public record. Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and (e) estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

**Authority:** Pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 5111, 5112, 5135, 5136, and 31 CFR 92.

**Jean Gentry,**

*Chief Counsel, United States Mint.*

### **SUPPORTING STATEMENT A**

#### **UNITED STATES MINT GENERIC CLEARANCE**

**(December 1, 2017–December 1, 2020)  
1525-0012**

#### **A. JUSTIFICATION**

##### *A1. CIRCUMSTANCES NECESSITATING THE COLLECTION OF INFORMATION*

This is a request for a three-year generic clearance to conduct customer satisfaction and opinion surveys, and focus group interviews. This clearance will allow the United States Mint to comply with Executive Order 12862 and assist the United States Mint in fulfilling its mission.

The mission of the United States Mint is to serve the American people by manufacturing and distributing the highest quality circulating coinage and national medals for the Nation to conduct its trade and commerce, and providing security over assets entrusted to the United States Mint.

The United States Mint is responsible for producing proof, uncirculated, circulated and commemorative coins, and medals, and platinum, gold and silver bullion coins in response to programs legislated by Congress in support of domestic trade and commerce, civic, philanthropic, and national organizations.

To effectively accomplish the goals of these programs, it is crucial for the United States Mint to know and maintain awareness of customer preferences and needs by continually monitoring customer satisfaction.

However, because the time period between program authorization, production, and product shipment is often short, the United States Mint has not always had adequate time to obtain needed information about customer preferences and market conditions.

Therefore, the use of generic clearance to conduct customer satisfaction and opinion surveys, and focus group interviews will allow the United States Mint to quickly obtain useful data to create more profitable programs and to provide better service and products to the American public.

The Supporting Statement contains authorization under which these data collections efforts are implemented. Supporting Statement B contains a list of anticipated projects that may be submitted for approval through the generic clearance process between