

A proposed rule change filed under Rule 19b-4(f)(6)<sup>13</sup> normally does not become operative prior to 30 days after the date of the filing. However, pursuant to Rule 19b4(f)(6)(iii),<sup>14</sup> the Commission may designate a shorter time if such action is consistent with the protection of investors and the public interest. The Exchange has asked the Commission to waive the 30-day operative delay so that the proposal may become operative immediately upon filing. The Commission notes that the Exchange's proposal would delete obsolete rule text and conform the Exchange's rules to the rules of other exchanges.<sup>15</sup> Accordingly, the Commission believes that the proposal raises no new or novel regulatory issues and waiver of the 30-day operative delay is consistent with the protection of investors and the public interest. The Commission therefore waives the 30-day operative delay and designates the proposed rule change to be operative upon filing.<sup>16</sup>

At any time within 60 days of the filing of the proposed rule change, the Commission summarily may temporarily suspend such rule change if it appears to the Commission that such action is necessary or appropriate in the public interest, for the protection of investors, or otherwise in furtherance of the purposes of the Act.

#### IV. Solicitation of Comments

Interested persons are invited to submit written data, views and arguments concerning the foregoing, including whether the proposal 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 No. SR-CboeBZX-2018-069 on the subject line.

##### *Paper Comments*

- Send paper comments in triplicate to Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549-1090.
- All submissions should refer to File No. SR-CboeBZX-2018-069. 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 a.m. and 3 p.m. Copies of the filing will also be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of the Exchange. 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 No. SR-CboeBZX-2018-069 and should be submitted on or before September 21, 2018.

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.<sup>17</sup>

**Eduardo A. Aleman,**  
*Assistant Secretary.*

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## **SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION**

**[Docket No. SSA 2018-0003]**

### **Privacy Act of 1974; Matching Program**

**AGENCY:** Social Security Administration (SSA).

**ACTION:** Notice of a new matching program.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the provisions of the Privacy Act, as amended, this notice announces a new matching program with the Bureau of the Fiscal Service, Department of the Treasury (Fiscal Service).

This agreement between SSA and Fiscal Service sets forth the terms, conditions, and safeguards under which Fiscal Service will disclose ownership of Savings Securities data to SSA. This

disclosure will provide SSA with information necessary to verify an individual's self-certification of his or her financial status to determine eligibility for low-income subsidy assistance (Extra Help) in the Medicare Part D prescription drug benefit program established under the Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003.

**DATES:** The deadline to submit comments on the proposed matching program is 30 days from the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**. The matching program will be effective on October 1, 2018, or once a minimum of 30 days after publication of this notice has elapsed, whichever is later. The matching program will be in effect for a period of 18 months.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested parties may comment on this notice by either telefaxing to (410) 966-0869, writing to Mary Ann Zimmerman, Acting Executive Director, Office of Privacy and Disclosure, Office of the General Counsel, Social Security Administration, G-401 WHR, 6401 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, MD 21235-6401, or emailing [MaryAnn.Zimmerman@ssa.gov](mailto:MaryAnn.Zimmerman@ssa.gov). All comments received will be available for public inspection by contacting Ms. Zimmerman at this street address.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Interested parties may submit general questions about the matching program to Mary Ann Zimmerman, Acting Executive Director, Office of Privacy and Disclosure, Office of the General Counsel, by any of the means shown above.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** None.

#### **Mary Ann Zimmerman,**

*Acting Executive Director, Office of Privacy and Disclosure, Office of the General Counsel.*

*Participating Agencies:* SSA and Fiscal Service.

*Authority for Conducting the Matching Program:* 1860D-14 of the Social Security Act (Act) (42 U.S.C. 1395w-114) requires SSA to verify the eligibility of an individual who seeks to be considered as an Extra Help eligible individual under the Medicare Part D prescription drug benefit program and who self-certifies his or her income, resources, and family size.

*Purpose(s):* This agreement between SSA and Fiscal Service sets forth the terms, conditions, and safeguards under which Fiscal Service will disclose ownership of Savings Securities data to SSA. This disclosure will provide SSA with information necessary to verify an individual's self-certification of his or her financial status to determine

<sup>13</sup> 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f)(6).

<sup>14</sup> 17 CFR 240.19b-4(f)(6)(iii).

<sup>15</sup> See *supra* note 9.

<sup>16</sup> For purposes only of waiving the 30-day operative delay, the Commission has also considered the proposed rule's impact on efficiency, competition, and capital formation. See 15 U.S.C. 78c(f).

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

eligibility for low-income subsidy assistance (Extra Help) in the Medicare Part D prescription drug benefit program established under the Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003 (Pub. L. 108–173).

*Categories of Individuals:* The individuals whose information is involved in this matching program are those individuals who apply for low-income subsidy assistance (Extra Help) in the Medicare Part D prescription drug benefit program established under the Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003 (Pub. L. 108–173).

*Categories of Records:* SSA will disclose to Fiscal Service a finder file with the SSN for each individual for whom SSA requests Savings Securities ownership information. When a match occurs on an SSN, Fiscal Service will disclose the following to SSA: The denomination of the security; the serial number; the series; the issue date of the security; the current redemption value; and the return date of the finder file.

SSA will disclose to Fiscal Service a finder file with the SSN for each individual for whom it requests Savings Securities registration information. Fiscal Service bases the query on the SSN associated with the account and reports any subsequent account holdings. When a match occurs on an SSN, Fiscal Service will disclose the following to SSA: The purchase amount; the account number and confirmation number; the series; the issue date of the security; the current redemption value; and the return date of the finder file.

*System(s) of Records:* SSA will disclose to Fiscal Service a finder file consisting of SSNs extracted from SSA's Medicare Database (MDB) File System, 60–0321, fully published at 71 FR 42159 on July 25, 2006 and amended at 72 FR 69723 on December 10, 2007. The MDB File System is a repository of Medicare applicant and beneficiary information related to Medicare Part A, Part B, Medicare Advantage Part C, and Medicare Part D.

Fiscal Service will match the SSNs from SSA's finder file with the SSNs in Fiscal Service Savings Securities Registration Systems, which reside in the systems of records Treasury/BPD.002, "United States Savings-Type Securities Treasury/BPD" and Treasury/BPD.008, "Retail Treasury Securities Access Application-Treasury/BPD" fully published at 73 FR 42904 on July 23, 2008 and amended at 76 FR 51128 on August 17, 2011.

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## DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 10527]

### United States Passports Invalid for Travel to, in, or Through the Democratic People's Republic of Korea

**AGENCY:** Department of State.

**ACTION:** Notice of extension of passport travel restriction.

**SUMMARY:** On September 1, 2017, all United States passports were declared invalid for travel to, in, or through the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (DPRK) unless specially validated for such travel. If not renewed, the restriction is set to expire on August 31, 2018. This notice extends the restriction until August 31, 2019 unless extended or sooner revoked by the Secretary of State.

**DATES:** The extension of the travel restriction is in effect on September 1, 2018.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Anita Mody, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Passport Services, Office of Legal Affairs, 202–485–6500.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On September 1, 2017, pursuant to the authority of 22 U.S.C. 211a and Executive Order 11295 (31 FR 10603), and in accordance with 22 CFR 51.63(a)(2), all United States passports were declared invalid for travel to, in, or through the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (DPRK) unless specially validated for such travel. If not renewed, the restriction is set to expire on August 31, 2018.

The Department of State has determined that there continues to be serious risk to United States nationals of arrest and long-term detention representing imminent danger to the physical safety of United States nationals traveling to and within the DPRK, within the meaning of 22 CFR 51.63(a)(3). Accordingly, all United States passports shall remain invalid for travel to, in, or through the DPRK unless specially validated for such travel under the authority of the Secretary of State. This extension to the restriction of travel to the DPRK shall be effective on September 1, 2018, and shall expire August 31, 2019 unless extended or sooner revoked by the Secretary of State.

Dated: August 27, 2018.

**Michael R. Pompeo,**

Secretary of State, Department of State.

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## SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

[Docket No. FD 36211]

### Clackamas Valley Railway, LLC—Lease and Operation Exemption With Interchange Commitment—Union Pacific Railroad Company

Clackamas Valley Railway, LLC (CVR), a noncarrier,<sup>1</sup> has filed a verified notice of exemption under 49 CFR 1150.31 to lease from Union Pacific Railroad Company (UP) and to operate<sup>2</sup> approximately 1.6 miles of railroad line in Clackamas, Or. (the Line). The Line extends east from a connection with UP's Portland-Eugene, Or., main line immediately south of UP milepost 760.0, running parallel to SE Jennifer Street (to the south), continuing southeast across SE Jennifer Street and turning south to termination at Carpenter Drive. According to CVR, there are no mileposts associated with the Line.

This transaction is related to a concurrently filed verified notice of exemption in *Progressive Rail Inc.—Continuance in Control Exemption—Clackamas Valley Railway, LLC*, Docket No. FD 36212, in which Progressive Rail Incorporated seeks Board approval to continue in control of CVR upon CVR's becoming a Class III rail carrier.

CVR states that the Line is currently operated by UP as excepted track under 49 U.S.C. 10906. However, because it will operate the Line as its entire line of railroad, CVR asserts that it will become a rail carrier upon consummation of the proposed transaction. See *Effingham R.R.—Pet. for Declaratory Order—Constr. at Effingham, Ill.*, 2 S.T.B. 606, 609–10 (1997), *aff'd sub nom. United Transp. Union—Ill. Legislative Bd. v. STB*, 183 F.3d 606 (7th Cir. 1999).

CVR certifies that its projected annual revenues from this transaction will not result in the creation of a Class I or Class II rail carrier and will not exceed \$5 million. As required under 49 CFR 1150.33(h)(1), CVR has disclosed in its verified notice that the lease agreement contains an interchange commitment that prohibits CVR from entering into any other agreement for the movement of CVR traffic without the prior consent of UP. CVR has provided additional information regarding the interchange commitment as required by 49 CFR 1150.33(h).

Although CVR states in its verified notice that the transaction is proposed to be consummated on or about August

<sup>1</sup> CVR states that the transaction described here is its initial railroad acquisition.

<sup>2</sup> A draft copy of the operating agreement was submitted under seal with the notice of exemption.