

*Frequency:* Annually; Every 3 years; On occasion.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Required to Obtain or Retain Benefits; 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 0648-0206.

**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

[Docket No.: PTO-P-2020-0057]

#### Extension of the Period for Comments on the National Strategy for Expanding American Innovation

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

**ACTION:** Extension of the comment period.

**SUMMARY:** The United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) recently sought input from the public regarding the National Council for Expanding American Innovation (NCEAI). The USPTO is extending the comment period to ensure that all stakeholders have sufficient opportunity to submit comments on this important effort to develop a national strategy to expand innovation demographically, geographically, and economically.

**DATES:** To be ensured of consideration, written comments must be received on or before February 23, 2021.

**ADDRESSES:** For reasons of Government efficiency, comments must be submitted through the Federal eRulemaking Portal at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov). To submit comments via [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov),

enter docket number PTO-P-2020-0057 on the homepage and click "Search." The site will provide a search results page listing all documents associated with this docket. Find a reference to this notice and click on the "Comment Now!" icon, complete the required fields, and enter or attach your comments. Attachments to electronic comments will be accepted in ADOBE® portable document format or MICROSOFT WORD® format. Because written comments and testimony will be made available for public inspection, information that a respondent does not desire to be made public, such as a phone number, should not be included in the testimony or written comments.

Visit the Federal eRulemaking Portal website ([www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov)) for additional instructions on providing comments via the portal. If electronic submission of comments is not feasible due to a lack of access to a computer and/or the internet, please contact the USPTO using the contact information below for special instructions.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Please send your questions or comments regarding this notice to [innovationcomment@uspto.gov](mailto:innovationcomment@uspto.gov), or telephone Janine Scianna, Office of Governmental Affairs, USPTO, at 571-272-0502.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The USPTO is extending the period for public comment on the NCEAI. The goal of the NCEAI is to create a national strategy to promote and increase participation by underrepresented groups in inventing and innovation. The NCEAI includes distinguished leaders from industry, academia, government, and nonprofit organizations.

In a **Federal Register** notice, Request for Comments on the National Strategy for Expanding American Innovation, 85 FR 83906 (Dec. 23, 2020) (the Notice), the USPTO sought input from the public regarding the development of a national strategy to create opportunities to expand our innovation ecosystem. In view of the importance of this effort, and given the desire to receive input from as broad a cross-section of the public as possible, the USPTO is now extending the period to address the questions raised in the Notice, or to provide any additional comments, until February 23, 2021.

**Andrew Hirshfeld,**

*Commissioner for Patents, Performing the Functions and Duties of the Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office.*

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## CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

### Sunshine Act Meeting Notice

**TIME AND DATE:** Wednesday, February 4, 2021; 10:00 a.m.

**PLACE:** This meeting will be conducted by remote means.

**STATUS:** Commission Meeting—Closed to the Public.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** Decisional Matter.

#### CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Alberta E. Mills, Secretary, Division of the Secretariat, Office of the General Counsel, U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, 4330 East West Highway, Bethesda, MD 20814, (301) 504-7479 (Office) or 240-863-8938 (cell).

Dated: February 3, 2021.

**Alberta E. Mills,**

*Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Department of the Navy

#### Certificate of Alternate Compliance for USS SAVANNAH (LCS 28)

**AGENCY:** Department of the Navy, DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice of issuance of Certificate of Alternate Compliance.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Navy hereby announces that a Certificate of Alternate Compliance has been issued for USS SAVANNAH (LCS 28). Due to the special construction and purpose of this vessel, the Deputy Assistant Judge Advocate General (DAJAG) (Admiralty and Maritime Law) has determined it is a vessel of the Navy which, due to its special construction and purpose, cannot comply fully with the navigation lights provisions of the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972 (72 COLREGS) without interfering with its special function as a naval ship. The intended effect of this notice is to warn mariners in waters where 72 COLREGS apply.

**DATES:** This Certificate of Alternate Compliance is effective February 8, 2021 and is applicable beginning February 2, 2021.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Lieutenant Commander Steven Gonzales, JAGC, U.S. Navy, Admiralty Attorney, Office of the Judge Advocate General, Admiralty and Maritime Law Division (Code 11), 1322 Patterson Ave. SE, Suite 3000, Washington Navy Yard,