

**DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY****Office of Foreign Assets Control****Notice of OFAC Sanctions Actions**

**AGENCY:** Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of the Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) is publishing the names of one or more persons that have been removed from the list of Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Person (SDN List). Their property and interests in property are no longer blocked, and U.S. persons are no longer prohibited from engaging in lawful transactions with them.

**DATES:** See **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section for applicable date(s).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

*OFAC:* Andrea M. Gacki, Director, tel.: 202-622-2480; Associate Director for Global Targeting, tel.: 202-622-2420; Assistant Director for Licensing, tel.: 202-622-2480; Assistant Director for Regulatory Affairs, tel.: 202-622-4855; or Assistant Director for Sanctions Compliance & Evaluation, tel.: 202-622-2490.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****Electronic Availability**

The SDN List and additional information concerning OFAC sanctions programs are available on OFAC's website (<https://www.treasury.gov/ofac>).

**Notice of OFAC Actions**

On July 2, 2021, OFAC determined that circumstances no longer warrant the inclusion of the following persons on the SDN List and that their property and interests in property are no longer blocked under the relevant sanctions authorities listed below.

**Individuals**

1. DEZFULIAN, Mohammed Reza (a.k.a. DEZFULIAN, Mohammad Reza), Iran; POB Tehran, Iran; nationality Iran; Additional Sanctions Information—Subject to Secondary Sanctions; Gender Male; National ID No. 0061496766 (Iran) (individual) [NPWMD] [IFSR] (Linked To: MAMMUT DIESEL).

Designated on September 21, 2020, pursuant to Section 1(a)(iv) of Executive Order 13382 of June 28, 2005, "Blocking Property Weapons of Mass Destruction Proliferators and Their Supporters," 70 FR 38567, 3 CFR, 2006 Comp., p. 170 (E.O. 13382) for acting or purporting to act for or on behalf of, directly or indirectly, MAMMUT DIESEL.

2. FERDOWS, Behzad Daniel, Dubai, United Arab Emirates; DOB 14 Mar

1969; POB Tehran, Iran; nationality Iran; alt. nationality Germany; Additional Sanctions Information—Subject to Secondary Sanctions; Gender Male; Passport C4KNRMNCF (Germany) expires 18 Mar 2018; National ID No. 0037251910 (Iran) (individual) [NPWMD] [IFSR] (Linked To: MAMMUT INDUSTRIAL GROUP P.J.S).

Designated on September 21, 2020, pursuant to Section 1(a)(iv) of E.O. 13382 for acting or purporting to act for or on behalf of, directly or indirectly, MAMMUT INDUSTRIAL GROUP P.J.S.

3. FERDOWS, Mehrzad Manuel, Iran; DOB 23 Jul 1970; POB Tehran, Iran; nationality Iran; alt. nationality Germany; Additional Sanctions Information—Subject to Secondary Sanctions; Gender Male; Passport C4JRGPJ7H (Germany) expires 11 Mar 2019; alt. Passport J32379304 (Iran); National ID No. 0055124240 (Iran) (individual) [NPWMD] [IFSR] (Linked To: MAMMUT INDUSTRIAL GROUP P.J.S).

Designated on September 21, 2020, pursuant to Section 1(a)(iv) of E.O. 13382 for acting or purporting to act for or on behalf of, directly or indirectly, MAMMUT INDUSTRIAL GROUP P.J.S.

Dated: July 2, 2021.

**Bradley T. Smith,**

*Acting Director, Office of Foreign Assets Control, U.S. Department of the Treasury.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY****Internal Revenue Service****Proposed Collection; Comment Request for Form 944, Form 944(SP), Form 944-X, and Form 944-X (SP)**

**AGENCY:** Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

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

**SUMMARY:** The Internal Revenue Service, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The IRS is soliciting comments concerning Form 944, Employer's Annual Employment Tax Return, Form 944(SP), Declaracion Federal Anual de Impuestos del Patrono o Empleador, Form 944-X, Adjusted Employer's Annual Federal Tax Return or Claim for Refund, and 944-X (SP), Ajuste a la Declaración

Federal ANUAL del Patrono o Reclamación de Reembolso.

**DATES:** Written comments should be received on or before September 7, 2021 to be assured of consideration.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all written comments to Kinna Brewington, Internal Revenue Service, Room 6526, 1111 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20224. You must reference the information collection's title, form number, reporting or record-keeping requirement number, and OMB number in your comment.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Requests for additional information or copies of the form and instructions should be directed to Jon Callahan, (737) 800-7639, at Internal Revenue Service, Room 6526, 1111 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20224, or through the internet at [jon.r.callahan@irs.gov](mailto:jon.r.callahan@irs.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The IRS is currently seeking comments concerning the following information collection tools, reporting, and record-keeping requirements:

*Title:* Employer's Annual Employment Tax Return.

*OMB Number:* 1545-2007.

*Form Number:* Forms 944, 944(SP), 944-X, and 944-X(SP).

*Abstract:* The information on Form 944 will be collected to ensure the smallest nonagricultural and non-household employers are paying the correct amount of social security tax, Medicare tax, and withheld federal income tax. Information on line 13 will be used to determine if employers made any required deposits of these taxes. Form 944(SP) is the Spanish version of the Form 944. Form 944-X and Form 944-X(SP) are used to correct errors made on Form 944.

*Current Actions:* There are changes to the existing collection: (1) Changes were made to the Form 944 series for reporting new employment tax credits and deferred payments allowed by provisions of the Families First Coronavirus Response Act, Public Law 116-127, and (2) additional changes were made to comply with provisions of the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, Public Law 117-2.

*Type of Review:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

*Affected Public:* Individual or households, Businesses and other for-profit organizations, Not-for-profit institutions, and State, Local, and tribal Governments.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 135,884.

*Estimated Time per Respondent:* 23 hours 31 minutes.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 3,196,031.

The following paragraph applies to all of the collections of information covered by this notice:

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless the collection of information displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a collection of information must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any internal revenue law. Generally, tax returns and tax return information are confidential, as required by 26 U.S.C. 6103.

*Request for Comments:* Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB 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.

Approved: July 2, 2021.

**Jon R. Callahan,**  
*Tax Analyst.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Internal Revenue Service

#### Open Meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel Taxpayer Assistance Center Improvements Project Committee

**AGENCY:** Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** An open meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel's Taxpayer Assistance Center Improvements Project Committee will be conducted. The Taxpayer Advocacy Panel is soliciting public comments, ideas, and suggestions on improving customer service at the Internal Revenue Service.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held Thursday, August 12, 2021.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Matthew O'Sullivan at 1-888-912-1227 or (510) 907-5274.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. (1988) that an open meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel's Taxpayer Assistance Center Improvements Project Committee will be held Thursday, August 12, 2021, at 12:00 p.m. Eastern Time. The public is invited to make oral comments or submit written statements for consideration. Due to limited time and structure of meeting, notification of intent to participate must be made with Matthew O'Sullivan. For more information please contact Matthew O'Sullivan at 1-888-912-1227 or (510) 907-5274, or write TAP Office, 1301 Clay Street, Oakland, CA 94612-5217 or contact us at the website: <http://www.improveirs.org>. The agenda will include various IRS issues.

Dated: July 1, 2021.

**Kevin Brown,**

*Acting Director, Taxpayer Advocacy Panel.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Internal Revenue Service

#### Open Meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel Taxpayer Communications Project Committee

**AGENCY:** Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** An open meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel's Taxpayer Communications Project Committee will be conducted. The Taxpayer Advocacy Panel is soliciting public comments, ideas, and suggestions on improving customer service at the Internal Revenue Service. This meeting will still be held via teleconference.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held Tuesday, August 10, 2021.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Conchata Holloway at 1-888-912-1227 or 336-690-6217.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. (1988) that a meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel Taxpayer Communications Project Committee will be held Tuesday, August 10, 2021, at

12:00 p.m. Eastern Time. The public is invited to make oral comments or submit written statements for consideration. Due to limited time and structure of meeting, notification of intent to participate must be made with Conchata Holloway. For more information please contact Conchata Holloway at 1-888-912-1227 or 336-690-6217, or write TAP Office, 4905 Koger Boulevard, Greensboro, NC 27407-2734 or contact us at the website: <http://www.improveirs.org>. The agenda will include various IRS issues.

Dated: July 1, 2021.

**Kevin Brown,**

*Acting Director, Taxpayer Advocacy Panel.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Internal Revenue Service

#### Open Meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel's Notices and Correspondence Project Committee

**AGENCY:** Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** An open meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel's Notices and Correspondence Project Committee will be conducted. The Taxpayer Advocacy Panel is soliciting public comments, ideas, and suggestions on improving customer service at the Internal Revenue Service. This meeting will still be held via teleconference.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held Wednesday, August 11, 2021.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Robert Rosalia at 1-888-912-1227 or (718) 834-2203.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. (1988) that an open meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel's Notices and Correspondence Project Committee will be held Wednesday, August 11, 2021, at 1:00 p.m. Eastern Time. The public is invited to make oral comments or submit written statements for consideration. Due to limited time and structure of meeting, notification of intent to participate must be made with Robert Rosalia. For more information please contact Robert Rosalia at 1-888-912-1227 or (718) 834-2203, or write TAP Office, 2 Metrotech Center, 100 Myrtle Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11201 or contact us at the website: <http://www.improveirs.org>. The agenda will include various IRS issues.