

multiplied by burden hours per notice. As described above, 30 percent of the burden hours are then assigned to each of the FDIC, OCC, and the Board, while 10 percent are assigned to FHFA.

The number of appraisers who leave an AMC annually, either by resigning, being laid off, or having their licenses revoked or surrendered, is estimated to be 4,130. The burden estimate of 0.08 hours per notice is unchanged from the estimate provided for the currently-approved ICR. Therefore, the estimated total hour burden is: 4,130 notices × 0.08 hours = 330 hours (rounded to the nearest whole number). The estimated burden hours attributable to FHFA are 330 hours × 10 percent = 33 hours.

C. Response to Comments Received

In accordance with the requirements of 5 CFR 1320.8(d), FHFA published an initial notice and request for comments regarding the renewal of the PRA clearance for this information collection in the **Federal Register** on August 23, 2021 (60-day notice).²² The 60-day comment period closed on October 22, 2021.

FHFA received one comment. The commenter questioned FHFA's estimate that 3,860 entities meet the regulatory definitions of an AMC. The commenter stated that "[b]ased on the federal definition of an AMC and our understanding of the number of state licensed AMCs, this estimate of approximately 3,860 entities meeting the definition of an AMC seems exceedingly high. We believe there are approximately 300 licensed entities doing business as AMCs." The commenter does not provide any detail to explain how they arrived at their much lower estimate of 300 compared to FHFA and FDIC's 3,860. Their comment gives no basis to ascertain the source of the discrepancy, either as to the underlying data or the analysis of the regulatory definition of AMCs.

FHFA has reviewed the comment and continues to have confidence in the 3,860 estimate of AMCs. ASC's 2020 Annual Report states that "[a]s of December 31, 2020, the Registry contained 3,417 AMCs." The FDIC's review determined that there are 3,854 total active AMCs in the Registry (both federally and non-federally regulated) as of June 2021, which we rounded to 3,860 in our 60-day notice. FHFA concurs with the FDIC's review of the ASC Registry in June 2021. Both the FDIC analysis and the ASC Annual Report substantiate FHFA's estimate and confirms our concurrence with the FDIC's review. FHFA remains confident that the

number is accurate. Accordingly, FHFA will not change the number of AMCs in the 30-day notice.

D. Comments Request

In accordance with the requirements of 5 CFR 1320.10(a), FHFA is publishing this second notice to request comments regarding the following: (1) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of FHFA functions, including whether the information has practical utility; (2) the accuracy of FHFA's estimates of the burdens of the collection of information; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (4) 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.

Kevin Smith,

Chief Information Officer, Federal Housing Finance Agency.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies

The companies listed in this notice have applied to the Board for approval, pursuant to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841 *et seq.*) (BHC Act), Regulation Y (12 CFR part 225), and all other applicable statutes and regulations to become a bank holding company and/or to acquire the assets or the ownership of, control of, or the power to vote shares of a bank or bank holding company and all of the banks and nonbanking companies owned by the bank holding company, including the companies listed below.

The public portions of the applications listed below, as well as other related filings required by the Board, if any, are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank(s) indicated below and at the offices of the Board of Governors. This information may also be obtained on an expedited basis, upon request, by contacting the appropriate Federal Reserve Bank and from the Board's Freedom of Information Office at <https://www.federalreserve.gov/foia/request.htm>. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the standards enumerated in the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)).

Comments regarding each of these applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of

the Board of Governors, Ann E. Misback, Secretary of the Board, 20th Street and Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20551-0001, not later than December 1, 2021.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis (Chris P. Wangen, Assistant Vice President), 90 Hennepin Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55480-0291. Comments can also be sent electronically to MA@mpls.frb.org:

1. *American Bancor, Ltd., Dickinson, North Dakota*; to acquire Financial Security Bank, Kerkhoven, Minnesota.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, October 27, 2021.

Michele Taylor Fennell,

Deputy Associate Secretary of the Board.

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FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

SES Performance Review Board

AGENCY: Federal Trade Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the appointment of members to the FTC Performance Review Board.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Vicki Barber (202-326-2700), Chief Human Capital Officer, Federal Trade Commission, 600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20580.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Publication of the Performance Review Board (PRB) membership is required by 5 U.S.C. 4314 (c)(4). The PRB reviews and evaluates the initial appraisal of a senior executive's performance by the supervisor, and makes recommendations regarding performance ratings, performance awards, and pay-for-performance pay adjustments to the Chair.

The following individuals have been designated to serve on the Commission's Performance Review Board:

Vicki Barber, Chief Human Capital Officer

Reilly James Dolan, Principle Deputy General Counsel

Tara Koslov, Deputy Director, Bureau of Competition

David Robbins, Executive Director, PRB Chair

Monica Vaca, Deputy Director, Bureau of Consumer Protection

Michael Vita, Deputy Director, Bureau of Economics

Kevin Williams, Deputy Executive Director

²² See 86 FR 47107 (Aug. 23, 2021).