

“Roadmap” document. A roadmap to the FY 2021 ACR can be found in Library Reference USPS–FY21–9. This document provides brief descriptions of the materials submitted, as well as the flow of inputs and outputs among them; a discussion of differences in methodology relative to Commission methodologies in last year’s ACD; and a list of special studies and a discussion of obsolescence, as required by Commission rule 3050.12. *Id.* at 4.

Methodology. The Postal Service states that it has adhered to the methodologies historically used by the Commission subject to changes identified and discussed in Library Reference USPS–FY21–9 and in prefaces accompanying the appended folders. *Id.* at 4–5.

Market dominant product-by-product costs, revenues, and volumes.

Comprehensive cost, revenue, and volume data for all market dominant products of general applicability are shown directly in the FY 2021 CRA or ICRA. *Id.* at 7.

The FY 2021 ACR includes a discussion by class of each market dominant product, including costs, revenues, and volumes, workshare discounts, and passthroughs responsive to 39 U.S.C. 3652(b), and FY 2021 promotions. *Id.* at 7–47.

In response to the Commission’s FY 2010 ACD directives,³ the Postal Service states that it is providing information regarding its progress in increasing USPS Marketing Mail Flats (Flats) prices, implementing operational changes aimed at lowering flats costs, effectuating costing methodology improvements, and phasing out the subsidy in Flats. FY 2021 ACR at 31. In Docket No. RM2018–1, the Commission codified and expanded the first directive as rule 3050.50(f), which applies to all flat-shaped mail.⁴ Accordingly, the Postal Service states that the information required by rule 3050.50(f) is provided in Library Reference USPS–FY2021–45, noting that the section titled “Costing Methodology Changes and Subsidy of the Flats Product” responds to the second and third directives. FY 2021 ACR at 34–36. In addition, the Postal Service presented its schedule of above-average price increases for Flats. *Id.* at 32.

Service performance. The Postal Service notes that the Commission issued rules on periodic reporting of

service performance measurement and customer satisfaction in FY 2010. Responsive information appears in Library Reference USPS–FY21–29. *Id.* at 48.

Customer satisfaction. The FY 2021 ACR discusses the Postal Service’s approach for measuring customer experience and satisfaction; discusses survey modifications; describes the methodology; presents a table with survey results; compares the results from FY 2020 to FY 2021; and provides information regarding consumer access to postal services. *Id.* at 56–81.

Competitive products. The FY 2021 ACR provides costs, revenues, and volumes for competitive products of general applicability in the FY 2021 CRA or ICRA. For competitive products not of general applicability, data are provided in non-public Library References USPS–FY21–NP2 and USPS–FY21–NP27. *Id.* at 82. The FY 2021 ACR also addresses the competitive product pricing standards of 39 U.S.C. 3633. *Id.* at 82–89.

Market tests; nonpostal services. The Postal Service discusses three market dominant market tests conducted during FY 2021 as well as nonpostal services. *Id.* at 90–91.

III. Procedural Steps

Statutory requirements. Section 3653 of title 39 requires the Commission to provide interested persons with an opportunity to comment on the ACR and to appoint an officer of the Commission (Public Representative) to represent the interests of the general public. The Commission hereby solicits public comment on the Postal Service’s FY 2021 ACR and on whether any rates or fees in effect during FY 2021 (for products individually or collectively) were not in compliance with applicable provisions of chapter 36 of title 39 or Commission regulations promulgated thereunder. Commenters addressing market dominant products are referred in particular to the applicable requirements (39 U.S.C. 3622(d) and (e) and 39 U.S.C. 3626); objectives (39 U.S.C. 3622(b)); and factors (39 U.S.C. 3622(c)). Commenters addressing competitive products are referred to 39 U.S.C. 3633.

The Commission also invites public comment on the cost coverage matters the Postal Service addresses in its filing; service performance results; levels of customer satisfaction achieved; and such other matters that may be relevant to the Commission’s review.

Access to filing. The Commission has posted the publicly available portions of the FY 2021 ACR on its website at <http://www.prc.gov>.

Comment deadlines. Comments by interested persons are due on or before January 31, 2022. Reply comments are due on or before February 14, 2022. The Commission, upon completion of its review of the FY 2021 ACR, comments, and other data and information submitted in this proceeding, will issue its ACD.

Public Representative. Kenneth E. Richardson is designated to serve as the Public Representative to represent the interests of the general public in this proceeding. Neither the Public Representative nor any additional persons assigned to assist him shall participate in or advise as to any Commission decision in this proceeding other than in his or her designated capacity.

IV. Ordering Paragraphs

It is ordered:

1. The Commission establishes Docket No. ACR2021 to consider matters raised by the United States Postal Service’s FY 2021 Annual Compliance Report.

2. Pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 505, the Commission appoints Kenneth E. Richardson as an officer of the Commission (Public Representative) in this proceeding to represent the interests of the general public.

3. Comments on the United States Postal Service’s FY 2021 Annual Compliance Report to the Commission are due on or before January 31, 2022.

4. Reply comments are due on or before February 14, 2022.

5. The Secretary shall arrange for publication of this Order in the **Federal Register**.

By the Commission.

Erica A. Barker,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 11619]

Proposal To Extend and Amend Cultural Property Agreement Between the United States and Mali

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Public notice.

SUMMARY: Proposal to extend and amend the *Memorandum of Understanding Between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Mali Concerning the Imposition of Import Restrictions on Archaeological Material from Mali from the Paleolithic Era (Stone Age) to Approximately the Mid-Eighteenth Century*.

³ Docket No. ACR2010, Annual Compliance Determination, March 29, 2011, at 106–107 (FY 2010 ACD).

⁴ *Id.* at 33; see Docket No. RM2018–1, Order Adopting Final Rules on Reporting Requirements Related to Flats, May 8, 2019 (Order No. 5086).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Anne Compton, Cultural Heritage Center, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs: (202) 377-9783; culprop@state.gov; include "Mali" in the subject line.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to the authority vested in the Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs, and pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 2602(f)(1), an extension and amendment of the *Memorandum of Understanding Between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Mali Concerning the Imposition of Import Restrictions on Archaeological Material from Mali from the Paleolithic Era (Stone Age) to Approximately the Mid-Eighteenth Century* is hereby proposed.

A copy of the Memorandum of Understanding, the Designated List of categories of material restricted from import into the United States, and related information can be found at the Cultural Heritage Center website: <http://culturalheritage.state.gov>.

Allison Davis,

Executive Director, Cultural Property Advisory Committee, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 11618]

Proposal To Extend Cultural Property Agreement Between the United States and Guatemala

AGENCY: Department of State.

ACTION: Public notice.

SUMMARY: Proposal to extend the *Memorandum of Understanding Between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Guatemala Concerning the Imposition of Import Restrictions on Archaeological Material from the Pre-Columbian Cultures and Ecclesiastical Ethnological Material from the Conquest and Colonial Periods of Guatemala*.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Andrew Zonderman, Cultural Heritage Center, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs: (202) 718-9481; culprop@state.gov; include "Guatemala" in the subject line.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to the authority vested in the Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs, and pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 2602(f)(1), an extension of the *Memorandum of Understanding*

Between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Guatemala

Concerning the Imposition of Import Restrictions on Archaeological Material from the Pre-Columbian Cultures and Ecclesiastical Ethnological Material from the Conquest and Colonial Periods of Guatemala is hereby proposed.

A copy of the Memorandum of Understanding, the Designated List of categories of material restricted from import into the United States, and related information can be found at the Cultural Heritage Center website: <http://culturalheritage.state.gov>.

Allison Davis,

Executive Director, Cultural Property Advisory Committee, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 11620]

Cultural Property Advisory Committee; Notice of Meeting

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Department of State announces the location, dates, times, and agenda for the next meeting of the Cultural Property Advisory Committee.

DATES AND TIMES: The Cultural Property Advisory Committee ("the Committee") will meet January 25-27, 2022, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (EST) via videoconference. The Committee will hold an open session on January 25, 2022, at 11:00 a.m. (EST), which will last approximately one hour.

Participation: You may participate in the open session by videoconference. To participate, visit <http://culturalheritage.state.gov> for information on how to access the meeting. Please submit any requests for reasonable accommodation no later than January 18, 2022, by contacting the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs at culprop@state.gov. It may not be possible to accommodate requests made after that date.

Comments: The Committee will review your written comments if they are received by January 18, 2022, at 11:59 p.m. (EST). You are not required to submit written comments in order to make an oral comment in the open session. You may submit written comments in two ways, depending on whether they contain privileged or confidential information:

▪ **Electronic Comments:** For ordinary comments, please use <http://>

www.regulations.gov, enter the docket [DOS-2021-0037], and follow the prompts to submit your comments.

▪ **Email Comments:** For comments that contain privileged or confidential information (within the meaning of 19 U.S.C. 2605(i)(1)), please email submissions to culprop@state.gov. Include "Cyprus", "Guatemala", and/or "Mali" in the subject line, as appropriate.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For general questions concerning the meeting, contact Allison Davis, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs—Cultural Heritage Center, by phone (202-702-1166) or email (culprop@state.gov).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with the Convention on Cultural Property Implementation Act (19 U.S.C. 2601 *et seq.*) ("the Act"), the Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs calls a meeting of the Cultural Property Advisory Committee ("the Committee") (19 U.S.C. 2605(e)(2)). The Act describes the Committee's responsibilities. A portion of this meeting will be closed to the public pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(9)(B) and 19 U.S.C. 2605(h).

Meeting Agenda: The Committee will continue to review the proposed extension and amendment of the cultural property agreement with the Government of the Republic of Cyprus, including a request to include additional categories of archaeological and ethnological material. The Committee will also review the proposed extension of the cultural property agreement with the Government of the Republic of Guatemala and the proposed extension and amendment of the cultural property agreement with the Government of the Republic of Mali, including a request to include additional categories of ethnological material. In addition, the Committee will undertake a continuing review of the effectiveness of other cultural property agreements and emergency actions currently in force.

Open Session Participation: The Committee will hold an open session of the meeting to receive oral public comments on the proposed extension and amendment of the agreement with Cyprus, the proposed extension of the agreement with Guatemala, and the proposed extension and amendment of the agreement with Mali on Tuesday, January 25, 2022, from 11:00 a.m. to approximately 12:00 p.m. (EST). The Department will provide specific instructions on how to participate or observe the open session at <http://culturalheritage.state.gov>.