

POLICIES AND PRACTICES FOR RETRIEVAL OF RECORDS:

Records are retrievable by a variety of fields including the individual's name or username.

POLICIES AND PRACTICES FOR RETENTION AND DISPOSAL OF RECORDS:

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ADMINISTRATIVE, TECHNICAL AND PHYSICAL SAFEGUARDS:

NCUA has implemented the appropriate administrative, technical, and physical controls in accordance with the Federal Information Security Modernization Act of 2014, Public Law 113–283, S. 2521, and NCUA's information security policies to protect the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of the information system and the information contained therein. Access is limited only to individuals authorized through NIST-compliant Identity, Credential, and Access Management policies and procedures. The records are maintained behind a layered defensive posture consistent with all applicable federal laws and regulations, including Office of Management and Budget Circular A–130 and NIST Special Publication 800–37.

RECORD ACCESS PROCEDURES:

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2. Any available information regarding the type of record involved.
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4. You must sign your request.

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CONTESTING RECORD PROCEDURES:

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3. A statement specifying the changes to be made in the records and the justification therefore.

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NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES:

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EXEMPTIONS PROMULGATED FOR THE SYSTEM:

None.

HISTORY:

This is a new system.

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NATIONAL CREDIT UNION ADMINISTRATION**Privacy Act of 1974: Systems of Records**

AGENCY: National Credit Union Administration (NCUA).

ACTION: Notice of a new system of records.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Privacy Act of 1974, the National Credit Union Administration (NCUA) gives notice of a new Privacy Act system of records. The new system is NCUA–26, Prospective Official Application Records. The Federal Credit Union Act requires that the NCUA investigate the general character and fitness of the management and officials of a proposed federal credit union or proposed federally insured state-chartered credit union. This system will include information that the NCUA collects and

maintains to meet these requirements of the Federal Credit Union Act. Information is collected directly from the individual with their consent.

DATES: Submit comments on or before May 15, 2023. This system will be effective immediately, and routine uses will be effective on May 15, 2023.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments by any of the following methods, but please send comments by one method only:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

- *NCUA Website:* http://www.ncua.gov/RegulationsOpinionsLaws/proposed_regs/proposed_regs.html. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

- *Fax:* (703) 518–6319. Use the subject line described above for email.

- *Mail:* Address to Melane Conyers-Ausbrooks, Secretary of the Board, National Credit Union Administration, 1775 Duke Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22314–3428.

- *Hand Delivery/Courier:* Same as mail address.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Jennifer Chemel, Attorney-Advisor, Office of General Counsel, the National Credit Union Administration, 1775 Duke Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22314.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice informs the public of the NCUA's proposal to establish and maintain a new system of records in accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974. The proposed system of records covers the NCUA's collection and maintenance of records on applications for proposed federal and federally insured state-chartered credit union officials and employees. The Federal Credit Union Act requires that the NCUA investigate the general character and fitness of officials and senior management of proposed federal credit unions and proposed federally insured state-chartered credit unions. The Federal Credit Union Act defines management of a federal credit union as the proposed credit union's board of directors, credit committee, and supervisory committee. Senior management official is defined as a chief executive officer, an assistant chief executive officer, a chief financial officer, and any other senior executive officer. NCUA's Office of Credit Union Resources and Expansion (CURE) manages the credit union charter process and performs these general investigations with the assistance of the NCUA's Office of Continuity and Security Management.

The format of NCUA–26 aligns with the guidance set forth in Office of

Management and Budget (OMB)
Circular A-108.

By the National Credit Union
Administration Board on April 10, 2023.

Melane Conyers-Ausbrooks,
Secretary of the Board.

SYSTEM NAME AND NUMBER:

NCUA-26, Prospective Official
Application Records.

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION:

Unclassified.

SYSTEM LOCATION:

National Credit Union
Administration, 1775 Duke Street,
Alexandria, VA 22314-3428.

SYSTEM MANAGER(S):

Director, Office of Credit Union
Resources and Expansion, National
Credit Union Administration, 1775
Duke Street, Alexandria, Virginia
22314-3428.

AUTHORITY FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM:

12 U.S.C. 1754 and 12 CFR part 701.

PURPOSE(S) OF THE SYSTEM:

The NCUA uses information
maintained in this system to carry out
its statutory and other regulatory
responsibilities, including evaluating
the general character and fitness of
prospective officials and employees of
proposed federal credit unions and
proposed federally insured state-
chartered credit unions, and evaluating
that applicants have requisite skills and
commitment to dedicate time and effort
to operate a successful credit union.

**CATEGORIES OF INDIVIDUALS COVERED BY THE
SYSTEM:**

Individuals, such as prospective
officials and employees, or other
persons who are subject to background
checks designed to evaluate the general
character and fitness bearing on the
individual's fitness to be an official or
employee of a proposed federal credit
union or a proposed federally insured
state-chartered credit union.

CATEGORIES OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:

Records in the system include name,
contact information, date of birth, and
Social Security numbers of individuals
proposed as either officials or
management employees of proposed
federal credit unions or proposed
federally insured state-chartered credit
unions. Records may also include
interagency or intra-agency
correspondence or memoranda;
suspicious activity reports; federal,
state, or local criminal law enforcement
agency investigatory reports,
indictments and/or arrest and

conviction information; reporting
agency credit reports; adverse credit
records (e.g., bankruptcies, liens,
judgments); administrative enforcement
orders or agreements. Records also
include actions taken by the NCUA in
connection with these proposals.

RECORD SOURCE CATEGORIES:

The information in the system is
obtained from individuals named in
notices filed pursuant to 12 CFR 701
Appendix B, federal or state financial
regulatory agencies, criminal law
enforcement authorities, credit bureaus,
and NCUA personnel.

**ROUTINE USES OF RECORDS MAINTAINED IN THE
SYSTEM, INCLUDING CATEGORIES OF USERS AND
THE PURPOSES OF SUCH USES:**

In addition to those disclosures
generally permitted under 5 U.S.C.
552a(b) of the Privacy Act, these records
or information contained therein may
specifically be disclosed outside the
NCUA as a routine use pursuant to 5
U.S.C. 552a(b)(3) as follows:

1. A record from a system of records
may be disclosed as a routine use to
third parties to the extent necessary to
obtain information that is relevant to an
investigation of an individual's general
character and fitness;

2. If a record in a system of records
indicates a violation or potential
violation of civil or criminal law or a
regulation, and whether arising by
general statute or particular program
statute, or by regulation, rule, or order,
the relevant records in the system or
records may be disclosed as a routine
use to the appropriate agency, whether
federal, state, local, or foreign, charged
with the responsibility of investigating
or prosecuting such violation or charged
with enforcing or implementing the
statute, rule, regulation, or order issued
pursuant thereto;

3. A record from a system of records
may be disclosed as a routine use to a
member of Congress or to a
congressional staff member in response
to an inquiry from the congressional
office made at the request of the
individual about whom the record is
maintained;

4. Records in a system of records may
be disclosed as a routine use to the
Department of Justice, when: (a) NCUA,
or any of its components or employees
acting in their official capacities, is a
party to litigation; or (b) Any employee
of NCUA in his or her individual
capacity is a party to litigation and
where the Department of Justice has
agreed to represent the employee; or (c)
The United States is a party in litigation,
where NCUA determines that litigation
is likely to affect the agency or any of

its components, is a party to litigation
or has an interest in such litigation, and
NCUA determines that use of such
records is relevant and necessary to the
litigation;

5. Records in a system of records may
be disclosed as a routine use in a
proceeding before a court or
adjudicative body before which NCUA
is authorized to appear (a) when NCUA
or any of its components or employees
are acting in their official capacities; (b)
where NCUA or any employee of NCUA
in his or her individual capacity has
agreed to represent the employee; or (c)
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litigation;

6. A record from a system of records
may be disclosed as a routine use to
contractors, experts, consultants, and
the agents thereof, and others
performing or working on a contract,
service, cooperative agreement, or other
assignment for NCUA when necessary
to accomplish an agency function or
administer an employee benefit
program. Individuals provided
information under this routine use are
subject to the same Privacy Act
requirements and limitations on
disclosure as are applicable to NCUA
employees;

7. A record from a system of records
may be disclosed to appropriate
agencies, entities, and persons when (1)
NCUA suspects or has confirmed that
the security or confidentiality of
information in the system of records has
been compromised; (2) NCUA has
determined that as a result of the
suspected or confirmed compromise
there is a risk of harm to economic or
property interests, identity theft or
fraud, or harm to the security or
integrity of this system or other systems
or programs (whether maintained by
NCUA or another agency or entity) that
rely upon the compromised
information; and (3) the disclosure
made to such agencies, entities, and
persons is reasonably necessary to assist
in connection with NCUA's efforts to
respond to the suspected or confirmed
compromise and prevent, minimize, or
remedy such harm; and

8. To another Federal agency or
Federal entity, when the NCUA
determines that information from this
system of records is reasonably
necessary to assist the recipient agency
or entity in (1) responding to a
suspected or confirmed breach or (2)
preventing, minimizing, or remedying
the risk of harm to individuals, the

recipient agency or entity (including its information systems, programs, and operations), the Federal Government, or national security, resulting from a suspected or confirmed breach.

POLICIES AND PRACTICES FOR STORAGE OF RECORDS:

Electronic records and backups are stored on secure servers, approved by NCUA's Office of the Chief Information Officer (OCIO), within a FedRAMP-authorized commercial Cloud Service Provider's (CSP) Software-as-a-Service solution hosting environment and accessed only by authorized personnel.

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Records may be retrieved by the name of an individual covered by the system.

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Federal criminal law enforcement investigatory reports maintained as part of this system may be subject of exemptions imposed by the originating agency pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552a(j)(2).

HISTORY:

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NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION

Agency Information Collection Activities: Comment Request; National Science Foundation Proposal/Award Information—NSF Proposal and Award Policies and Procedures Guide

AGENCY: National Science Foundation.
ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The National Science Foundation (NSF) is announcing plans to renew this collection. In accordance with the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, we are providing opportunity for public comment on this action. After obtaining and considering public comment, NSF will prepare the submission requesting Office of Management and Budget (OMB) clearance of this collection for no longer than 3 years.

DATES: Written comments on this notice must be received by June 12, 2023 to be assured consideration. Comments received after that date will be considered to the extent practicable. Send comments to the address below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Suzanne H. Plimpton, Reports Clearance Officer, National Science Foundation, 2415 Eisenhower Avenue, Suite E7400, Alexandria, Virginia 22314; telephone (703) 292-7556; or send email to splimpto@nsf.gov. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339, which is accessible 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year (including Federal holidays).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title of Collection: "National Science Foundation Proposal/Award Information—NSF Proposal and Award Policies and Procedures Guide."

OMB Approval Number: 3145-0058.
Expiration Date of Approval: October 31, 2025.

Type of Request: Intent to seek approval to extend with revision an information collection for three years. The primary purpose of this revision is to update the NSF Proposal and Award Policies and Procedures Guide (PAPPG) to incorporate a number of policy-related changes and clarifications of language. The draft NSF PAPPG is now available for your review and consideration on the NSF website at <http://www.nsf.gov/bfa/dias/policy/>. To facilitate review, revised text has been highlighted in yellow throughout the document to identify significant changes. A brief comment explanation of the change also is provided.

Proposed Project: The National Science Foundation Act of 1950 (Pub. L.