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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Institute of Standards and Technology

#### National Semiconductor Technology Center Selection Committee

**AGENCY:** National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** On April 26, 2023, the National Institute of Standards and Technology published a notice in the *Federal Register* soliciting nominations for a Selection Committee that will play an important role in the success of the National Semiconductor Technology Center (“NSTC”). The notice indicated that the Selection Committee shall automatically terminate no later than August 31, 2023. NIST is issuing this notice to inform the public that the Selection Committee shall automatically terminate no later than September 30, 2023.

**DATES:** Nominations for the Selection Committee closed on 5:00 p.m. EST on May 24, 2023. The Selection Committee shall automatically terminate no later than September 30, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** Kevin Kimball, Senior Advisor, CHIPS R&D Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, NIST, 100 Bureau Drive, MS1000, Gaithersburg, MD 20899; email: [FRN@chips.gov](mailto:FRN@chips.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Kevin Kimball, Senior Advisor, CHIPS R&D Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, NIST, 100 Bureau Drive, MS1000, Gaithersburg, MD 20899; email: [FRN@chips.gov](mailto:FRN@chips.gov); telephone: 240–778–3977. For additional information about the National Semiconductor Technology Center, please visit <https://www.nist.gov/document/vision-and-strategy-national-semiconductor->

*technology-center*. For media inquiries, please contact Matt Hill at [Matt.Hill@chips.gov](mailto:Matt.Hill@chips.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On April 26, 2023, the Department issued a notice in the *Federal Register* seeking nominations for Selection Committee members, who by virtue of their experience and expertise, could identify distinguished, purpose-driven, visionary leaders for the new independent, non-profit entity to operate the NSTC. The original notice is available at <https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2023/04/26/2023-08591/national-semiconductor-technology-center-selection-committee>.

On June 20, 2023, the Department identified five highly qualified individuals to serve on the Selection Committee. The press release describing these individuals is available at <https://www.nist.gov/news-events/news/2023/06/chips-america-announces-selection-committee-board-trustees-national>.

The Department understands that the Committee would benefit from additional time to complete this important task. Therefore, the Department is extending the termination date of the Selection Committee from August 31, 2023 to September 30, 2023.

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

#### Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Northwest Region, Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery: Trawl Rationalization Cost Recovery Program

**AGENCY:** National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection, request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce, in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on proposed, and continuing information collections, which helps us assess the impact of our information collection requirements and minimize the public’s reporting burden. The purpose of this

notice is to allow for 60 days of public comment preceding submission of the collection to OMB.

**DATES:** To ensure consideration, comments regarding this proposed information collection must be received on or before October 23, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit written comments to Adrienne Thomas, NOAA PRA Officer, at [NOAA.PRA@noaa.gov](mailto:NOAA.PRA@noaa.gov). Please reference OMB Control Number 0648–0364 in the subject line of your comments. Do not submit Confidential Business Information or otherwise sensitive or protected information.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or specific questions related to collection activities should be directed to Christopher Biegel, Cost Recovery Coordinator, National Marine Fisheries Service, West Coast Regional Office, 1201 NE Lloyd Blvd., Suite 1100, Portland, OR 97232, (503) 231–6291, [christopher.biegel@noaa.gov](mailto:christopher.biegel@noaa.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Abstract

This request is for a revision to a currently approved information collection. The Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act (MSA) authorizes and requires that the Secretary of Commerce maintain a cost recovery program to recover the management, data collection and analysis, and enforcement costs of the limited access privilege programs, such as the Pacific Coast Groundfish Trawl Rationalization Program (Trawl Program). Cost recovery fees may not exceed three percent of the ex-vessel value. The Trawl Program cost recovery program requires fish sellers to submit fees to fish buyers who then submit those fees to NOAA’s National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS). Fish buyers must also submit information to NMFS on the volume and value of harvested groundfish when submitting the fees. Information is collected from monthly and annual payment transactions and reports as well as non-payment documents when necessary. This revision would add the applicable fish ticket number to each IFQ *Pay.Gov* payment transaction.

The information collected is used to track the payment of cost recovery fees, reconcile cost recovery payments with landings data from other sources, calculate average ex-vessel values, and, if necessary, help in the resolution of non-payment issues.

This program is authorized under the Pacific coast groundfish fishery