

b. The accuracy of the Board's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

c. Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected;

d. Ways to minimize the burden of information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and

e. Estimates of capital or startup costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

At the end of the comment period, the comments and recommendations received will be analyzed to determine the extent to which the Board should modify the proposal.

### Proposal Under OMB Delegated Authority To Extend for Three Years, With Revision, the Following Information Collection

*Collection title:* Consolidated Report of Condition and Income for Edge and Agreement Corporations.

*Collection identifier:* FR 2886b.

*OMB control number:* 7100-0086.

*General description of collection:* The FR 2886b reporting form is filed quarterly or annually by Edge and agreement corporations (collectively, Edges or Edge corporations). The Board is responsible for authorizing, supervising, and assigning ratings to Edges. The Board and the Federal Reserve Banks use the data collected by the FR 2886b to supervise Edge corporations and to monitor and develop a better understanding of Edge activities.

*Proposed revisions:* The Board proposes to revise the FR 2886b form and instructions to be consistent with adopted changes to U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) related to troubled debt restructurings, provisions for credit losses on off-balance sheet credit exposures, and expected recoveries of amounts previously charged off included within the allowances for credit losses. The Board also proposes to revise the FR 2886b instructions by (1) specifying when respondents should submit their reports if the submission deadline falls on a weekend or holiday, and (2) adding a recordkeeping requirement for respondents to maintain a record of the data submitted for three years. These revisions are proposed to take effect as of the December 31, 2024, as-of date.

*Frequency:* Quarterly and annually.

*Respondents:* Edge and agreement corporations.

*Total estimated number of respondents:* 64.

*Total estimated change in burden:* 96.

*Total estimated annual burden hours:* 1,432.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 4, 2024.

**Benjamin W. McDonough,**

*Deputy Secretary and Ombuds of the Board.*

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## FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

### Proposed Agency Information Collection Activities; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

**ACTION:** Notice, request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (Board) invites comment on a proposal to extend for three years, without revision, the Recordkeeping and Disclosure Requirements Associated with CFPB's Regulation Z (FR Z; OMB No. 7100-0199)

**DATES:** Comments must be submitted on or before August 6, 2024.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by FR Z, by any of the following methods:

- *Agency website:* <https://www.federalreserve.gov/>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments at <https://www.federalreserve.gov/apps/foia/proposedregs.aspx>.
- *Email:* [regs.comments@federalreserve.gov](mailto:regs.comments@federalreserve.gov). Include the OMB number or FR number in the subject line of the message.
- *Fax:* (202) 452-3819 or (202) 452-3102.
- *Mail:* Federal Reserve Board of Governors, Attn: Ann E. Misback, Secretary of the Board, Mailstop M-4775, 2001 C St NW, Washington, DC 20551.

All public comments are available from the Board's website at <https://www.federalreserve.gov/apps/foia/proposedregs.aspx> as submitted, unless modified for technical reasons or to remove personally identifiable information at the commenter's request. Accordingly, comments will not be edited to remove any confidential business information, identifying information, or contact information. Public comments may also be viewed electronically or in paper in Room M-4365A, 2001 C St NW, Washington, DC 20551, between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on weekdays, except for Federal

holidays. For security reasons, the Board requires that visitors make an appointment to inspect comments. You may do so by calling (202) 452-3684. Upon arrival, visitors will be required to present valid government-issued photo identification and to submit to security screening in order to inspect and photocopy comments.

Additionally, commenters may send a copy of their comments to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Desk Officer for the Federal Reserve Board, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, 725 17th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20503, or by fax to (202) 395-6974.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Federal Reserve Board Clearance Officer—Nuha Elmaghrabi—Office of the Chief Data Officer, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, [nuha.elmaghrabi@frb.gov](mailto:nuha.elmaghrabi@frb.gov), (202) 452-3884.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On June 15, 1984, OMB delegated to the Board authority under the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) to approve and assign OMB control numbers to collections of information conducted or sponsored by the Board. In exercising this delegated authority, the Board is directed to take every reasonable step to solicit comment. In determining whether to approve a collection of information, the Board will consider all comments received from the public and other agencies.

During the comment period for this proposal, a copy of the proposed PRA OMB submission, including the draft reporting form and instructions, supporting statement (which contains more detail about the information collection and burden estimates than this notice), and other documentation, will be made available on the Board's public website at <https://www.federalreserve.gov/apps/reportingforms/home/review> or may be requested from the agency clearance officer, whose name appears above. Final versions of these documents will be made available at <https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain>, if approved.

### Request for Comment on Information Collection Proposal

The Board invites public comment on the following information collection, which is being reviewed under authority delegated by the OMB under the PRA. Comments are invited on the following:

- Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper

performance of the Board's functions, including whether the information has practical utility;

b. The accuracy of the Board's estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

c. Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected;

d. Ways to minimize the burden of information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and

e. Estimates of capital or startup costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

At the end of the comment period, the comments and recommendations received will be analyzed to determine the extent to which the Board should modify the proposal.

#### **Proposal Under OMB Delegated Authority To Extend for Three Years, Without Revision, the Following Information Collection**

*Collection title:* Recordkeeping and Disclosure Requirements Associated with CFPB's Regulation Z.

*Collection identifier:* FR Z.

*OMB control number:* 7100-0199.

*General description of collection:* The Truth in Lending Act (TILA) and Regulation Z require creditors to provide consumers with disclosures about the costs, terms, and related information regarding a wide range of credit products for personal, family, or household purposes. Depending on the credit product, required disclosures include information that must be provided at the time of the consumer's application for credit, at consummation (for closed-end credit) or account-opening (for open-end credit), and throughout the term of the loan. The TILA and Regulation Z also contain rules concerning recordkeeping and credit advertising.

The FR Z is the Board's information collection associated with the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau's (CFPB's) Regulation Z. FR Z is used to promote the informed use of credit by consumers for personal, family, or household purposes by requiring these disclosures about the terms and costs of these products, as well as ensuring that consumers are provided with timely information on the nature and costs of the residential real estate settlement process.

*Frequency:* Event-generated.

*Respondents:* State member banks with assets of \$10 billion or less that are

not affiliated with an insured depository institution with assets over \$10 billion (irrespective of the consolidated assets of any holding company); non-depository affiliates of such state member banks; and non-depository affiliates of bank holding companies that are not affiliated with an insured depository institution with assets over \$10 billion.

*Total estimated number of respondents:* 3,695.

*Total estimated annual burden hours:* 387,079.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 4, 2024.

**Benjamin W. McDonough,**

*Deputy Secretary and Ombuds of the Board.*

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## **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

### **Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services**

[CMS-3457-PN]

#### **Medicare and Medicaid Programs: Application by the Community Health Accreditation Partner (CHAP) Inc. for Continued CMS-Approval of Its Hospice Accreditation Program**

**AGENCY:** Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice with request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** This notice acknowledges the receipt of an application from the Community Health Accreditation Partner for continued recognition as a national accrediting organization for hospices that wish to participate in the Medicare or Medicaid programs.

**DATES:** To be assured consideration, comments must be received at one of the addresses provided below, no later than 5 p.m. on July 8, 2024.

**ADDRESSES:** In commenting, refer to file code CMS-3457-PN.

Comments, including mass comment submissions, must be submitted in one of the following three ways (please choose only one of the ways listed):

1. *Electronically.* You may submit electronic comments on this regulation to <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the "Submit a comment" instructions.

2. *By regular mail.* You may mail written comments to the following address ONLY: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, Attention: CMS-3457-PN, P.O. Box 8016, Baltimore, MD 21244-8010.

Please allow sufficient time for mailed comments to be received before the close of the comment period.

3. *By express or overnight mail.* You may send written comments to the following address ONLY: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, Attention: CMS-3457-PN, Mail Stop C4-26-05, 7500 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, MD 21244-1850.

*Submission of comments on paperwork requirements.* You may submit comments on this document's paperwork requirements by following the instructions at the end of the "Collection of Information Requirements" section in this document. For information on viewing public comments, see the beginning of the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section.

#### **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Lillian Williams, (410) 786-8636.

Erin Imhoff, (410) 786-2337.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Inspection of Public Comments:* All comments received before the close of the comment period are available for viewing by the public, including any personally identifiable or confidential business information that is included in a comment. We post all comments received before the close of the comment period on the following website as soon as possible after they have been received: <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the search instructions on that website to view public comments.

#### **I. Background**

Under the Medicare program, eligible beneficiaries may receive covered services in a hospice, provided that certain requirements are met by the hospice. Section 1861(dd) of the Social Security Act (the Act) establishes distinct criteria for facilities seeking designation as a hospice. Regulations concerning provider agreements are at 42 CFR part 489 and those pertaining to activities relating to the survey and certification of facilities are at 42 CFR part 488. The regulations at 42 CFR part 418 specify the conditions that a hospice must meet in order to participate in the Medicare program, the scope of covered services and the conditions for Medicare payment for hospice services.

Generally, to enter into an agreement, a hospice must first be certified by a State survey agency (SA) as complying with the conditions or requirements set forth in part 418. Thereafter, the hospice is subject to regular surveys by a State survey agency to determine whether it continues to meet these requirements.