

Act.³ The proposed rule change was published for comment in the **Federal Register** on April 5, 2024.⁴ On May 21, 2024, the Commission issued an order temporarily suspending the proposed rule change pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(C) of the Act⁵ and simultaneously instituting proceedings under Section 19(b)(2)(B) of the Act⁶ to determine whether to approve or disapprove the proposed rule change.⁷

Section 19(b)(2) of the Act⁸ provides that, after initiating proceedings, the Commission shall issue an order approving or disapproving the proposed rule change not later than 180 days after the date of publication of notice of filing of the proposed rule change. The Commission may extend the period for issuing an order approving or disapproving the proposed rule change, however, by not more than 60 days if the Commission determines that a longer period is appropriate and publishes the reasons for such determination. The proposed rule change was published for notice and comment in the **Federal Register** on April 5, 2024.⁹ October 2, 2024 is 180 days from that date, and December 1, 2024 is 240 days from that date.

The Commission finds it appropriate to designate a longer period within which to issue an order approving or disapproving the proposed rule change so that it has sufficient time to consider the proposed rule change and its comments. Accordingly, the Commission, pursuant to Section 19(b)(2) of the Act,¹⁰ designates December 1, 2024 as the date by which the Commission shall either approve or disapprove the proposed rule change (File No. SR-NASDAQ-2024-016).

³ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A). A proposed rule change may take effect upon filing with the Commission if it is designated by the exchange as “establishing or changing a due, fee, or other charge imposed by the self-regulatory organization on any person, whether or not the person is a member of the self-regulatory organization.” 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(A)(ii).

⁴ See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 99879 (April 1, 2024), 89 FR 24070 (“Notice”).

⁵ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(3)(C).

⁶ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(2)(B).

⁷ See Securities Exchange Act Release No. 100188, 89 FR 46243 (May 28, 2024) (“Order Instituting Proceedings”). The Commission has received three comment letters on the proposed rule change, as well as a response from the Exchange to the Order Instituting Proceedings. Comments received on the Proposal are available at: <https://www.sec.gov/comments/sr-nasdaq-2024-016/srnasdaq2024016.htm>.

⁸ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(2).

⁹ See Notice, *supra* note 4.

¹⁰ 15 U.S.C. 78s(b)(2).

¹¹ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(57).

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.¹¹

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Small Business Investment Company Interim Application Filing Window

AGENCY: U.S. Small Business Administration.

ACTION: Notice of SBIC program interim application filing window.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) is providing notice of an interim filing window for the acceptance of SBA Form 2181, SBIC Management Assessment Questionnaires (MAQs or Applications) for licensing as a Small Business Investment Company (SBIC).

DATES: The SBIC program interim Application filing window due date identified in this notice is Friday, November 15, 2024, with a deadline for acceptance of Applications submitted prior to 5 p.m. eastern standard time (EST) to SBIC_Applications@SBA.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Paul Van Eyl, Office of Investment and Innovation at 202-257-5955 or oii.policy@sba.gov. If you are deaf, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability, please dial 7-1-1 to access telecommunications relay services.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: SBA may select to add and publicly announce additional SBIC Application filing windows. Application filings should be made on the actual window date prior to the deadline provided. Application filings made after the deadline date or between window dates, including interim filing window dates, will be held in abeyance until the next window opens. The next quarterly scheduled filing window due date is December 31, 2024. Incomplete MAQ submissions will not be accepted for processing. If an applicant fails to file by the deadline of a quarterly or interim filing deadline date, the applicant SBIC must either wait until the next quarterly window to refile or understand that SBA will take on action on the MAQ until the next quarterly filing window, which for this calendar year would be December 31, 2024, with a deadline of 5 p.m. EST.

MAQ submissions should be emailed to SBIC_Applications@SBA.gov.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 12560]

30-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection: Statement Regarding a Valid Lost or Stolen U.S. Passport Book and/or Card

ACTION: Notice of request for public comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of State has submitted the information collection described below to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for approval. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, we are requesting comments on these collections from all interested individuals and organizations. The purpose of this Notice is to allow 30 days for public comment.

DATES: The Department will accept comments from the public up to November 6, 2024.

ADDRESSES: Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to: www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain. Find this information collection by selecting “Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function. You must include the DS form number, information collection title, and the OMB control number in any correspondence (if applicable). You may send requests for additional information regarding the collection listed in this notice, including requests for copies of the proposed collection instrument and supporting documents, to the following email address: Passport-Form-Comments@State.gov. You must include the DS form number and information collection title in the email subject line.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

- *Title of Information Collection:* Statement Regarding a Lost or Stolen U.S. Passport Book and/or Card.
- *OMB Control Number:* 1405-0014.
- *Type of Request:* Revision of a Currently Approved Collection.
- *Originating Office:* Bureau of Consular Affairs, Passport Services, Office of Program Management and Operational Support (CA/PPT/S/PMO).