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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Performance Review Board Membership

AGENCY: Office of Human Resources Management, Departmental Administration.

ACTION: Notice of Performance Review Board appointments.

SUMMARY: This notice announces the members of the Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Senior Executive Service (SES) and Senior Level (SL) and Scientific or Professional (ST) Performance Review Boards. Agriculture has two PRBs with representatives from each USDA Mission Area. The PRB provides a written recommendation to the Secretary for final approval of each executive's performance rating, performance-based pay adjustment, and performance award. The PRBs are advised by the Office of Human Resources Management, Office of General Counsel, and Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights to ensure compliance with laws and regulations.

DATES: The board membership is applicable beginning on October 18, 2024.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Anita Adkins, Chief Human Capital Officer, Office of Human Resources Management, telephone: (337) 247-1820, or Tonique Washington, Acting Director, Executive Resources Management Division, telephone: (202) 720-0027.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4), the USDA PRB members are named below:

Bender, Stuart A.; Bennett, Patricia A.; Bucknall, Janet L.; Coleman, Angela V.; Crockett, John W.; Drennen, Lorna J.; Duncan, C. Natalie L.; Eichhorst, John E.; Erhan, Sevim Z.; Fantinato, Jessica; French, Christopher B.; Glendenning,

Roger W.; Heath, Linda S.; Jackson, Kimberly R.; James, Rosalind R.; Lindbo, David; Manzano, Heather L.; McHugh, Tara H.; Morris, Erin; Neal Jr., Arthur L.; Nickerson, Cynthia J.; Parsons, Joseph L.; Ramirez, Lisa; Ripley, Ingrid; Shea, A. Kevin; Slupek, Mark A.; Smith, Gregory C.; Tharp, Melissa A.; Watson, Michael T.; Whitley, Daniel B.; and Williams, Duane.

Keith Wiggins,

Deputy Director Executive Resources Management Division, Office of Human Resources Management.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Economic Analysis

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Services Surveys: BE-29, Annual Survey of Foreign Ocean Carriers' Expenses in the United States

The Department of Commerce will submit the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance, in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) on or after the date of publication of this notice. We invite 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. Public comments were previously requested via the **Federal Register** on July 18, 2024, during a 60-day comment period. This notice allows for an additional 30 days for public comments.

Agency: Bureau of Economic Analysis, Commerce.

Title: Annual Survey of Foreign Ocean Carriers' Expenses in the United States.

OMB Control Number: 0608-0012.

Form Number(s): BE-29.

Type of Request: Regular submission.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 80 annually (70 reporting mandatory data, and 10 that would file exemption claims or voluntary responses).

Estimated Time per Response: 3 hours is the average for those reporting

mandatory data and one hour is the average for those filing an exemption claim or voluntary responses. Hours may vary considerably among respondents because of differences in company size and complexity.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 220.

Needs and Uses: The data are needed to monitor U.S. trade in transport services, to analyze the impact of these cross-border services on the U.S. and foreign economies, to compile and improve the U.S. economic accounts, to support U.S. commercial policy on trade in services, to conduct trade promotion, and to improve the ability of U.S. businesses to identify and evaluate market opportunities. The data are used in estimating the trade in transport services component of the U.S. international transactions accounts (ITAs) and national income and product accounts (NIPAs).

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit organizations.

Frequency: Annually.

Respondent's Obligation: Mandatory.

Legal Authority: International Investment and Trade in Services Survey Act (Pub. L. 94-472, 22 U.S.C. 3101-3108, as amended).

This information collection request may be viewed at www.reginfo.gov. Follow the instructions to view the Department of Commerce collections currently under review by OMB.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be submitted within 30 days of the publication of this notice on the following website www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain. Find this particular information collection by selecting "Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function and entering either the title of the collection or the OMB Control Number 0608-0012.

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Departmental PRA Clearance Officer, Office of the Under Secretary of Economic Affairs, Commerce Department.

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