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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Agriculture has submitted the following information collection requirement(s) to OMB for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104–13. Comments are requested regarding: Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; the accuracy of the agency's estimate of burden including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments regarding this information collection received by December 26, 2025 will be considered. 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.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless the collection of information displays a currently valid OMB control number and the agency informs potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information that such persons are not required to respond to the collection of information unless it

displays a currently valid OMB control number.

National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Title: NIFA Grant Application.

OMB Control Number: 0524–0039.

Summary of Collection: The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA) sponsors ongoing agricultural research, education, and extension programs under which competitive, formula, and special awards of a high-priority nature are made. These programs are authorized pursuant to the authorities contained in the National Agricultural Research, Extension, and Teaching Policy Act of 1977, as amended (7 U.S.C. 3101), the Smith-Lever Act, and other legislative authorities.

Before awards can be issued, certain information is required from applicants as part of an overall application. In addition to a project summary, proposal narrative, vitae of key personnel, and other pertinent technical aspects of the proposed project, supporting documentation of an administrative and budgetary nature also must be provided. This information is obtained via applications through the use of federal-wide standard grant application forms and NIFA specific application forms. Because competitive applications are submitted, many of which necessitate review by peer panelists, it is particularly important that applicants provide the information in a standardized fashion to ensure equitable treatment for all.

Need and Use of the Information: The fundamental purpose of the information requested is for provide information that is not obtained in the federal-wide application forms but is necessary for the NIFA proposal and award process. In addition to federal-wide standard grant application forms, NIFA will use the following program and agency specific components as part of its application package: Letter of Intent Form, Supplemental Information Form; Application Type Form; Form NIFA–2008, Assurance Statement(s); and Form NIFA–2010, Fellowships/Scholarships Entry/Annual Update/Exit Form.

Description of Respondents:

Individuals or household; Federal Government; State, Local or Tribal Government.

Number of Respondents: 26,550.

Frequency of Responses: Recordkeeping; Reporting: Weekly; Monthly; Annually.

Total Burden Hours: 26,888.

Rachelle Ragland-Greene,

Departmental Information Collection Clearance Officer.

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CHEMICAL SAFETY AND HAZARD INVESTIGATION BOARD

Sunshine Act Meetings

TIME AND DATE:

Thursday, December 11, 2025, 2:00 p.m. ET (2 hours).

Thursday, March 19, 2026, 2:00 p.m. ET (2 hours).

Thursday, June 18, 2026, 2:00 p.m. ET (2 hours).

Thursday, September 17, 2026, 2:00 p.m. ET (2 hours).

PLACE: The meetings will be held virtually via TEAMS. Links are below and will be available at: www.csb.gov.

Thursday, December 11, 2025, 2:00 p.m. ET (2 hours): https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_ODRhYjg1NmMtZGFjMS00NGNLTkZyMltY2FhNmRmNzZjOGVi%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%225dbf088c-c61b-466d-9e99-ec13ccacc1c6%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%223b91a5e8-39f6-45ec-9457-d78797dbe909%22%7d

Thursday, March 19, 2026, 2:00 p.m. ET (2 hours): https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_YThmNjE1OTQtNzIxYi00ZTYwLWI2NjctZjc3ZWVjNzI1ZDE5%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%225dbf088c-c61b-466d-9e99-ec13ccacc1c6%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%223b91a5e8-39f6-45ec-9457-d78797dbe909%22%7d

Thursday, June 18, 2026, 2:00 p.m. ET (2 hours): https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NDRlMjVhY2MtZTA1Yy00ZWQ4LTlmYmQtOGNiZGU2NDU5YzI5%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%225dbf088c-c61b-466d-9e99-ec13ccacc1c6%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%223b91a5e8-39f6-45ec-9457-d78797dbe909%22%7d

Thursday, September 17, 2026, 2:00 p.m. ET (2 hours): https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_NDRlMjVhY2MtZTA1Yy00ZWQ4LTlmYmQtOGNiZGU2NDU5YzI5%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%225dbf088c-c61b-466d-9e99-ec13ccacc1c6%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%223b91a5e8-39f6-45ec-9457-d78797dbe909%22%7d

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STATUS: Open to the public.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED: The Chemical Safety and Hazard Investigation Board (CSB) will convene public meetings on December 11, 2025; March 19, 2026; June 18, 2026; and, September 17, 2026, at 2:00 p.m. ET. These meetings serve to fulfill the CSB's requirement to hold a minimum of four public meetings for Fiscal Year 2026 pursuant to 40 CFR 1600.5(c). The Board will review the CSB's progress in meeting its mission and as appropriate highlight safety products newly released through investigations and safety recommendations.

CONTACT PERSON FOR FURTHER INFORMATION: Hillary Cohen, Communications Manager, at public@csb.gov or (202) 446-8094. Further information about these public meetings can be found on the CSB website at: www.csb.gov.

Additional Information

Background

The CSB is an independent federal agency charged with investigating incidents and hazards that result, or may result, in the catastrophic release of extremely hazardous substances. The agency's Board Members are appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate. CSB investigations look into all aspects of chemical accidents and hazards, including physical causes such as equipment failure as well as inadequacies in regulations, industry standards, and safety management systems.

Public Participation

The meetings are free and open to the public. These meetings will only be available via ZOOM. Close captions (CC) will be provided. At the close of each meeting, there will be an opportunity for public comment. To submit public comments for the record please email the agency at public@csb.gov.

Dated: November 21, 2025.

Steven Messer,

Acting General Counsel, Chemical Safety and Hazard Investigation Board.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[B-46-2025]

Foreign-Trade Zone (FTZ) 81, Notification of Proposed Production Activity; SubCom, LLC; (Undersea Fiber-Optic Cables and Repeaters); Newington, New Hampshire

SubCom, LLC submitted a notification of proposed production activity to the FTZ Board (the Board) for its facility in Newington, New Hampshire within FTZ 81. The notification conforming to the requirements of the Board's regulations (15 CFR 400.22) was received on November 20, 2025.

Pursuant to 15 CFR 400.14(b), FTZ production activity would be limited to the specific foreign-status material(s)/ component(s) and specific finished product(s) described in the submitted notification (summarized below) and subsequently authorized by the Board. The benefits that may stem from conducting production activity under FTZ procedures are explained in the background section of the Board's website—accessible via www.trade.gov/ftz.

The proposed finished products include undersea fiber-optic cables and undersea repeaters (duty rates are duty-free).

The proposed foreign-status materials/components include: fiber optic components (couplers; pigtails with boot adapter; pigtails with boot gimbal; jumper cables; connectors; connectors with boot; optical components (isolators; thin film filters; switches; circulators; filters; amplifier modules); high-reliability continuous pump lasers; plug attenuators; cooling fans; control card printed circuit boards; fiber adapters; subsea high-voltage power supplies; photodiode sensors; steel components (wire armoring; high strength wire); conductive copper tape; aluminum wires; stainless steel components (machined clamps and rings; machined couplings); and, machined beryllium-copper wedges (duty rate ranges from duty-free to 4.5%). The request indicates that certain materials/components are subject to duties under section 1702(a)(1)(B) of the International Emergency Economic

Powers Act (section 1702), section 232 of the Trade Expansion Act of 1962 (section 232), or section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974 (section 301), depending on the country of origin. The applicable section 1702, section 232, and section 301 decisions require subject merchandise to be admitted to FTZs in privileged foreign status (19 CFR 146.41).

Public comment is invited from interested parties. Submissions shall be addressed to the Board's Executive Secretary and sent to: ftz@trade.gov. The closing period for their receipt is January 5, 2026.

A copy of the notification will be available for public inspection in the "Online FTZ Information System" section of the Board's website.

For further information, contact Juanita Chen at juanita.chen@trade.gov.

Dated: November 20, 2025.

Elizabeth Whiteman,

Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Industry and Security

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Inclusions to the Section 232 National Security Adjustments to Imports

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, 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 August 1, 2025, during a 60-day comment period. This notice allows for an additional 30 days for public comments.

Agency: Bureau of Industry and Security, Department of Commerce.

Title: Inclusions to the Section 232 National Security Adjustments to Imports.

OMB Control Number: 0694-0146.

Form Number(s): N/A.