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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Board's GSIB surcharge rule establishes a methodology to identify global systemically important bank holding companies in the United States (GSIBs) based on indicators that are correlated with systemic importance.¹ Under the GSIB surcharge rule, a firm must calculate its GSIB score using a specific formula (Method 1). Method 1 uses five equally weighted categories that are correlated with systemic importance—size, interconnectedness, cross-jurisdictional activity, substitutability,

and complexity—and subdivided into twelve systemic indicators. A firm divides its own measure of each systemic indicator by an aggregate global indicator amount. A firm's Method 1 score is the sum of its weighted systemic indicator scores expressed in basis points. The GSIB surcharge for a firm is the higher of the GSIB surcharge determined under Method 1 and a second method, Method 2, which weighs size, interconnectedness, cross-jurisdictional activity, complexity, and a measure of the firm's reliance on short-term wholesale funding.²

The aggregate global indicator amounts used in the score calculation under Method 1 are based on data collected by the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision (BCBS). The BCBS amounts are determined based on the sum of the systemic indicator amounts as reported by the 75 largest U.S. and foreign banking organizations as

measured by the BCBS, and any other banking organization that the BCBS includes in its sample total for that year. The BCBS publicly releases these amounts, denominated in euros, each year.³ Pursuant to the GSIB surcharge rule, the Board publishes the aggregate global indicator amounts each year as denominated in U.S. dollars using the euro-dollar exchange rate provided by the BCBS.⁴ Specifically, to determine the 2021 aggregate global indicator amounts, the Board multiplied each of the euro-denominated indicator amounts made publicly available by the BCBS by 1.2271, which was the daily euro to U.S. dollar spot rate on December 31, 2020, as published by the European Central Bank.⁵

The aggregate global indicator amounts for purposes of the 2021 Method 1 score calculation under § 217.404(b)(1)(i)(B) of the GSIB surcharge rule are:

AGGREGATE GLOBAL INDICATOR AMOUNTS IN U.S. DOLLARS (USD) FOR 2021

Category	Systemic indicator	Aggregate global indicator amount (in USD)
Size	Total exposures	\$104,442,849,410,183
Interconnectedness	Intra-financial system assets	9,525,381,095,179
	Intra-financial system liabilities	11,102,596,441,364
	Securities outstanding	16,369,523,590,059
Substitutability	Payments activity	3,056,139,808,380,645
	Assets under custody	211,665,077,772,201
	Underwritten transactions in debt and equity markets	10,045,419,091,782
Complexity	Notional amount of over-the-counter (OTC) derivatives	640,457,925,001,269
	Trading and available-for-sale (AFS) securities	4,158,476,687,737
	Level 3 assets	642,954,578,909
Cross-jurisdictional activity	Cross-jurisdictional claims	25,173,500,130,034
	Cross-jurisdictional liabilities	20,496,206,443,399

Authority: 12 U.S.C. 248(a), 321-338a, 481-486, 1462a, 1467a, 1818, 1828, 1831n, 1831o, 1831p-l, 1831w, 1835, 1844(b), 1851, 3904, 3906-3909, 4808, 5365, 5368, 5371.

By order of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, acting through the Director of Supervision and Regulation under delegated authority, December 13, 2021.

Ann E. Misback,

Secretary of the Board.

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GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

[Notice MG-2021-04; Docket No. 2021-0002; Sequence No. 31]

Office of Federal High-Performance Green Buildings; Green Building Advisory Committee; Notification of Upcoming Web-Based Public Meetings

AGENCY: Office of Government-wide Policy, General Services Administration (GSA).

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: Notice of these web-based public meetings is being provided in accordance with GSA policy. This notice provides the schedule for a series of public meetings of the Green Building Advisory Committee's Federal Building Decarbonization Task Group, which are open for the public to observe. Interested individuals must register to attend as instructed below under **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION.**

DATES: The Green Building Advisory Committee's (Committee's) Federal Building Decarbonization Task Group (Task Group) will hold recurring web-

¹ See 12 CFR 217.402, 217.404.

² Method 2 uses similar inputs to those used in Method 1, but replaces the substitutability category with a measure of a firm's use of short-term wholesale funding. In addition, Method 2 is calibrated differently from Method 1.

³ The data used by the Board are available on the BCBS website at <https://www.bis.org/bcbs/gsib/denominators.htm>.

⁴ 12 CFR 217.404(b)(1)(i)(B); 80 FR 49082, 49086-87 (August 14, 2015). In addition, the Board maintains the GSIB Framework Denominators on its website, available at <https://www.federalreserve.gov/bankinforeg/basel/denominators.htm>.

⁵ Foreign exchange rates provided by the BCBS are based on data published by the European Central Bank. Available at both https://www.bis.org/bcbs/gsib/avexch_end20_gsib.xlsx and https://www.ecb.europa.eu/stats/policy_and_exchange_rates/euro_reference_exchange_rates/html/index.en.html.

based meetings on Mondays from January 10, 2022, through September 26, 2022, from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Eastern Time (ET).

The purpose of these web-based meetings is for the Task Group to develop consensus recommendations for submission to the full Committee. The Committee will, in turn, deliberate on the Task Group recommendations and decide whether to proceed with formal advice to GSA based upon these recommendations.

The next phase of the Federal Building Decarbonization Task Group will build on the findings of the first phase of this Task Group, as described by a Task Group presentation posted at https://www.gsa.gov/cdnstatic/Federal_Building_Decarbonization_Task_Group_11-16-21.pdf. The Task Group will discuss and work to develop recommendations to GSA to prioritize federal building decarbonization strategies and develop implementation plans and scenarios.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Procedures for Attendance

Contact Dr. Ken Sandler, Designated Federal Officer, Green Building Advisory Committee, Office of Federal High-Performance Green Buildings, Office of Government-Wide Policy, General Services Administration, at ken.sandler@gsa.gov or 202-219-1121 to register to attend these public web-based meetings. Submit your full name, organization, email address and phone number. Requests to attend the web-based meetings must be received by 5:00 p.m. ET, on Thursday, January 6, 2022. Meeting call-in information will be provided to interested parties who register by the deadline. (GSA will be unable to provide technical assistance to any listener experiencing technical difficulties. Testing access to the web-based meeting site before the meetings is recommended.)

Additional information about the Committee, including meeting materials and agendas, will be available on-line at <http://www.gsa.gov/gbac>.

Background

The Administrator of GSA established the Committee on June 20, 2011 (**Federal Register**/Vol. 76, No. 118) pursuant to Section 494 of the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 (42 U.S.C. 17123). Under this authority, the Committee provides independent policy advice and recommendations to GSA to advance federal building innovations in planning, design, and operations to reduce costs, enable agency missions, enhance human health

and performance, and minimize environmental impacts.

Kevin Kampschroer,

Federal Director, Office of Federal High-Performance Green Buildings, Office of Government-wide Policy, General Services Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

[OMB Control No. 9000-0067; Docket No. 2021-0053; Sequence No. 16]

Information Collection; Certain Federal Acquisition Regulation Part 16 Contract Pricing Requirements

AGENCY: Department of Defense (DOD), General Services Administration (GSA), and National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, and the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) regulations, DoD, GSA, and NASA invite the public to comment on a revision concerning certain Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) part 16 contract pricing requirements. DoD, GSA, and NASA invite comments on: Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of Federal Government acquisitions, including whether the information will have practical utility; the accuracy of the estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. OMB has approved this information collection for use through February 28, 2022. DoD, GSA, and NASA propose that OMB extend its approval for use for three additional years beyond the current expiration date.

DATES: DoD, GSA, and NASA will consider all comments received by February 15, 2022.

ADDRESSES: DoD, GSA, and NASA invite interested persons to submit comments on this collection through

<https://www.regulations.gov> and follow the instructions on the site. This website provides the ability to type short comments directly into the comment field or attach a file for lengthier comments. If there are difficulties submitting comments, contact the GSA Regulatory Secretariat Division at 202-501-4755 or GSARegSec@gsa.gov.

Instructions: All items submitted must cite OMB Control No. 9000-0067, Certain Federal Acquisition Regulation Part 16 Contract Pricing Requirements. Comments received generally will be posted without change to <https://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal and/or business confidential information provided. To confirm receipt of your comment(s), please check www.regulations.gov, approximately two-to-three days after submission to verify posting.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jennifer Hawes, Procurement Analyst, at telephone 202-969-7386, or jennifer.hawes@gsa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A. OMB Control Number, Title, and Any Associated Form(s)

9000-0067, Certain Federal Acquisition Regulation Part 16 Contract Pricing Requirements.

B. Need and Uses

DoD, GSA, and NASA are combining OMB Control Nos. for the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) by FAR part. This consolidation is expected to improve industry's ability to easily and efficiently identify burdens associated with a given FAR part. The review of the information collections by FAR part allows improved oversight to ensure there is no redundant or unaccounted for burden placed on industry. Lastly, combining information collections in a given FAR part is also expected to reduce the administrative burden associated with processing multiple information collections.

This justification supports the revision of OMB Control No. 9000-0067 and combines it with the previously approved information collections under OMB Control Nos. 9000-0068 and 9000-0071, with the new title "Certain Federal Acquisition Regulation Part 16 Contract Pricing Requirements". Upon approval of this consolidated information collection, OMB Control Nos. 9000-0068 and 9000-0071 will be discontinued. The burden requirements previously approved under the discontinued numbers will be covered under OMB Control No. 9000-0067.

This clearance covers the information that contractors must submit to comply with the following FAR requirements: