

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Responses:* 16,731.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours:* 50,115.

**Abstract:** The Department of Education (the Department) is requesting extension without change of the currently approved OMB information collection 1845–0093, Federal Family Education Loan (FFEL) Program Servicemembers Civil Relief Act (SCRA). Due to the effects of the COVID–19 pandemic and the suspension of the collection of loans, the Department lacks sufficient data to allow for more accurate updates to the usage of these forms. The regulations require the FFEL loan holder to match its database against the Department of Defense (DOD) Defense Manpower Data Center (DMDC) or other official DOD database and automatically apply the interest rate limitation, as appropriate, to borrowers under the SCRA. There has been no change in the statute or in the regulations at 34 CFR 682.208(j).

Dated: September 28, 2021.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Electricity Advisory Committee

**AGENCY:** Department of Energy, Office of Electricity.

**ACTION:** Notice of open meeting.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces a meeting of the Electricity Advisory Committee. The Federal Advisory Committee Act requires that public notice of these meetings be announced in the **Federal Register**.

**DATES:**

Wednesday, October 20, 2021; 11:45 a.m.–6:00 p.m. EST

Thursday, October 21, 2021; 11:45 a.m.–5:00 p.m. EST

**ADDRESSES:** Due to ongoing precautionary measures surrounding the spread of COVID–19, the October meeting of the EAC will be held via WebEx video and teleconference. In order to track all participants, the Department is requiring that those wishing to attend register for the meeting here: <https://www.energy.gov/oe/october-20-21-2021-meeting-electricity-advisory-committee>. Please note, you must register for each day you would like to attend.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Purpose of the Committee:* The Electricity Advisory Committee (EAC) was established in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), as amended, to provide advice to the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) in implementing the Energy Policy Act of 2005, executing certain sections of the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007, and modernizing the nation's electricity delivery infrastructure. The EAC is composed of individuals of diverse backgrounds selected for their technical expertise and experience, established records of distinguished professional service, and their knowledge of issues that pertain to the electric sector.

**Tentative Agenda:**

*October 20, 2021*

11:45 a.m.–12:00 p.m. WebEx

Attendee Sign-On

12:00 p.m.–12:20 p.m. Welcome, Introductions, Developments since the April 2021 Meeting

12:20 p.m.–12:50 p.m. Update on Office of Electricity Programs and Initiatives

12:50 p.m.–1:20 p.m. Overview of DOE Conducted Carbon-Free Energy Futures Analysis

1:20 p.m.–1:50 p.m. Overview of DOE/OE Energy Storage Activities

1:50 p.m.–2:00 p.m. Break

2:00 p.m.–3:00 p.m. Overview and Discussion of Energy Industrial Base Project

3:00 p.m.–4:30 p.m. Discussion of Supply Chain Congressional Reports Focused on Supply Chain of Large Power Transformers and Battery Storage

4:30 p.m.–4:40 p.m. Break

4:40 p.m.–5:40 p.m. Panel Discussion: *Blackstart in the Variable Generation Era*

5:40 p.m.–6:00 p.m. Wrap-up and Adjourn Day 1

*October 21, 2021*

11:45 a.m.–12:00 p.m. WebEx

Attendee Sign-On

12:00 p.m.–12:10 p.m. Day 2 Opening Remarks

12:10 p.m.–1:10 p.m. Update and Discussion on Section 8008 Voluntary Model Pathways Development

1:10 p.m.–1:45 p.m. Transmission-Distribution Coordination

1:45 p.m.–3:30 p.m. Panel and Discussion: *FERC 2222 and Operational Coordination*

3:30 p.m.–3:40 p.m. Break

3:40 p.m.–3:55 p.m. Subcommittee

Update: Energy Storage

3:55 p.m.–4:10 p.m. Subcommittee

Update: Smart Grid

4:10 p.m.–4:25 p.m. Subcommittee

Update: Grid Resilience for National Security

4:25 p.m.–4:40 p.m. Public Comments

4:40 p.m.–5:00 p.m. Wrap-up and Adjourn October 2021 Meeting of the EAC

The meeting agenda may change to accommodate EAC business. For EAC agenda updates, see the EAC website at: <http://energy.gov/oe/services/electricity-advisory-committee-eac>.

**Public Participation:** The EAC welcomes the attendance of the public at its meetings. Individuals who wish to offer public comments at the EAC meeting may do so on October 21, but must register in advance.

Approximately 15 minutes will be reserved for public comments. Time allotted per speaker will depend on the number who wish to speak but is not expected to exceed three minutes. Anyone who is not able to attend the meeting, or for whom the allotted public comments time is insufficient to address pertinent issues with the EAC, is invited to send a written statement identified by “Electricity Advisory Committee October 2021 Meeting,” to Mr. Christopher Lawrence at [Christopher.lawrence@hq.doe.gov](mailto:Christopher.lawrence@hq.doe.gov).

**Minutes:** The minutes of the EAC meeting will be posted on the EAC web page at <http://energy.gov/oe/services/electricity-advisory-committee-eac>. They can also be obtained by contacting Mr. Christopher Lawrence at the address above.

Signed in Washington, DC, on September 28, 2021.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### DOE/NSF Nuclear Science Advisory Committee

**AGENCY:** Office of Science, Department of Energy

**ACTION:** Notice of renewal.

**SUMMARY:** Pursuant the Federal Advisory Committee Act, and the Code of Federal Regulations, and following consultation with the Committee Management Secretariat, General