II. Method of Collection

To encourage self-response in the ACS, the Census Bureau sends up to five mailings to an address selected to be in the sample. The first mailing, sent to all mailable addresses in the sample, includes an invitation to participate in the ACS online and states that a paper questionnaire will be sent in a few weeks to those unable to respond online. Subsequent mailings serve as a reminder to respond to the survey, with a paper questionnaire included in the third mailing for those households that prefer to respond by mailing back the questionnaire. The Census Bureau may ask those who begin filling out the survey online to provide an email address, which would be used to send an email reminder to households that did not complete the online form. The reminder asks them to log back in to finish responding to the survey.

TABLE 1—ANNUAL ACS RESPONDENT AND BURDEN HOUR ESTIMATES

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Data collection operation</th>
<th>Forms or instrument used in data collection</th>
<th>Annual estimated number of respondents</th>
<th>Estimated minutes per respondent by data collection operation</th>
<th>Annual estimated burden hours</th>
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<tr>
<td>I. ACS Household Questionnaire—Paper Mailout/Mailback</td>
<td>ACS–1, ACS–1(SP), ACS–1(PR), ACS–1(PR)(SP)</td>
<td>3,540,000</td>
<td>40</td>
<td>2,360,000.</td>
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<td>ACS Household CAPI—Personal Visit Non-response Follow-up</td>
<td>CAPI HU</td>
<td>[898,000 included in I] ...</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>[466,000 included in I].</td>
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<td>ACS Household internet</td>
<td>Internet HU</td>
<td>[712,000 included in I] ...</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>[475,000 included in I].</td>
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<td>II. ACS GQ Facility Questionnaire CAPI—Telephone and Personal Visit</td>
<td>CAPI GQFQ</td>
<td>20,000</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>300,000.</td>
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<td>III. ACS GQ CAPI Personal Interview or Telephone, and—Paper Self-response.</td>
<td>CAPI, ACS–1(GQ)</td>
<td>200,000</td>
<td>25</td>
<td>3,333,333.</td>
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<td>V. ACS GQ GQ-level Reinterview—CATI/CAPI</td>
<td>ACS GQ–RI</td>
<td>2,000</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>335.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Totals</td>
<td></td>
<td>3,805,200</td>
<td></td>
<td>2,455,868.</td>
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</table>

**Estimated Total Annual Cost to Public:** $0 (This is not the cost of respondents’ time, but the indirect costs respondents may incur for such things as purchases of specialized software or hardware needed to report, or expenditures for accounting or records maintenance services required specifically by the collection.)

**Respondent’s Obligation:** Mandatory.

**Legal Authority:** Title 13 U.S.C. Sections 141 and 193.

IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency’s estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Sheleen Dumas,  
Departmental Lead PRA Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Census Bureau

Proposed Information Collection; Comment Request; Generic Clearance for Census Bureau Field Tests and Evaluations

**AGENCY:** U.S. Census Bureau, Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**DATES:** To ensure consideration, written comments must be submitted on or before December 17, 2018.
The Census Bureau plans to test the use of new and improved data collection techniques for self-enumeration and interviewer data-collection tasks surrounding and following the ongoing census and survey operations. The research and evaluation may include: Developing alternative enumeration or follow-up questionnaires; usability issues; conducting interviews or debriefings; and non-English language training and interviews. To study enumeration, the Census Bureau may conduct the enumeration directly with a household member or knowledgeable respondent. The questions asked in these studies will be typical census or survey questions and questions related to that content, along with potential attitudinal and satisfaction debriefing questions.

II. Method of Collection
The information will be collected through observations, self-response, face-face interviews, and/or telephone interviews.

III. Data
OMB Control Number: 0607–0971. Form Number: Not yet determined. 
Type of Review: Regular submission. 
Affected Public: Individuals or households. 
Estimated Number of Respondents: 100,000 per year. 
Estimated Time Per Response: 10 minutes. 
Estimated Total Annual Burden: 16,667 hours annually. 
Estimated Total Annual Cost: There is no cost to the respondent other than time to answer the information request. 
Respondents Obligation: Mandatory or Voluntary, depending on cited authority. 
Legal Authority: Data collection for this project is authorized under the authorizing legislation for the questionnaire being tested. This may be Title 13, Sections 131, 141, 161, 181, 182, 193, and 301 for Census Bureau sponsored surveys, and Title 13 and 15 for surveys sponsored by other Federal agencies. We do not now know what other titles will be referenced, since we do not know what survey questionnaires will be pretested during the course of the clearance.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[Application No. 94–6A007]

Export Trade Certificate of Review


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