

the proposed guidance document before it is issued as final. In addition to general feedback, the Bureau specifically solicits input on the scope of the policy's implementation as detailed in Section II below.

## II. Request for Comments

The Bureau solicits comments on the proposed implementation of this guidance. Under the current proposal, the Bureau would apply the interim policy only to specific transit-oriented development (TOD) projects currently in the pipeline, pending the development of a subsequent notice that would establish a separate, comprehensive application framework for all other current and future TOD credit assistance requests. Specifically, the Bureau requests input on the comparative merits of establishing a unified implementation framework—applying the preferred loan-sizing methodology described herein to the entirety of the TOD pipeline and all future applicants—as an alternative to the proposed phased approach.

Issued in Washington, DC, on April 21, 2026 pursuant to authority delegated by the Secretary,

**Morteza Farajian,**

*Executive Director, Build America Bureau.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Bureau of the Fiscal Service

#### Application and Renewal Fees Imposed on Surety Companies and Reinsuring Companies; Increase in Fees Imposed

**AGENCY:** Bureau of the Fiscal Service, Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice of fees imposed on surety companies and reinsuring companies.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of the Treasury, Bureau of the Fiscal Service, is increasing the fees it imposes on and collects from surety companies and reinsuring companies, effective January 1, 2026.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Melvin Saunders, at (304) 480-5108 or [melvin.saunders@fiscal.treasury.gov](mailto:melvin.saunders@fiscal.treasury.gov); or Bobbi McDonald, at (304) 480-7098 or [bobbi.mcdonald@fiscal.treasury.gov](mailto:bobbi.mcdonald@fiscal.treasury.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Independent Offices Appropriations Act of 1952 (IOAA), codified at 31 U.S.C. 9701, authorizes Federal agencies to establish fees for a service or thing of value provided by the agency to members of the public. Office of

Management and Budget Circular A-25 allows agencies to impose user fees for services that confer a special benefit to identifiable recipients beyond those accruing to the general public. Pursuant to 31 CFR 223.22, Treasury imposes fees on surety companies and reinsuring companies seeking to obtain or renew certification or recognition from Treasury. The fees imposed and collected cover the costs incurred by the Government for services performed for reviewing, analyzing, and evaluating the companies' applications, financial statements, and other information. Treasury determines the amount of fees in accordance with the IOAA and the Office of Management and Budget Circular A-25, as amended. The change in fees is the result of a thorough analysis of costs associated with the corporate federal surety bond program.

The new fee rate schedule is as follows:

(1) Examination of a company's application for a Certificate of Authority as an acceptable surety or as an acceptable reinsuring company on Federal bonds: \$14,300.

(2) Determination of a company's continued qualification for annual renewal of its Certificate of Authority: \$9,300.

(3) Examination of a company's application for recognition as an Admitted Reinsurer: \$5,300.

(4) Determination of a company's continued qualification for annual renewal of its authority as an Admitted Reinsurer: \$3,700.

(5) Determination of a company's continued qualification for annual renewal of its authority as an Admitted Reinsurer—Reinsurance Market: \$18,500.

(6) Examination of a company's application for recognition as an Alien Reinsurer: \$5,300.

(7) Determination of a company's continued qualification for annual renewal of its authority as an Alien Reinsurer: \$3,700.

(8) Examination of a company's application for recognition as a Complementary Reinsurer: \$5,300.

(9) Determination of a company's continued qualification for annual renewal of its authority as a Complementary Reinsurer: \$3,700.

Questions concerning this notice should be directed to the Surety Bond Branch, Special Assets and Liabilities Division, Bureau of the Fiscal Service, Surety Bonds (A-1G), 257 Bosley

Industrial Drive, Parkersburg, WV 26106, Telephone (304) 480-6635.

**Timothy E. Gribben,**

*Commissioner, Bureau of the Fiscal Service.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Office of Foreign Assets Control

#### Notice of OFAC Sanctions Actions

**AGENCY:** Office of Foreign Assets Control, Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC) is publishing the names of one or more persons that have been placed on OFAC's Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons List (SDN List) based on OFAC's determination that one or more applicable legal criteria were satisfied. All property and interests in property subject to U.S. jurisdiction of these persons are blocked, and U.S. persons are generally prohibited from engaging in transactions with them.

**DATES:** This action was issued on April 17, 2026. See **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** for relevant dates.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** OFAC: Associate Director for Global Targeting, 202-622-2420; the Assistant Director for Sanctions Compliance, 202-622-2490 or <https://ofac.treasury.gov/contact-ofac>.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

##### **Electronic Availability**

The SDN List and additional information concerning OFAC sanctions programs are available on OFAC's website: <https://ofac.treasury.gov>.

##### **Notice of OFAC Action**

On April 17, 2026, OFAC determined that the property and interests in property subject to U.S. jurisdiction of the following persons are blocked under the relevant sanctions authority listed below.

##### **Individuals**

1. GARCIA BATTE, Jose Oscar, Calle 64, No. 7-62, Apt 403, Bogota, Colombia; Al Fattan Marine Tower, Apt 3105, Jumeriah Beach Residence, Dubai, United Arab Emirates; DOB 25 Feb 1963; POB Icononzo, Tolima, Colombia; nationality Colombia; Gender Male; Cedula No. 5934638 (Colombia); Passport PE144026 (Colombia) expires 29 Aug 2027 (individual) [SUDAN-EO14098] (Linked To: