

can result in a severe injury or death of the operator and other occupants of the vehicle.

As of March 13, 2026, out of the population of 179,031 subject vehicles, NHTSA has identified one (1) consumer complaint, in NHTSA's databases alleging that the mechanical door release is concealed and unlabeled, resulting in a risk of entrapment in the event of an emergency, as cited in the Petition. The complaint is for the same Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) as the subject vehicle of the Petition. The allegation describes a front impact collision, where the vehicle lost electrical power, and the electric door mechanism stopped working.

The 2022 MY Model 3 has a mechanical release for the front doors, located in front of the window switch on the door's interior and consists of a lever that can be pulled up to open the door. The subject vehicle does not have a mechanical release for the back doors.

The owner's manual for the 2022 MY Tesla Model 3 includes a section labeled "In Case of Emergency" that details how to open doors from the interior when the vehicle has no electrical power. The owner's manual refers to the mechanical release as a "manual door release." The owner's manual instructs the operator to "pull up the manual door release located in front of the window switches." The owner's manual includes an illustration showing the mechanical door release lever and its location on the door. The illustration depicts an image of the door with the window switch and lever, including a blue arrow pointing to the location of the lever to demonstrate the upward movement required to operate the lever. The lever shown in the illustration does not contain a label to identify it. Although they vary in design and location, mechanical releases for the front doors are available on all Tesla models. The location and operation of the mechanical release is described in the owner's manual for each Tesla model. Further, the owner's manual cautions the operator that the mechanical door release should only be used when the subject vehicle has no power or if otherwise necessary. If the subject vehicle has power, the button located at the top of the interior door handle should be used to open the doors.

The Petition stated the lack of an accessible mechanical door release is a violation of the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) 206 (49 CFR 571.206). FMVSS 206 specifies performance requirements for vehicle door locks, latches, hinges, and attachment components to prevent

passenger ejection during crashes. It applies to passenger cars, trucks, and buses with a GVWR of 4,536 kg (10,000 lbs.) or less, focusing on maintaining latch engagement under inertial loads and structural integrity. No requirements exist in the standard that address the Petitioner's concern regarding the labeling and location of a mechanical door release in passenger vehicles.

On November 4, 2025, NHTSA's Office of Rulemaking received a petition to initiate the issuance of a new Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) to mandate a robust and obvious door egress system in all motor vehicles. The request has been granted, and the Agency will accordingly commence a rulemaking proceeding. See 49 CFR 552.9. A decision as to the issuance of a rule will be made on the basis of all available information developed in the course of the rulemaking proceeding, in accordance with statutory criteria. *Id.*

The Agency has thoroughly assessed the material submitted by the Petitioner, consumer complaint information in NHTSA's databases, and other relevant information already in possession of the Agency. NHTSA does not believe that the issues presented by the Petitioner indicate the likelihood of a safety related defect that would warrant a defect investigation, and the issue is best addressed through the rulemaking process. After full consideration of the available information and the commencement of the related rulemaking proceeding, the Petition is denied.

(Authority: 49 U.S.C. 30162(d) and 49 CFR part 522; delegation of authority at 49 CFR 1.95(a).¹)

Eileen Sullivan,

Associate Administrator for Enforcement.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Office of the Comptroller of the Currency

Agency Information Collection Activities: Information Collection Renewal; Submission for OMB Review; Securities Offering Disclosure Rules

AGENCY: Office of the Comptroller of the Currency (OCC), Treasury.

ACTION: Notice and request for comment.

¹ The authority to determine whether to approve or deny defect petitions under 49 U.S.C. 30162(d) and 49 CFR part 552 has been further delegated to the Associate Administrator for Enforcement.

SUMMARY: The OCC, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites comment on a continuing information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA). In accordance with the requirements of the PRA, the OCC may not conduct or sponsor, and the respondent is not required to respond to, an information collection unless it displays a currently valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number. The OCC is soliciting comment concerning the renewal of its information collection titled, "Securities Offering Disclosure Rules." The OCC also is giving notice that it has sent the collection to OMB for review.

DATES: Comments must be received by August 24, 2026.

ADDRESSES: Commenters are encouraged to submit comments by email, if possible. You may submit comments by any of the following methods:

- *Email:* prainfo@occ.treas.gov.
- *Mail:* Chief Counsel's Office,

Attention: Comment Processing, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Attention: 1557-0120, 400 7th Street SW, Suite 3E-218, Washington, DC 20219.

- *Hand Delivery/Courier:* 400 7th Street SW, Suite 3E-218, Washington, DC 20219.

- *Fax:* (571) 293-4835.

Instructions: You must include "OCC" as the agency name and "1557-0120" in your comment. In general, the OCC will publish comments on www.reginfo.gov without change, including any business or personal information provided, such as name and address information, email addresses, or phone numbers. Comments received, including attachments and other supporting materials, are part of the public record and subject to public disclosure. Do not include any information in your comment or supporting materials that you consider confidential or inappropriate for public disclosure.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should also be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain. You can find this information collection by selecting "Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments" or by using the search function.

You may review comments and other related materials that pertain to this information collection following the close of the 30-day comment period for this notice by the method set forth in the next bullet.

- Viewing Comments Electronically: Go to www.reginfo.gov. Hover over the “Information Collection Review” tab and click on “Information Collection Review” from the drop-down menu. From the “Currently under Review” drop-down menu, select “Department of the Treasury” and then click “submit.” This information collection can be located by searching OMB control number “1557–0120” or “Securities Offering Disclosure Rules.” Upon finding the appropriate information collection, click on the related “ICR Reference Number.” On the next screen, select “View Supporting Statement and Other Documents” and then click on the link to any comment listed at the bottom of the screen.

- For assistance in navigating www.reginfo.gov, please contact the Regulatory Information Service Center at (202) 482–7340.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Shaquita Merritt, Clearance Officer, (202) 649–5490, Chief Counsel’s Office, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, 400 7th Street SW, Washington, DC 20219. If you are deaf, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability, please dial 7–1–1 to access telecommunications relay services.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the PRA (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), Federal agencies must obtain approval from the OMB for each collection of information that they conduct or sponsor. “Collection of information” is defined in 44 U.S.C. 3502(3) and 5 CFR 1320.3(c) to include agency requests or requirements that members of the public submit reports, keep records, or provide information to a third party. The OCC asks the OMB to extend its approval of the collection in this notice.

Title: Securities Offering Disclosure Rules.

OMB Control No.: 1557–0120.

Type of Review: Regular.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit.

Description: Twelve CFR part 16 governs the offer and sale of securities issued by national banks and Federal savings associations. The requirements in part 16 enable the OCC to perform its responsibility to ensure that the investing public has information about the condition of the institution, the reasons for raising new capital, and the terms of the offering. Part 16 requires that securities offering disclosures of national banks and Federal savings associations be generally consistent with similar Securities Exchange Commission (SEC) disclosure requirements.

The principal collections of information in part 16 are as follows:

Form for Registration. Under 12 CFR 16.3(a), a national bank or Federal savings association offering or selling its own securities to the public is required to make the offer or sale through the use of a prospectus that has been filed with the OCC as part of a registration statement. According to 12 CFR 16.15(a), the registration statement must be on the form for registration (17 CFR part 239) that the national bank or Federal savings association would be eligible to use if it were required to register and file with the SEC and meet the requirements of the SEC regulations referred to in the applicable form for registration. Any registration statement or amendment filed pursuant to part 16 must comply with the requirements of SEC Regulation C (17 CFR part 230, Regulation C—Registration), except to the extent those requirements conflict with specific requirements of part 16. See 12 CFR 16.15(b). Twelve CFR 16.15(d) requires the registration statement for securities issued by a national bank or Federal savings association that is not in compliance with the applicable regulatory capital requirements of 12 CFR part 3 to be on the Form S–1 (17 CFR part 239) registration statement under the Securities Act of 1933 (Securities Act).

Abbreviated Form for Registration. Under 12 CFR 16.6, a national bank or Federal savings association may be deemed in compliance with certain registration requirements of Part 16 for offers and sales of nonconvertible debt if such debt is offered and sold only to accredited investors meeting the conditions in 12 CFR 16.6. According to 12 CFR 16.6(a)(1), the national bank or Federal savings association must have securities registered under or be a subsidiary of a company that has securities registered under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (Exchange Act). Under 12 CFR 16.6(a)(3), the debt must be sold in minimum denominations of \$250,000 and each note or debenture, if issued in certificate form, must be legended to provide that it cannot be exchanged for notes or debentures of the national bank or Federal savings association in smaller denominations. The national bank or Federal savings association must also provide purchasers with specified disclosure information. Under 12 CFR 16.6(b), a federal branch or agency of a foreign bank need not meet the conditions of 12 CFR 16.6(a)(1) if the federal branch or agency provides the OCC the information specified in SEC Rule 12g3–2(b) (17 CFR 240.12g3–2(b)) and provides purchasers the

information specified in SEC Rule 144A(d)(4)(i) (17 CFR 230.144A(d)(4)(i)).

Small Issues Registration. A national bank or Federal savings association may offer and sell securities publicly in a limited dollar amount by using an offering statement meeting the requirements of SEC’s Regulation A (17 CFR 230.251 *et seq.*). See 12 CFR 16.8.

Nonpublic Offerings. A national bank or Federal savings association may offer or sell its own securities in a private placement to accredited or sophisticated investors in compliance with 12 CFR 16.7. Under 12 CFR 16.7(a)(1), all the securities must be offered and sold in a transaction satisfying the requirements of SEC Regulation D (17 CFR part 230), subject to certain exceptions. The requirements include general conditions, information requirements, limitations on the manner of offering (advertising), amount limitations, and resale limitations, depending on the specific offering. All subsequent sales subject to the resale limitations of SEC Regulation D must be made pursuant to SEC Rule 144 (persons deemed not to be underwriters), 17 CFR 230.144; SEC Rule 144A (private resales to institutions), 17 CFR 230.144A; another exemption referenced in 12 CFR 16.5; or in accordance with registration and prospectus requirement of 12 CFR 16.3.

Electronic Filing. Pursuant to 12 CFR 16.17(a), all registration statements, offering documents, amendments, notices, or other documents generally must be filed with the OCC’s Law Department electronically at <http://www.banknet.gov/>. Documents may be signed electronically using the signature provision in SEC Rule 402 (17 CFR 230.402). All registration statements, offering documents, amendments, notices, or other documents relating to a national bank or Federal savings association in organization must be filed with the appropriate district office of the OCC at <http://www.banknet.gov/>. All registration statements, offering documents, amendments, notices, or other documents relating to a mutual to stock conversion pursuant to 12 CFR part 192 must be filed with the appropriate OCC licensing office at <http://www.banknet.gov/>.

References to SEC Rules. Where part 16 refers to a section of the Securities Act or the Exchange Act or an SEC rule that requires the filing of a notice or other document with the SEC, that notice or other document must be filed with the OCC. See 12 CFR 16.17(c).

Request for Interpretive Advice or No-objection Letter. Under 12 CFR 16.30(a), any person requesting interpretive advice or a no-objection letter from the OCC with respect to any provision of

part 16 shall file a copy of the request, including any supporting attachments, with the OCC's Law Department at the address provided at www.occ.gov. The request shall identify or describe the provisions of part 16 to which the request relates, the participants in the proposed transaction, and the reasons for the request; and include a legal opinion as to each legal issue raised and an accounting opinion as to each accounting issue raised. See 12 CFR 16.30(b)–(c).

Withdrawal or Abandonment.

Pursuant to 12 CFR 16.19(a), any registration statement, amendment, or exhibit may be withdrawn prior to the effective date. A withdrawal must be signed and state the grounds upon which it was made. The OCC will not remove any withdrawn document from its files but will mark the document "Withdrawn upon the request of the registrant on (date)."

Estimated Burden

Estimated Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 16.

Estimated Total Annual Responses: 90.

Estimated Total Annual Burden: 900 hours.

Comments: On May 14, 2026, the OCC published a 60-day notice for this information collection (91 FR 27485). No comments were received.

Comments continue to be invited on:

(a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the OCC, including whether the information has practical utility;

(b) The accuracy of the OCC's estimate of the burden of the collection of information;

(c) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected;

(d) Ways to minimize the burden of the collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and

(e) Estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

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Acting Assistant Director, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

[OMB Control No. 2900–0921]

Agency Information Collection Activity: Planning and Executing National and Regional Veterans Day Observances

AGENCY: National Veterans Outreach Office (NVO), U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) is announcing an opportunity for public to comment on the proposed collection of certain information by the agency. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, Federal agencies are required to publish a notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed revision of a currently approved collection, and allow 60 days for public comment in response to the notice.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before September 22, 2026.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments on the collection of information through Federal Docket Management System (FDMS) at www.Regulations.gov or to National Veterans Outreach Office (002D), Office of Public and Intergovernmental Affairs, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue NW, Room 912F, Washington, DC 20420 or email to dusan.ilic@va.gov. Please refer to "2900–0921" in any correspondence. During the comment period, comments may be viewed online through FDMS.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Program-Specific information: Dusan Ilic, 202–709–2082, dusan.ilic@va.gov.

VA PRA information: Dorothy Glasgow, 202–461–1084, VAPRA@va.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the PRA of 1995, Federal agencies must obtain approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for each collection of information they conduct or sponsor. This request for comment is being made pursuant to Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the PRA.

With respect to the following collection of information, VA's National Veterans Outreach Office (NVO) invites comments on: (1) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of NVO's functions, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of NVO's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) ways to enhance the

quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or the use of other forms of information technology.

Title: Planning and Executing National and Regional Veterans Day Observances.

OMB Control Number: 2900–0921. <https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAsearch> (Once at this link, you can enter the OMB Control Number to find the historical versions of this Information Collection).

Type of Review: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Abstract: Since 1954, the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) has overseen national planning and coordination of Veterans Day observances to honor the men and women who have served and continue to serve in the U.S. Uniformed Services during war and peacetime. Hundreds of military Veterans from communities throughout America and leaders from across the federal government, including the President of the United States or his designee, participate in the National Veterans Day Observance at Arlington National Cemetery (ANC) each year. In addition, tens of thousands of others participate in VA-approved regional Veterans Day events.

The National Veterans Outreach Office is the VA team that plans and executes the National Veterans Day Observance. VA Forms 0918d, 0918e, 0918f, and 0918g are the instruments of collection for this activity. The information collected is used to collaborate with regional partners and select VA-approved Veterans Day observances across the country; evaluate Veteran-serving organizations for potential membership onto the Veterans Day National Committee; collect annual dues from Veterans Day National Committee members, per the committee's bylaws; and determine the number of custom Veterans Day lapel pins, National Observance invitations and bench seat tickets required by all Veterans Day National Committee member organization. The collection requires the public to provide only the information necessary to support the planning efforts.

Affected Public: State and local governments; Veteran-serving non-profit organizations.

Estimated Annual Burden: 28 hours.

Estimated Average Burden per Respondent: 11 minutes.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.