

Halibut Act to fill a vacant Commissioner position and be a U.S. Commissioner for the IPHC. Successful nominees will be considered for appointment by the President and (pending Presidential action) interim designation by the Department of State.

Nomination packages should provide details of an individual's knowledge and experience in the Pacific halibut fishery. Examples of such knowledge and/or experience could include (but are not limited to) such activities as: participation in commercial, tribal, Community Development Quota, subsistence, and/or sport and charter boat halibut fishing operations; participation in halibut processing operations; and participation in Pacific halibut management activities.

Although nominees do not need to have connections to any particular sector or interest in the Pacific halibut fishery, the Department of Commerce seeks to maintain a balance in background among U.S. Commissioners to IPHC to ensure that the interests of commercial, recreational, charter, subsistence, and other users are well represented.

Nomination packages must include a resume that documents an individual's qualifications and State of residence. Self-nominations are acceptable, and former IPHC Commissioners are eligible for reappointment. Letters of recommendation are useful but not required. Nomination packages will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis by officials in the Department of Commerce who are familiar with the duties and responsibilities of IPHC Commissioners. Evaluations will consider the extent of an individual's experience and knowledge of the Pacific halibut fishery, residency requirements, and any letters of recommendation provided.

Dated: August 19, 2026.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

[Docket ID: DOD-2026-OS-1717]

Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records

AGENCY: Defense Counterintelligence and Security Agency (DCSA), Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Rescindment of a system of records notice (SORN).

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974, the DCSA is providing notice to rescind a system of records Applicants Records, V4-04. This system of records was established to manage the identification and eligibility determinations of unsolicited applicants for agency positions. This record is now consolidated under the Defense Human Resources Management System (DHRMS), DHRA 23 DoD.

DATES: The rescindment of this SORN is effective August 24, 2026.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by either of the following methods:

* *Federal Rulemaking Portal:* <https://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

* *Mail:* Department of Defense, Office of the Director of Administration and Management, Oversight and Compliance Directorate, Regulatory Division, 4800 Mark Center Drive, Attn: Mailbox #24, Suite 05F16, Alexandria, VA 22350-1700.

Instructions: All submissions received must include the agency name and docket number for this **Federal Register** document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the internet at <https://www.regulations.gov> as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Charles D. Watters, Director, Privacy, Civil Liberties, and Freedom of Information Office, Defense Counterintelligence and Security Agency, 1137 Branchton Road, Boyers, PA 16018, charles.d.watters2.civ@dcsa.mil, (878) 274-1484.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

The DCSA system of records Applicants Records, V4-04 (July 14, 1999; 64 FR 37935) was established to track unsolicited applicants and determination of eligibility for positions with the agency. The DCSA is rescinding V4-04 because the records are covered under the DHRMS, DHRA 23 DoD (September 23, 2024; 89 FR 77497).

DoD SORNs have been published in the **Federal Register** and are available at the Oversight and Compliance Directorate, Privacy and Civil Liberties Division website at <https://pclt.defense.gov/DIRECTORATES/Privacy-and-Civil-Directorate/Privacy/SORNs>.

II. Privacy Act

Under the Privacy Act, a "system of records" is a group of records under the control of an agency from which information is retrieved by the name of an individual or by some identifying number, symbol, or other identifying particular assigned to the individual. In the Privacy Act, an individual is defined as a U.S. citizen or alien lawfully admitted for permanent residence.

In accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552a(r) and Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular No. A-108, DoD has provided a report of this SORN to OMB and Congress.

SYSTEM NAME AND NUMBER:

Applicants Records, V4-04

HISTORY:

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Dated: August 19, 2026.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

[Docket ID: DOD-2026-OS-1783]

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness (OUSD(P&R)), Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: 60-Day information collection notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the *Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995*, the OUSD(P&R) announces a proposed public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: 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; the accuracy of the agency's 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 through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Consideration will be given to all comments received by October 23, 2026.