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7. Hubei ChuSheng Commercial Truck
8. Hubei Chusheng Vehicles Co., Ltd. Sales Office
9. Hubei Chusheng Vehicle Co., Ltd.
10. Jinan Shacman Truck Co., Ltd.
11. Qihang Automobile Co., Ltd.
12. Qingdao Genron International Trade Co., Ltd.
13. Qingdao Quest Vehicles Equipment Co., Ltd.
14. Shannxi Automobile Holding Group
15. Shandong Fuyan Special Purpose Vehicles Manufacturing Co., Ltd.
16. Shandong Luen Auto Co., Ltd.
17. Shandong Shodailer Automobile Manufacturing Co., Ltd.
18. Shandong Tengyun Special Vehicles Manufacturing Co., Ltd.
19. Xiagong Chusheng (Hubei) Special Purpose Vehicle Manufacturing Co., Ltd.

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Institute of Standards and Technology

#### Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Streamlined Supply Chain Information Collection Request

**AGENCY:** National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection, request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce, in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on proposed, and continuing information collections, which helps us assess the

impact of our information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. The purpose of this notice is to allow for 60 days of public comment preceding submission of the collection to OMB.

**DATES:** To ensure consideration, comments regarding this proposed information collection must be received on or before October 30, 2026.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit written comments by mail to Maureen O'Reilly, Management Analyst, NIST, 100 Bureau Drive, MS 1710, Gaithersburg, MD 20899 or by email to [PRANIST@nist.gov](mailto:PRANIST@nist.gov). Please reference Streamlined Supply Chain Information Collection Request OMB Control Number 0693-0097 in the subject line of your comments. Do not submit Confidential Business Information or otherwise sensitive or protected information.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or specific questions related to collection activities should be directed to Cierra Bean, Business Operations Analyst, CHIPS Program Office, 202-818-2677, [askchips@chips.gov](mailto:askchips@chips.gov).

### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### I. Abstract

The CHIPS Incentives Program is authorized by Title XCIX—Creating Helpful Incentives to Produce Semiconductors for America of the William M. (Mac) Thornberry National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2021 (Pub. L. 116-283, referred to as the CHIPS Act or Act), as amended by the CHIPS Act of 2022 (Division A of Pub. L. 117-167). The CHIPS Incentives Program is administered by the CHIPS Program Office (CPO) within the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) of the United States Department of Commerce (Department).

CPO is accepting applications under the CHIPS Incentives Program's notice of funding opportunity (NOFO) for Facilities for Semiconductor Materials and Manufacturing Equipment (Funding Opportunity Number 2023-NIST-CHIPS-SMME-01), which supports projects for the construction, expansion, or modernization of commercial facilities for semiconductor materials and manufacturing equipment. CPO is submitting this notice to renew the currently approved information collection so it may continue collecting materials from applicants under this NOFO.

Information collected as part of the application process may include but is not limited to project descriptions, project timelines, narrative justifications

for incentives, applicant financial information, and relevant project environmental and workforce information.

#### II. Method of Collection

CPO intends to collect information from applicants electronically, although other methods, e.g., interviews, email, etc., may also be leveraged.

#### III. Data

*OMB Control Number:* 0693-0097.

*Form Number(s):* None.

*Type of Review:* Regular submission, extension of current information collection.

*Affected Public:* Business or other for-profit organizations.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 210.

*Estimated Time per Response:* 42 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 8,820 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Cost to Public:* \$873,032.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Mandatory to be eligible for CHIPS Act funding.

*Legal Authority:* 15 U.S.C. 4652(a)(1).

#### IV. Request for Comments

We are soliciting public comments to permit the Department/Bureau to: (a) Evaluate whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper functions of the Department, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) Evaluate the accuracy of our estimate of the time and cost burden for this proposed collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (c) Evaluate ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) Minimize the reporting burden on those who are to respond, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments that you submit in response to this notice are a matter of public record. We will include or summarize each comment in our request to OMB to approve this ICR. Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you may ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we

cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

**Sheleen Dumas,**

*Departmental PRA Compliance Officer, Office of the Under Secretary for Economic Affairs, Commerce Department.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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#### North Pacific Fishery Management Council; Public Meeting

**AGENCY:** National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of virtual meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The North Pacific Fishery Management Council (Council) Partial Coverage Fishery Monitoring Advisory Committee (PCFMAC) will meet on September 15, 2026.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 15, 2026, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Alaska Time.

**ADDRESSES:** Join the meeting online through the link at <https://meetings.npfmc.org/Meeting/Details/7158>.

*Council address:* North Pacific Fishery Management Council, 1007 W 3rd Ave., Anchorage, Suite 400, Alaska 99501-2252; telephone (907) 271-2809. Instructions for attending the meeting are given under **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** below.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Sara Cleaver, Council staff; email: [scleaver@npfmc.org](mailto:scleaver@npfmc.org). For technical support please contact Council administrative staff, email: [support@npfmc.org](mailto:support@npfmc.org).

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

##### **Agenda**

*Tuesday, September 15, 2026*

The September 2026 PCFMAC/FMAC agenda will include: (a) updates since the last PCFMAC meeting; (b) review of the draft 2027 Annual Deployment Plan; and (c) other updates from NMFS. The agenda is subject to change, and the latest version will be posted at <https://meetings.npfmc.org/Meeting/Details/7158> prior to the meeting, along with meeting materials.

##### **Connection Information**

You can attend the meeting online using a computer, tablet, or smartphone;

or by phone only. Connection information will be posted online at: <https://meetings.npfmc.org/Meeting/Details/7158>.

#### **Public Comment**

Public comment letters will be accepted and should be submitted electronically to posted at <https://meetings.npfmc.org/Meeting/Details/7158>.

*Authority:* 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*

Dated: August 27, 2026.

**Rey Israel Marquez,**

*Acting Deputy Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

[Docket ID: DOD-2026-OS-1849]

#### **Proposed Collection; Comment Request**

**AGENCY:** Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment (OUSD(A&S)), Department of Defense (DoD).

**ACTION:** 60-Day information collection notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Defense (referred to herein as “the Department”, “Department of War” or “DoW”). In compliance with the *Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995*, OUSD(A&S) 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 30, 2026.

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

*Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <http://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, Mailbox #24, Suite 05F16, Alexandria, VA 22350-1700.

*Instructions:* All submissions received must include the agency name, docket number and title 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 <http://www.regulations.gov> as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instruments, please write to Acquisition and Sustainment, [joanne.c.herring2.civ@mail.mil](mailto:joanne.c.herring2.civ@mail.mil), Joanne Herring, (571) 309-1238.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** *Title:* Acquisition of Contractor-Prepared Data (DD Form 1423/Contract Data Requirements List); DD Form 1423; OMB Control Number 0704-0188.

*Needs and Uses:* This information collection clears data required from contractors under the terms and conditions of DoW contracts or agreements. This information is contractually ordered using DD Form 1423, “Contract Data Requirements List”, which incorporates by reference the standardized formatting and content requirements defined in pre-approved Data Item Descriptions (DIDs) housed in the ASSIST database. Information collection requests are contained in DoW contractual actions for supplies, services, hardware, and software that support the defense materiel acquired under the provisions of Title 10, United States Code, Chapter 137. DoW 5010.12-M, Procedures for the Acquisition and Management of Technical Data, describes the uniform approach to the acquisition and management of data required from contractors. The information requested from the public is necessary for DoW to support the design, test, manufacture, training, operation, maintenance, and logistical support of items it acquires, including weapon systems critical to national defense.

*Affected Public:* Business or other For-Profit.

*Annual Burden Hours:* 29,652,480.

*Number of Respondents:* 1,040.

*Responses per Respondent:* 432.

*Annual Responses:* 449,280.