internet server (https://www.usitc.gov). The public record for this investigation may be viewed on the Commission's **Electronic Docket Information System** ("EDIS") (https://edis.usitc.gov). Hearing-impaired persons are advised that information on this matter can be obtained by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal, telephone (202) 205-1810.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On

September 6, 2017, the Commission instituted this investigation based on a complaint filed by Bio-Rad Laboratories, Inc. of Hercules, California ("Bio-Rad") and Lawrence Livermore National Security, LLC of Livermore, California (collectively, "Complainants"). 82 FR 42115 (Sept. 6, 2017). Complainants alleged a violation of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. 1337 ("section 337"), by 10X Genomics, Inc. of Pleasanton, California ("10X") based on its importation into

the United States of certain microfluidic

devices asserted to infringe one or more

claims of U.S. Patent Nos. 9,500,664;

9,636,682; 9,649,635; and 9,126,160. Id. The Office of Unfair Import Investigations was also named as a party in this investigation. *Id.* The Commission also directed the ALJ to take evidence and hear arguments regarding the public interest and provide the Commission with findings

of fact and a recommended determination on the statutory public interest factors, as requested by 10X. Id.

On September 20, 2018, the presiding administrative law judge ("ALJ") issued a final initial determination finding that 10X violated section 337 through its importation of its GEM-Q and GEM-U Chips (collectively, the "GEM Chips"). However, the ALJ found no violation by 10X based on its importation of its Chip SE or Chip GB.

On September 28, 2018, the ALI issued a recommended determination on remedy, bonding, and the public interest (the "RD"). The ALJ recommended that, if the Commission finds a violation of section 337, it should issue a limited exclusion order ("LEO") against infringing microfluidic devices, which are imported, sold for importation, and/or sold after importation by 10X. The LEO would prevent the importation by 10X of

microfluidic devices that infringe Complainants' asserted patents. The ALJ further recommended that, if the Commission finds a violation of section 337, it should issue a cease and desist order ("CDO") against 10X. The CDO would prevent the transfer by 10X to others of microfluidic devices that infringe Complainants' asserted patents. The ALI found that "the public interest factors weigh in favor of imposition of the recommended remedial orders." RD at 30.

On December 4, 2018, the Commission determined to review the ALJ's findings as to the GEM Chips, the Chip SE, and the Chip GB. 83 FR 63672 (Dec. 11, 2018). The Commission also requested briefing from the parties, interested government agencies, and other interested persons on remedy, the public interest, and bonding. Id.

On June 10, 2019, the Commission issued another notice, which requested supplemental information from the parties, interested government agencies, and other interested persons on the public interest. 84 FR 27802 (June 14, 2019). The Commission's notice requested that the parties file their opening submissions by June 24, 2019, and their reply submissions by July 1, 2019. The Commission's notice also requested that interested government agencies and other interested persons file their comments by July 1, 2019.

To ensure the opportunity to respond to comments from interested government agencies and other interested persons, the Commission has determined to modify the briefing schedule to provide for reply submissions by July 15, 2019.

The authority for the Commission's determination is contained in section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (19 U.S.C. 1337), and in part 210 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR part 210).

By order of the Commission. Issued: June 28, 2019.

Lisa Barton,

Secretary to the Commission. [FR Doc. 2019-14257 Filed 7-2-19; 8:45 am]

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Investigations Regarding Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment **Assistance**

Petitions have been filed with the Secretary of Labor under Section 221(a) of the Trade Act of 1974 ("the Act") and are identified in the Appendix to this notice. Upon receipt of these petitions, the Administrator of the Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, has instituted investigations pursuant to Section 221(a) of the Act.

The purpose of each of the investigations is to determine whether the workers are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Title II. Chapter 2, of the Act. The investigations will further relate, as appropriate, to the determination of the date on which total or partial separations began or threatened to begin and the subdivision of the firm involved.

The petitioners or any other persons showing a substantial interest in the subject matter of the investigations may request a public hearing provided such request is filed in writing with the Administrator, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, no later than July 15, 2019.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the subject matter of the investigations to the Administrator, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than July 15,

The petitions filed in this case are available for inspection at the Office of the Administrator, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, Room N-5428, 200 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20210.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 11th day of June 2019.

Hope D. Kinglock,

Certifying Officer, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

APPENDIX

188 TAA PETITIONS INSTITUTED BETWEEN 4/1/19 AND 5/31/19

TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of institution	Date of petition
94677	Dexcom Inc. (Company)	Mesa, AZ	04/01/19	03/29/19
94678	Wells Fargo Vendor Financial (Workers)	Macon, GA	04/01/19	03/29/19
94679	Wells Fargo Vendor Financial LLC (Workers)	Macon, GA	04/01/19	03/29/19
94680	Wells Fargo Vendor Financial Services (Workers)	Macon. GA	04/01/19	03/29/19

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TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of institution	Date of petition
94681	Bosal Industries-Georgia, Inc. (Union)	Ypsilanti, MI	04/02/19	03/22/19
94682	Bryant Rubber Corp., including on-site leased workers from Kimco (Company).	Harbor City, CA	04/02/19	04/01/19
94683	Steelcase Inc. (State/One-Stop)	, MI	04/02/19	04/01/19
94684	Superior Industries International (State/One-Stop)	Fayetteville, AR	04/02/19	04/01/19
94685	Alorica Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Fredericksburg, VA	04/03/19	04/02/19
94686	Chinook Trading Company (Chinook Asia LLC) (State/One-Stop).	Lake Oswego, OR	04/03/19	04/02/19
94687	Consolidated Metco (Company)	Etowah, TN	04/04/19	04/03/19
94688	Fargo Assembly Company (State/One-Stop)	Atchison, KS	04/04/19	04/03/19
94689		Philadelphia, PA	04/04/19	04/03/19
94690	Tosoh Quartz, Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Portland, OR	04/04/19	04/03/19
94691	Android (Union)	Belvidere, IL	04/05/19	04/04/19
94692	ATT Inc. (Workers)	Oakland and San Ramon, CA.	04/05/19	04/04/19
94693	CSG International (State/One-Stop)	Elkhorn, NE	04/05/19	04/03/19
94694	Faneuil, Inc. (Vienna location only) (State/One-Stop)	Vienna, VA	04/05/19	04/04/19
94695	Grupo Antolin (Union)	Belvidere, IL	04/05/19	04/04/19
94696	Industrial Harness Company, Inc. (Company)	Shippensburg, PA	04/05/19	04/04/19
94697 94698	Integrated Manufacturing and Assembly (State/One-Stop)	Hamtramck, MI	04/05/19	04/04/19
94699 94699	Lumentum (State/One-Stop)	Milpitas, CA Plymouth, MN	04/05/19 04/05/19	04/04/19 04/04/19
94700	Payless (State/One-Stop)	Topeka, KS	04/05/19	04/04/19
94700	Cognizant (State/One-Stop)	Topeka, KS	04/05/19	04/04/19
94702	Rosenberger North America (Company)	Plano, TX	04/05/19	04/04/19
94703	Hanesbrands, Inc. (Company)	Humacao, PR	04/05/19	04/04/19
94704	Sulzer Pumps US Inc./Sulzer Bingham Pumps (State/One-Stop).	Portland, OR	04/05/19	04/04/19
94705	Syncreon (Union)	Belvidere, IL	04/05/19	04/04/19
94706	DXC Technologies (State/One-Stop)	Tysons, VA	04/08/19	04/05/19
94707	The Flint Group (State/One-Stop)	Weyers Cave, VA	04/08/19	04/05/19
94708	Amita Health (Workers)	Lisle, IL	04/09/19	04/08/19
94709		Philadelphia, PA	04/09/19	04/08/19
94710	Claims Recovery Financial Services (State/One-Stop)	Albion, NY	04/09/19	04/08/19
94711	Helmut Lang New York LLC (State/One-Stop)	New York, NY	04/09/19	04/08/19
94712	Highmark (Workers)	Camp Hill, PA	04/09/19	04/05/19
94713 94714	Performance Direct, Inc. (Workers)	Sophia, WV	04/09/19 04/09/19	04/08/19 04/08/19
94714 94715	Verizon Wireless (State/One-Stop)	Albuquerque, NM	04/09/19	04/08/19
94716		Tracy, CA	04/09/19	04/08/19
94717	Zinus (Workers)	Summerville, SC	04/09/19	04/08/19
94718		Arlington Heights, IL	04/10/19	04/10/19
94719	Johnson Crushers International Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Eugene, OR	04/10/19	04/09/19
94720	Savox Communications Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Lincoln, NE	04/10/19	04/09/19
94721	Agfa US Corp. (Company)	Greenville, SC	04/11/19	04/10/19
94722	Atos IT Solutions & Services (State/One-Stop)	Hillsboro, OR	04/11/19	04/10/19
94723	Cardone Industries, Inc. (Workers)	Philadelphia, PA	04/11/19	04/04/19
94724	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Mt. Vernon, IL	04/11/19	04/11/19
94725 94726	Hanesbrands, Inc. (Company)	Mt. Airy, NC Marshfield, WI	04/11/19 04/11/19	04/10/19 04/08/19
94720 94727	HSNi (Workers)	St. Petersburg, FL	04/11/19	04/11/19
94728	,	Hillsboro, OR	04/12/19	04/11/19
94729	Alfa Laval (Workers)	Lykens, PA	04/15/19	04/14/19
94730		Cambridge, MA	04/15/19	04/12/19
94731	State Street Corporation (State/One-Stop)	Quincy, MA	04/15/19	03/29/19
94732	Dimension Data North America, Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Santa Clara, CA	04/16/19	04/11/19
94733	EaglePicher Technologies LLC (State/One-Stop)	Joplin, MO	04/16/19	04/15/19
94734	Anixter International, Inc. (Workers)	Glenview, IL	04/17/19	04/16/19
94735	Consumer Products Group—a Company of Leggett & Platt (State/One-Stop).	Neosho, MO	04/17/19	04/17/19
94736	Construction Equipment Company (State/One-Stop)	Sheridan, OR	04/18/19	04/17/19
94737	LaMont Limited (State/One-Stop)	Burlington, IA	04/18/19	04/17/19
94738	Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc. (Company)	Bellefonte, PA	04/18/19	04/17/19
94739	Amphenol Printed Circuits (State/One-Stop)	Nashua, NH	04/19/19	04/17/19
94740	Associated Spring, a Business of Barnes Group Inc. (State/One-Stop).	Syracuse, NY	04/19/19	04/18/19
94741	Globarket Tire Recycling (State/One-Stop)	Vista, CA	04/19/19	04/18/19
94742	(Norwalk, CT	04/19/19	04/18/19
94743	Logic Dental Solutions (State/One-Stop)	Lakewood, CO	04/19/19	04/18/19
94744	1 ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' '	Commerce, CA	04/19/19	04/18/19
94745	ReEnergy (Workers)	Laut Caintialal NAC	04/19/19	04/18/19

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94746	Concentrix CVG Customer Management Group Inc. (State/One-Stop).	Charlotte, NC	04/22/19	04/22/19
94747	Xerox Corporation (State/One-Stop)	Webster, NY	04/23/19	04/22/19
94748	The Bank of New York Mellon (Workers)	Pittsburgh, PA	04/24/19	04/23/19
94749	Deluxe Digital Distribution Inc. dba Deluxe on Demand (Workers).	Burbank, CA	04/24/19	04/23/19
94750	K & K Clothing Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Los Angeles, CA	04/24/19	04/23/19
94751	Ametek Instrumentation Systems (Company)	Warrenville, IL	04/25/19	04/19/19
94752	Cypress Creek Renewables (State/One-Stop)	Santa Monica, CA	04/25/19	04/23/19
94753	Deluxe Media Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Burbank, CA	04/25/19	04/24/19
94754		Weston, WV	04/25/19	04/24/19
94755 94756	LEDVANCE LLC (Company) Ethan Allen Operations, Inc. (Company)	Saint Mary's, PA Passaic, NJ	04/25/19 04/26/19	04/25/19 04/25/19
94757	Evolent Health, LLC (State/One-Stop)	Arlington, VA	04/26/19	04/25/19
94758	Vertical Textiles, LLC (Workers)	Miami, FL	04/26/19	04/25/19
94759	Conduent Education Services LLC (State/One-Stop)	Long Beach, CA	04/26/19	04/24/19
94760	Imagination International Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Eugene, OR	04/29/19	04/26/19
94761	Isringhausen (State/One-Stop)	Galesburg, MI	04/29/19	04/26/19
94762	PayPal, Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Hunt Valley, MD	04/29/19	04/26/19
94763	PerkinElmer Health Sciences Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Shelton, CT	04/29/19	04/26/19
94764 94765	Ross Mould LLC (Union)	Washington, PA	04/29/19	04/26/19
94765	Cenveo Publisher Services (State/One-Stop)	Richmond, VA	04/30/19 04/30/19	04/29/19 04/29/19
94767	Health First (State/One-Stop)	New York, NY	04/30/19	04/29/19
94768	Renovate America, Inc. (State/One-Stop)	San Diego, CA	04/30/19	04/29/19
94769	U.S. Bank, Portland Columbia Center (State/One-Stop)	Portland, OR	04/30/19	04/29/19
94770	Falcon Transportation (State/One-Stop)	Youngstown, OH	05/01/19	05/01/19
94771	Verso Corporation (MD and WV locations) (State/One-Stop).	Luke, MD	05/01/19	04/30/19
94772	Watlow Electric Manufacturing Company (State/One-Stop)	Columbia, MO	05/01/19	04/30/19
94773	Citicorp Credit Svcs Inc. USA dba Citibank and	Irving, TX	05/02/19	05/01/19
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94774 94775	Ethan Allen Operations, Inc. (Company)	Old Fort, NC Warren, MI	05/02/19 05/02/19	04/25/19 05/01/19
94776	Thomson Reuters (State/One-Stop)	Rochester, NY	05/02/19	05/01/19
94777	Amsted Rail Company, Inc. (Union)	Granite City, IL	05/03/19	05/02/19
94778	Dalton Corporation/Motor Castings Foundry (Union)	Milwaukee, WI	05/03/19	05/02/19
94779	State Street Corporation (State/One-Stop)	Quincy, MA	05/03/19	05/02/19
94780	Target Corporation (State/One-Stop)	Minneapolis, MN	05/03/19	05/02/19
94781	Infocus Systems (Image Holdings Corporation) (State/One-Stop).	Portland, OR	05/06/19	05/03/19
94782	OMNOVA Solutions Inc. (Workers)	Green Bay, WI	05/06/19	05/03/19
94783 94784	Sitel Group (State/One-Stop)	Albuquerque, NM Bonne Terre, MO	05/06/19 05/07/19	05/03/19 05/03/19
94785	Quad Graphics Printing II LLC (State/One-Stop)	Portland, OR	05/07/19	05/06/19
94786	Silver Star Brands (Company)	Oshkosh, WI	05/07/19	05/06/19
94787	HBD/Thermoid (State/One-Stop)	Elgin, SC	05/08/19	05/07/19
94788		Galena, IL	05/08/19	05/06/19
94789	Kohler Co. (Company)	Brownwood, TX	05/08/19	05/07/19
94790	Valeo USA, Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Auburn Hills, MI	05/08/19	05/07/19
94791	ABB Inc. (State/One-Stop)	South Boston, VA	05/09/19	05/08/19
94792 94793	Cooper Standard (Company) Lumedx Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Bellevue, WA	05/09/19 05/09/19	05/08/19 05/07/19
94794	American Technical Ceramics Corp. (Company)	Huntington Station, NY	05/10/19	05/09/19
94795	Columbia Forest Products (State/One-Stop)	Trumann, AR	05/10/19	05/09/19
94796	Hubbell Lighting, Inc.—Elgin (Company)	Elgin, IL	05/10/19	05/08/19
94797	Allianz Global Corporate & Specialty (State/One-Stop)	Burbank, CA	05/13/19	05/10/19
94798	Fargo Assembly of PA, Division of ECI (State/One-Stop)	Bethanu, MO	05/13/19	05/10/19
94799	Ocwen Loan Servicing (Company)	Glendale, CA	05/13/19	05/10/19
94800 94801	Ocwen Loan Servicing (Company) Ocwen Loan Servicing (Company)	Fort Washington, PA Orlando, FL	05/13/19 05/13/19	05/10/19 05/10/19
94802	Ocwen Loan Servicing (Company)	West Palm Beach, FL	05/13/19	05/10/19
94803	Oracle America Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Portland, OR	05/13/19	05/10/19
94804	PHH Mortgage Corporation (Company)	Mount Laurel, NJ	05/13/19	05/10/19
94805	Pure Wick (State/One-Stop)	El Cajon, CA	05/13/19	05/10/19
94806	Sysco Hampton Roads Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Suffolk, VA	05/13/19	05/10/19
94807	Asteelflash Raleigh (Workers)	Morrisville, NC	05/14/19	05/14/19
94808	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	East Haven, CT	05/14/19	05/13/19
94809	Web.com Group, Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Spokane, WACoos Bay, OR	05/14/19 05/15/19	05/08/19 05/13/19
94810	Georgia Pacific Paper (Union)			

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TA-W	Subject firm (petitioners)	Location	Date of institution	Date of petition
94812	Premier Aviation Overhaul Center, Ltd. (State/One-Stop)	Rome, NY	05/15/19	05/14/19
94813	AEP (State/One-Stop)	Conesville, OH	05/16/19	05/16/19
94814	American Technical Ceramics (Company)	Jacksonville, FL	05/16/19	02/13/19
94815	Asheboro Elastics Corporation (State/One-Stop)	Boykins, VA	05/16/19	05/15/19
94816	TMG Health, A Cognizant Technologies Company (State/One-Stop).	Jessup, PA	05/16/19	05/15/19
94817	Arconic Technology Center (Workers)	New Kensington, PA	05/17/19	05/16/19
94818	Interplex Daystar, Inc. (Company)	Franklin Park, IL	05/17/19	05/16/19
94819	Key Surgical LLC. DBA Mectra Laboratory (State/One-Stop).	Bloomfield, IN	05/17/19	05/17/19
94820	Kitron Technologies Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Windber, PA	05/17/19	05/15/19
94821	NYDJ Production LLC (State/One-Stop)	Vernon, CA	05/17/19	05/16/19
94822	VTech Communications (State/One-Stop)	Beaverton, OR	05/17/19	05/16/19
94823	AdvanSix (Workers)	Pottsville, PA	05/20/19	05/17/19
94824	AIG (Workers)	Berkeley Heights, NJ	05/20/19	05/19/19
94825	Payless Shoesource Worldwide, Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Topeka, KS	05/20/19	05/20/19
94826	TE Connectivity (Company)	Berwyn, PA	05/20/19	05/17/19
94827	Alorica Inc. (State/One-Stop)	St. Joseph, MO	05/21/19	05/21/19
94828	Eni USA R&M Company, Inc. (Company)	Cabot, PA	05/21/19	05/20/19
94829	Standard Insurance Co.(StanCorp Financial Group) (State/One-Stop).	Portland, OR	05/21/19	05/20/19
94830	U.S. Bank (Workers)	Owensboro, KY	05/21/19	05/20/19
94831	Arrow International (Company)	Asheboro, NC	05/22/19	05/21/19
94832	Classic American Hardwoods Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Memphis, TN	05/22/19	05/21/19
94833	Del Monte Foods, Inc., Deduction Analyst Department (State/One-Stop).	Walnut Creek, CA	05/22/19	05/21/19
94834	Emblem Health (State/One-Stop)	New York, NY	05/22/19	05/21/19
94835	Frontier Communications (State/One-Stop)	Rochester, NY	05/22/19	05/21/19
94836	Eagle Test systems (a Teradyne Company) (State/One-Stop).	Buffalo Grove, IL	05/23/19	05/22/19
94837	HCL America (State/One-Stop)	Frisco, TX	05/23/19	05/22/19
94838	Inspired By Drive (State/One-Stop)	Santa Fe Springs, CA	05/23/19	05/22/19
94839	Xerox Corporation (Workers)	Webster, NY	05/23/19	05/22/19
94840	Baker Hughes a GE Company (Lufkin Industries), Accounts Payable (State/One-Stop).	Lufkin, TX	05/24/19	05/23/19
94841	Conagra Brands (formally known as Pinnacle Foods) (State/One-Stop).	Cherry Hill, NJ	05/24/19	05/23/19
94842	Conagra Brands (Was Pinnacle Foods) (State/One-Stop)	Parsippany, NJ	05/24/19	05/23/19
94843	Sabre (Workers)	Southlake, TX	05/24/19	05/23/19
94844	Unilin North America LLC (division of Mohawk Industries) (State/One-Stop).	Danville, VA	05/24/19	05/23/19
94845	Vesuvius USA (State/One-Stop)	Tyler, TX	05/24/19	05/23/19
94846	A123 Systems, LLC (State/One-Stop)	Romulus, MI	05/28/19	05/24/19
94847	A123 Systems, LLC (State/One-Stop)	Livonia, MI	05/28/19	05/28/19
94848	David's Bridal (Workers)	New York, NY	05/28/19	05/26/19
94849	Deluxe Digital Cinema Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Wilmington, OH	05/28/19	05/24/19
94850	Geometric Americas, Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Troy, MI	05/28/19	05/24/19
94851	WoodCrest (Workers)	Peru, IN	05/28/19	05/24/19
94852	ZPOWER (State/One-Stop)	Camarillo, CA	05/28/19	05/24/19
94853	Detroit Renewable Power (Company)	Detroit, MI	05/29/19	05/28/19
94854	Clarion Sintered Metals (State/One-Stop)	Ridgway, PA	05/30/19	05/29/19
94855	Columbia Forest Products (State/One-Stop)	Klamath Falls, OR	05/30/19	05/29/19
94856	Finastra (Workers)	Plano, TX	05/30/19	05/29/19
94857	Millipore Sigma (State/One-Stop)	Burlington, MA	05/30/19	05/30/19
94858	Teck Washington Incorporated—Pend Oreille Operations (Company).	Metaline Falls, WA	05/30/19	05/29/19
94859	Wood Mode Inc. (State/One-Stop)	Kreamer, PA	05/30/19	05/29/19
94860	ATT Services—IT Voice Call Operations and Applications Development (Company).	Hoffman Estates, IL	05/31/19	05/30/19
94861	BD-Becton Dickinson (State/One-Stop)	Chelmsford, MA	05/31/19	05/30/19
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94862	Breg, Inc. (Company)	Grand Prairie, TX	05/31/19	05/23/19
		Grand Prairie, TX Bellevue, WA	05/31/19 05/31/19	05/23/19 05/29/19

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

Agency Information Collection Activities; Comment Request; Post Enrollment Data Collection for Job Corps Participants

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Labor's (DOL's), Employment Training Administration (ETA) is soliciting comments concerning a proposed revision for the authority to conduct the information collection request (ICR) titled, "Post Enrollment Data Collection for Job Corps Participants." This comment request is part of continuing Departmental efforts to reduce paperwork and respondent burden in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA).

DATES: Consideration will be given to all written comments received by September 3, 2019.

ADDRESSES: A copy of this ICR with applicable supporting documentation; including a description of the likely respondents, proposed frequency of response, and estimated total burden may be obtained free by contacting Lawrence Lyford by telephone at 202–693–3121 (this is not a toll-free number), TTY 1–877–889–5627 (this is not a toll-free number), or by email at Lyford.Lawrence@dol.gov.

Submit written comments about, or requests for a copy of, this ICR by mail or courier to the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration, Office of Job Corps, 200 Constitution Avenue NW, Room N4507, Washington, DC 20210; by email: Lyford.Lawrence@dol.gov; or by Fax 202–693–3113.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Lawrence Lyford by telephone at 202-693–3121 (this is not a toll free number) or by email at Lyford.Lawrence@dol.gov. SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The DOL, as part of continuing efforts to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a pre-clearance consultation program to provide the general public and Federal agencies an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information before submitting them to the OMB for final approval. This program helps to ensure requested data can be provided in the desired format, reporting burden (time and financial resources) is

minimized, collection instruments are clearly understood, and the impact of collection requirements can be properly assessed.

Job Corps is the nation's largest residential, educational, and career technical training program for young Americans. The Economic Opportunity Act established Job Corps in 1964, and it currently operates under the authority of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) of 2014. For over 54 years, Job Corps has helped prepare over three million at-risk young people between the ages of 16 and 24 for success in our nation's workforce. With 123 centers in 50 states, Puerto Rico, and the District of Columbia, Job Corps assists students across the nation in attaining academic credentials, including High School Diplomas (HSD) and/or High School Equivalency (HSE), and career technical training credentials, including industryrecognized certifications, state licensures, and pre-apprenticeship credentials.

Job Corps is a national program administered by the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) through the Office of Job Corps and six Regional Offices. DOL awards and administers contracts for the recruiting and screening of new students, center operations, and the placement and transitional support of graduates and former enrollees. Large and small corporations and nonprofit organizations manage and operate 98 Job Corps centers under contractual agreements with DOL. These contract Center Operators are selected through a competitive procurement process that evaluates potential operators' technical expertise, proposed costs, past performance, and other factors, in accordance with the Competition in Contracting Act and the Federal Acquisition Regulations. The U.S. Department of Agriculture operates the remaining 25 Job Corps centers, called Civilian Conservation Centers, via an interagency agreement. The DOL has a direct role in the operation of Job Corps and does not serve as a pass-through agency for this program. The Workforce Innovation Opportunity Act (WIOA), Section 116(b)(2)(A)(i) and Section 159(c)(4) authorizes this information collection.

This information collection is subject to the PRA. A Federal agency generally cannot conduct or sponsor a collection of information, and the public is generally not required to respond to an information collection, unless OMB approves the collection under the PRA and displays a currently valid OMB Control Number. In addition, notwithstanding any other provisions of

law, no person shall generally be subject to penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information that does not display a valid Control Number. *See* 5 CFR 1320.5(a) and 1320.6.

Interested parties are encouraged to provide comments to the contact shown in the ADDRESSES section. Comments must be written to receive consideration, and they will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval of the final ICR. In order to help ensure appropriate consideration, comments should mention OMB control number 1205–0426.

Submitted comments will also be a matter of public record for this ICR and posted on the internet, without redaction. The DOL encourages commenters not to include personally identifiable information, confidential business data, or other sensitive statements/information in any comments.

The DOL is particularly interested in comments that:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Âgency: DOL–ETA.
Type of Review: Revision.
Title of Collection: Post Enrollment
Data Collection for Job Corps
Participants.

Forms: Appendix A, B, C, and D.
OMB Control Number: 1205–0426.
Affected Public: Individuals or
Households and Private Sector—
businesses or other for-profits.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 28,860.

Frequency: For participants, the second and fourth calendar quarter after exit quarter from Job Corps and upon initial separation.

Total Estimated Annual Responses: 50,720.

Estimated Average Time per Response: varies.