The Census Bureau plans to conduct additional research under the generic clearance for questionnaire pretesting research (OMB number 0607-0725). This letter covers recruiting respondents through response to a screener questionnaire.

Four previous letters received approval to screen respondents for upcoming cognitive research projects. These letters were dated March 25 2013, April 18, 2013, September 30, 2013, and September 30, 2014.

This letter requests burden hours from November 1, 2015 through August 31, 2016 using two screeners – one for telephone and one for the internet. These screeners have been streamlined to include the bare minimum set of questions necessary for screening of potential respondents for our cognitive and usability projects that require a general population. Copies of the screeners are attached. This screener will be translated into Spanish and administered in Spanish as well. Questions unique to the Spanish language screener are highlighted in red for your information.

We estimate that between November 1, 2015 and August 31, 2016 approximately 4,000 people will complete the screener questionnaire. We estimate that completing the questionnaire takes a maximum of 5 minutes. Thus, the total estimated burden for this submission is 334 hours.

The contact person for questions regarding data collection and statistical aspects of the design of this research is listed below:

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