#### **Attachment C**

# Department of Commerce United States Census Bureau OMB Information Collection Request 2017 Economic Census OMB Control Number 0607-XXXX

#### Letters

| CLASS-L1  | Economic Census Classification Initial Mail                            |
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| CLASS-L1R | Economic Census Classification Due Date Reminder                       |
| CLASS-L2  | Economic Census Classification First Follow-up                         |
| CLASS-L3  | Economic Census Classification Second Follow-up                        |
| EC-L1     | Economic Census Initial Mail   |
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| EC-L2P    | Economic Census First Follow-up; Partial Response Received             |
| EC-L3     | Economic Census Second and Third Follow-ups                            |
| EC-L3P    | Economic Census Second and Third Follow-ups; Partial Response Received |



# UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Economics and Statistics Administration U.S. Census Bureau Washington, DC 20233-0001 OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

#### A Message from the Director, U.S. Census Bureau:

We are requesting your cooperation with the **2017 Economic Census Classification Report**. This survey is used to ensure accurate classification of businesses and organizations for the 2017 Economic Census. Accurate industry classification is the foundation for reliable economic data, which is essential to business and government decision making. Since this survey requests no operating data, it should take only a few minutes to complete.

Website:

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Sincerely,

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EWD Survey Comments 0607-XXXX U.S. Census Bureau 4600 Silver Hill Road Room EWD-8K154 Washington, DC 20233

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Website:
Due Date:
Contact:

- 1. Log in to your existing Census Bureau account.
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- 3. Click "Options" and then choose "Filing Status."
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