## Request for Approval under the "Generic Clearance for the Collection of Routine Customer Feedback" (OMB#: 0925-0648 Exp., 05/2021)

**TITLE OF INFORMATION COLLECTION:** Quick Feedback Center for Scientific Review (QFCSR)

**PURPOSE:** The Center for Scientific Review (CSR) is evaluating Study Section organization as part of the ARGO (Assessing Review Group Outcomes) initiative – an inter IC collaboration.

The QFCSR surveys are collecting feedback on important issues regarding specific study sections (such as prioritization, assignments, expertise, and discussion).

**DESCRIPTION OF RESPONDENTS**: Respondents will be approximately 600 CSR reviewers serving on study sections for the January 2019 council round.

## TYPE OF COLLECTION: (Check one)

- [] Customer Comment Card/Complaint Form
- [] Usability Testing (e.g., Website or Software
- [] Focus Group

- [] Customer Satisfaction Survey
- [] Small Discussion Group
- [X ] Other: Organizer feedback

## **CERTIFICATION:**

I certify the following to be true:

- 1. The collection is voluntary.
- 2. The collection is low-burden for respondents and low-cost for the Federal Government.
- 3. The collection is non-controversial and does <u>not</u> raise issues of concern to other federal agencies.
- 4. The results are <u>not</u> intended to be disseminated to the public.
- 5. Information gathered will not be used for the purpose of <u>substantially</u> informing <u>influential</u> policy decisions.
- 6. The collection is targeted to the solicitation of opinions from respondents who have experience with the program or may have experience with the program in the future.

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To assist review, please provide answers to the following question:

### **Personally Identifiable Information:**

- 1. Is personally identifiable information (PII) collected? [] Yes [ X] No
- 2. If Yes, is the information that will be collected included in records that are subject to the Privacy Act of 1974? [] Yes [] No
- 3. If Applicable, has a System or Records Notice been published? [] Yes [] No

### Gifts or Payments:

Is an incentive (e.g., money or reimbursement of expenses, token of appreciation) provided to participants? [] Yes [X] No

#### **ESTIMATED BURDEN HOURS and COSTS**

Category of Respondent	No. of Respondents	No. of Responses per Respondent	Time per Response (in hours)	Total Burden Hours
Individuals	600	5	1/60	50
Totals	600	3000		50

Category of Respondent	Total Burden	Hourly Wage Rate*	Total Burden
	Hours		Cost
Individuals	50	\$35.06	\$1753.00
Totals			\$1753.00

https://www.bls.gov/oes/2017/may/oes\_nat.htm#19-0000

**FEDERAL COST:** The estimated annual cost to the Federal government is <u>\$730.00</u>

				Fringe (if applicable)	Total Cost to Gov't
Staff	Grade/Step	Salary***	% of Effort	<b></b>	
Federal Oversight					
Program Analyst	GS-13-10	126,062	0.002%		\$250.00
Health Science Administrator	GS-14-1	114,590	0.002%		\$230.00
Contractor Cost		125,000	0.002%		\$250.00
Travel					
Other Cost					
Total					\$730.00

\*\*\* https://www.opm.gov/policy-data-oversight/pay-leave/salaries-wages/salary-tables/ 18Tables/html/DCB.aspx

# If you are conducting a focus group, survey, or plan to employ statistical methods, please provide answers to the following questions:

#### The selection of your targeted respondents

Do you have a customer list or something similar that defines the universe of potential respondents and do you have a sampling plan for selecting from this universe?
[] Yes [X] No

If the answer is yes, please provide a description of both below (or attach the sampling plan)? If the answer is no, please provide a description of how you plan to identify your potential group of respondents and how you will select them?

## Administration of the Instrument

- 1. How will you collect the information? (Check all that apply)
  - [X] Web-based or other forms of Social Media
  - [] Telephone
  - [] In-person
  - [] Mail
  - [ ] Other, Explain
- 2. Will interviewers or facilitators be used? [] Yes [X] No