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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[SEC File No. 270-643, OMB Control No. 3235-0691]

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request: Extension: Form Custody

Upon Written Request, Copies Available From: Securities and Exchange Commission, Office of FOIA Services, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549-2736.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*) (“PRA”), the Securities and Exchange Commission (“Commission”) has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (“OMB”) a request for approval of the extension of the previously approved collection of information provided for in Form Custody (17 CFR 249.639) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78a *et seq.*) (“Exchange Act”).

Section 17(a)(1) of the Exchange Act provides that broker-dealers registered with the Commission must make and keep records, furnish copies of the records, and make and disseminate reports as the Commission, by rule, prescribes. Pursuant to this authority, the Commission adopted Rule 17a-5 (17 CFR 240.17a-5), which is one of the primary financial and operational reporting rules for broker-dealers.¹ Paragraph (a)(5) of Rule 17a-5 requires every broker-dealer registered with the Commission to file Form Custody (17 CFR 249.639) with its designated examining authority (“DEA”) within 17 business days after the end of each calendar quarter and within 17 business days after the date selected for the broker-dealer’s annual report if that date is not the end of a calendar quarter. Form Custody is designed to elicit information about whether a broker-dealer maintains custody of customer and non-customer assets, and, if so, how such assets are maintained.

The Commission estimates that there are approximately 3,534 broker-dealers registered with the Commission. As noted above, all broker-dealers

registered with the Commission are required to file Form Custody with their DEA once each calendar quarter. Based on staff experience, the Commission estimates that, on average, it would take a broker-dealer approximately 12 hours to complete and file Form Custody, for an annual industry-wide reporting burden of approximately 169,632 hours.² Assuming an average cost per hour of approximately \$319 for a compliance manager, the total internal cost of compliance for the respondents is approximately \$54,112,608 per year.³

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information under the PRA unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

The public may view background documentation for this information collection at the following website: www.reginfo.gov. Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent by August 24, 2022 to (i) MBX.OMB.OIRA.SEC_desk_officer@omb.eop.gov and (ii) David Bottom, Director/Chief Information Officer, Securities and Exchange Commission, c/o John Pezzullo, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549, or by sending an email to: PRA_Mailbox@sec.gov.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[SEC File No. 270-091, OMB Control No. 3235-0088]

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request: Extension: Rule 15Ba2-5

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² 3,534 brokers-dealers x 4 times per year x 12 hours = 169,632 hours.

³ 169,632 hours times \$319 per hour = \$54,112,608. \$319 per hour for a compliance manager is from SIFMA’s *Management & Professional Earnings in the Securities Industry 2013*, modified by Commission staff for an 1800-hour work-year, multiplied by 5.35 to account for bonuses, firm size, employee benefits, and overhead, and adjusted for inflation.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (“PRA”) (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*), the Securities and Exchange Commission (“Commission”) has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (“OMB”) a request for approval of extension of the existing collection of information provided for in Rule 15Ba2-5 (17 CFR 240.15Ba2-5), under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78a *et seq.*) (“Exchange Act”).

On July 7, 1976, effective July 16, 1976 (*see* 41 FR 28948, July 14, 1976), the Commission adopted Rule 15Ba2-5 under the Exchange Act to permit a duly-appointed fiduciary to assume immediate responsibility for the operation of a municipal securities dealer’s business. Without the rule, the fiduciary would not be able to assume operation until it registered as a municipal securities dealer. Under the rule, the registration of a municipal securities dealer is deemed to be the registration of any executor, administrator, guardian, conservator, assignee for the benefit of creditors, receiver, trustee in insolvency or bankruptcy, or other fiduciary, appointed or qualified by order, judgment, or decree of a court of competent jurisdiction to continue the business of such municipal securities dealer, provided that such fiduciary files with the Commission, within 30 days after entering upon the performance of his duties, a statement setting forth as to such fiduciary substantially the same information required by Form MSD or Form BD. The statement is necessary to ensure that the Commission and the public have adequate information about the fiduciary.

There is approximately one respondent per year that requires an aggregate total of 4 hours to comply with this rule. This respondent makes an estimated one annual response. Each response takes approximately 4 hours to complete. Thus, the total compliance burden per year is approximately four hours. The approximate internal compliance cost per hour is \$25, resulting in a total internal cost of compliance of approximately \$100 per year (*i.e.*, 4 hours x \$25).

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¹ Rule 17a-5 is subject to a separate PRA filing (OMB Control Number 3235-0123).

for Public Comments” or by using the search function. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent by August 24, 2022 to (i) www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain and (ii) David Bottom, Director/Chief Information Officer, Securities and Exchange Commission, c/o John Pezzullo, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549, or by sending an email to: PRA_Mailbox@sec.gov.

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SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

[Docket No SSA-2022-0035]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Request and Comment Request

The Social Security Administration (SSA) publishes a list of information collection packages requiring clearance by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) in compliance with Public Law 104-13, the Paperwork

Reduction Act of 1995, effective October 1, 1995. This notice includes one new collection and revisions of OMB-approved information collections.

SSA is soliciting comments on the accuracy of the agency’s burden estimate; the need for the information; its practical utility; ways to enhance its quality, utility, and clarity; and ways to minimize burden on respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Mail, email, or fax your comments and recommendations to the information collection(s) to the OMB Desk Officer and SSA Reports Clearance Officer at the following addresses or fax numbers. (OMB) Office of Management and Budget, Attn: Desk Officer for SSA

Comments: <https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain>. Submit your comments online referencing Docket ID Number [SSA-2022-0035].

(SSA) Social Security Administration, OLCA, Attn: Reports Clearance Director, 3100 West High Rise, 6401 Security Blvd., Baltimore, MD 21235, Fax: 410-966-2830, Email address: OR.Reports.Clearance@ssa.gov

Or you may submit your comments online through <https://www.reginfo.gov/>

public/do/PRAMain, referencing Docket ID Number [SSA-2022-0035].

I. The information collections below are pending at SSA. SSA will submit them to OMB within 60 days from the date of this notice. To be sure we consider your comments, we must receive them no later than September 23, 2022. Individuals can obtain copies of the collection instruments by writing to the above email address.

1. *Application for Child’s Insurance Benefits—20 CFR 404.350-404.368, 404.603, & 416.350-0960-0010.* Title II of the Social Security Act (Act) provides for the payment of monthly benefits to children of an insured retired, disabled, or deceased worker. Section 202(d) of the Act discloses the conditions and requirements the applicant must meet when filing an application. SSA uses the information on Form SSA-4-BK to determine entitlement for children of living and deceased workers to monthly Social Security payments. Respondents are guardians completing the form on behalf of the children of living or deceased workers, or the children of living or deceased workers.

Type of Request: Revision of an OMB-approved information collection.

| Modality of completion | Number of respondents | Frequency of response | Average burden per response (minutes) | Estimated total annual burden (hours) | Average theoretical hourly cost amount (dollars)* | Average wait time in field office (minutes)** | Total annual opportunity cost (dollars)*** |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|---|--|
| SSA-4-BK (Death Claim) paper | 1,178 | 1 | 12 | 236 | * \$28.01 | 0 | *** \$6,610 |
| SSA-4-BK/(Death Claim) MCS Interview | 227,999 | 1 | 11 | 41,800 | * 28.01 | ** 24 | *** 3,725,330 |
| SSA-4-BK (Life Claim) Paper | 2,180 | 1 | 12 | 436 | * 28.01 | 0 | *** 12,212 |
| SSA-4-BK (Life Claim) MCS Interview | 284,245 | 1 | 11 | 52,112 | * 28.01 | ** 24 | *** 4,644,338 |
| Totals | 515,602 | | | 94,584 | | | *** 8,388,490 |

** We based this figure on average U.S. citizen’s hourly salary, as reported by Bureau of Labor Statistics data (https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes_nat.htm#00-0000).

** We based this figure on the average FY 2022 wait times for field offices, based on SSA’s current management information data.

*** This figure does not represent actual costs that SSA is imposing on recipients of Social Security payments to complete this application; rather, these are theoretical opportunity costs for the additional time respondents will spend to complete the application. *There is no actual charge to respondents to complete the application.*

2. *Statement for Determining Continuing Eligibility, Supplemental Security Income Payment(s)—416.204—0960-0416.* SSA conducts redeterminations of disability to determine whether Supplemental Security Income (SSI) recipients: (1) have met and continue to meet all

statutory and regulatory requirements for SSI eligibility and (2) are receiving the correct SSI payment amount. SSA makes these redeterminations through periodic use of Form SSA-8203-BK. SSA conducts this legally mandated information collection in field offices via personal contact (face-to-face or

telephone interview) using the automated SSI Claim System.

The respondents are SSI recipients or their representative payees.

Type of Request: Revision of an OMB-approved information collection.

| Modality of completion | Number of respondents | Frequency of response | Average burden per response (minutes) | Estimated total annual burden (hours) | Average theoretical hourly cost amount (dollars)* | Average wait time in field office or for teleservice centers (minutes)** | Total annual opportunity cost (dollars)*** |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--|--|
| SSA-8203-BK (paper version) | 44,396 | 1 | 20 | 14,799 | * \$19.86 | ** 21 | *** \$602,513 |
| SSA-8203-BK (SSI Claims system) | 1,918,702 | 1 | 19 | 607,589 | * 19.86 | ** 21 | *** 25,403,621 |