

conduct an independent cost assessment is 55 hours and the average nationwide rate is \$100.

## B. Solicitation of Public Comment

This notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affected parties concerning the collection of information described in Section A on the following:

(1) 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;

(2) The accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information;

(3) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond; including the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of responses.

HUD encourages interested parties to submit comments in response to these questions.

## C. Authority

Section 2 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. 3507.

**Laura Kunkel,**

*Acting Director, Office of Policy, Programs, and Legislative Initiatives.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

### Geological Survey

[Docket No. USGS-2025-0009; OMB Control Number 1028-0114; GX25DK20UFD6100]

### Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; National Ground-Water Monitoring Network Cooperative Funding Application

**AGENCY:** U.S. Geological Survey, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of Information Collection; request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) is proposing to renew an information collection.

**DATES:** Interested persons are invited to submit comments on or before August 25, 2025.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments by one of the following methods:

■ *Internet:* <https://www.regulations.gov>.

Search for and submit comments on Docket No. USGS-2025-0009.

■ *U.S. Mail:* USGS, Information Collections Clearance Officer, 12201 Sunrise Valley Drive, MS 159, Reston, VA 20192.

### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Rodney Caldwell by email at [caldwell@usgs.gov](mailto:caldwell@usgs.gov), or by telephone at (406) 461-6931. Individuals in the United States who are deaf, deafblind, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability may dial 711 (TTY, TDD, or TeleBraille) to access telecommunications relay services. Individuals outside the United States should use the relay services offered within their country to make international calls to the point-of-contact in the United States. You may also view the ICR at <http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain>.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with the PRA of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*) and 5 CFR 1320.8(d)(1), we provide the general public and other Federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on new, proposed, revised, and continuing collections of information. This helps us assess the impact of our information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. It also helps the public understand our information collection requirements and provide the requested data in the desired format.

A **Federal Register** notice with a 60-day public comment period soliciting comments on this collection of information was published on May 14, 2025 (90 FR 20486). No comments were received.

As part of our continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burdens, we are again soliciting comments from the public and other Federal agencies on the proposed ICR that is described below. We are especially interested in public comment addressing the following:

(1) Whether or not the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether or not the information will have practical utility.

(2) The accuracy of our estimate of the burden for this collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used.

(3) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) How the agency might 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 response.

Comments that you submit in response to this notice are a matter of public record. Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personally identifiable information (PII) in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your PII—may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your PII from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

**Abstract:** The USGS administers the National Ground-Water Monitoring Network (NGWMN) which was developed through work with the Federal Advisory Committee on Water Information (ACWI) and its Subcommittee on Ground Water (SOGW). This network is required as part of Public Law 111-11, Title IX, Subtitle F—Secure Water, section 9507, “Water Data Enhancement by United States Geological Survey,” codified at 42 U.S.C. 10367.

The NGWMN consists of an aggregation of wells and springs from existing Federal, State, Tribal, and local groundwater monitoring networks. To support data providers for the NGWMN, the USGS will be providing funding through cooperative agreements to water-resource agencies that collect groundwater data.

The USGS will be soliciting applications for funding that will request information from the agency collecting the data. Elements will include contact information (phone number and email address), and a proposal describing their proposed work in support of the NGWMN. The proposal will describe the groundwater networks to be included in the NGWMN, the purpose of the networks, and the principal aquifers that are monitored. Proposals may include work to become a new data provider to the NGWMN, support for maintaining connections to agency databases, and work to enhance NGWMN sites (updating metadata, well maintenance, well drilling, and support for continuous water-level monitoring equipment). Proposals require estimates of costs to complete the above tasks and a timeline for planned completion. The proposals will be reviewed by the USGS and the NGWMN Program Board who will make funding recommendations.

*Title of Collection:* National Ground-Water Monitoring Network Cooperative Funding Application.

*OMB Control Number:* 1028–0114.

*Form Number:* None.

*Type of Review:* Renewal of a currently approved collection.

*Respondents/Affected Public:* Multi-state, state, or local water-resources agencies who operate groundwater monitoring networks.

**Note:** Estimated hours were increased from previous estimates in the 60-Day notice due to a more detailed analysis of historical trends and additional information recently provided by individuals familiar with the collection.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Respondents:* 40.

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*Estimated Completion Time per Response:* 31 hours.

*Total Estimated Number of Annual Burden Hours:* 1,240 hours.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Mandatory to be considered for funding.

*Frequency of Collection:* Annually.

*Total Estimated Annual Non hour Burden Cost:* None.

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

The authority for this action is the PRA of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*).

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*Acting Director, WMA Observing Systems Division.*

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## INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

**[Investigation Nos. 701–TA–768–770 and 731–TA–1751–1754 (Preliminary)]**

### Steel Concrete Reinforcing Bar From Algeria, Bulgaria, Egypt, and Vietnam

#### Determinations

On the basis of the record<sup>1</sup> developed in the subject investigations, the United States International Trade Commission (“Commission”) determines, pursuant to the Tariff Act of 1930 (“the Act”), that there is a reasonable indication that an industry in the United States is materially injured by reason of imports of steel concrete reinforcing bar from Algeria, Bulgaria, Egypt, and Vietnam, provided for in subheadings

7213.10.0000, 7214.20.0000, and 7228.30.8010 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, that are alleged to be sold in the United States at less than fair value (“LTFV”) and imports of the subject merchandise from Egypt and Vietnam that are alleged to be subsidized by the governments of Egypt and Vietnam.<sup>2 3</sup>

#### Commencement of Final Phase Investigations

Pursuant to section 207.18 of the Commission’s rules, the Commission also gives notice of the commencement of the final phase of its investigations. The Commission will issue a final phase notice of scheduling, which will be published in the **Federal Register** as provided in § 207.21 of the Commission’s rules, upon notice from the U.S. Department of Commerce (“Commerce”) of affirmative preliminary determinations in the investigations under §§ 703(b) or 733(b) of the Act, or, if the preliminary determinations are negative, upon notice of affirmative final determinations in those investigations under §§ 705(a) or 735(a) of the Act. Parties that filed entries of appearance in the preliminary phase of the investigations need not enter a separate appearance for the final phase of the investigations. Any other party may file an entry of appearance for the final phase of the investigations after publication of the final phase notice of scheduling. Industrial users, and, if the merchandise under investigation is sold at the retail level, representative consumer organizations have the right to appear as parties in Commission antidumping and countervailing duty investigations. The Secretary will prepare a public service list containing the names and addresses of all persons, or their representatives, who are parties to the investigations. As provided in section 207.20 of the Commission’s rules, the Director of the Office of Investigations will circulate draft questionnaires for the final phase of the investigations to parties to the investigations, placing copies on the Commission’s Electronic Document

<sup>2</sup> 90 FR 27838, June 30, 2025; 90 FR 27846, June 30, 2025.

<sup>3</sup> On June 15, 2025, the Office of the United States Trade Representative advised the Commission via letter of its determination that Algeria is not a Subsidies Agreement country. The Commission did not make a preliminary determination for the countervailing duty investigation concerning Algeria. See 19 U.S.C. 1671(c). See also correspondence from Jennifer Thornton, General Council, Office of the United States Trade Representative, “Status of Algeria Under the Tariff Act of 1930, As Amended” issued July 15, 2025.

Information System (EDIS, <https://edis.usitc.gov>), for comment.

#### Background

On June 4, 2025, Rebar Trade Action Coalition, Washington, DC filed petitions with the Commission and Commerce, alleging that an industry in the United States is materially injured or threatened with material injury by reason of subsidized imports of steel concrete reinforcing bar from Algeria, Egypt, and Vietnam and LTFV imports of steel concrete reinforcing bar from Algeria, Bulgaria, Egypt, and Vietnam. Accordingly, effective June 4, 2025, the Commission instituted countervailing duty investigation Nos. 701–TA–768–770 and antidumping duty investigation Nos. 731–TA–1751–1754 (Preliminary).

Notice of the institution of the Commission’s investigations and of a public conference to be held in connection therewith was given by posting copies of the notice in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, Washington, DC, and by publishing the notice in the **Federal Register** of June 10, 2025 (90 FR 24410). The Commission conducted its conference on June 25, 2025. All persons who requested the opportunity were permitted to participate.

The Commission made these determinations pursuant to §§ 703(a) and 733(a) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1671b(a) and 1673b(a)). It completed and filed its determinations in these investigations on July 21, 2025. The views of the Commission are contained in USITC Publication 5653 (July 2025), entitled *Steel Concrete Reinforcing Bar from Algeria, Bulgaria, Egypt, and Vietnam: Investigation Nos. 701–TA–768–770 and 731–TA–1751–1754 (Preliminary)*.

By order of the Commission.

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**Lisa Barton,**

*Secretary to the Commission.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

**[OMB Number 1105–0094]**

**Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed eCollection eComments Requested; Revision of a Currently Approved Collection; Comments Requested: Title—Special Deputation Forms**

**AGENCY:** U.S. Marshals Service, Department of Justice.

**ACTION:** 60-Day notice.