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Signed at Washington, D.C. This 18th Day of May 2000.

### Carl J. Poleskey,

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### DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### **Bureau of Labor Statistics**

# Federal Economic Statistics Advisory Committee; Appointment of Members

This is to announce the appointment of members to the Federal Economic Statistics Advisory Committee (FESAC), established under the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (Public Law 92–463; 5 U.S.C. App. 2, 6(c)). The membership of the Committee is as follows:

Professor Ernst R. Berndt, Chair, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Dr. Barry P. Bosworth, Brookings Institution

Professor Franklin M. Fisher, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Massachusetts Institute of Technolog Professor John C. Haltiwanger, University of Maryland

Dr. Sallie Keller-McNulty, Los Alamos National Laboratory Professor Alan B. Krueger, Princeton

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Professor Lisa M. Lynch, Tufts University

Professor Joseph Sedransk, Case Western Reserve University Professor Matthew D. Shapiro , University of Michigan

Professor John B. Taylor, Stanford
University

Professor Kirk M. Wolter, University of Chicago

The Committee will present advice and make recommendations to the Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics and the Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis and Bureau of the Census (the Agencies) from the perspective of the professional economics and statistics communities. The Committee is a

technical committee composed of economists, statisticians, and behavioral scientists who are recognized for their attainments and objectivity in their respective fields. Committee members will be called upon to analyze the issues involved in producing Federal economic statistics and recommend practices that will lead to optimum efficiency, effectiveness, and cooperation among the Agencies. These initial appointments are for one-, twoor three-year terms, to provide staggered three-year terms overall. Professor Ernst R. Berndt will serve as Committee Chairperson.

Signed at Washington, DC this 19th day of May 2000.

### Katharine G. Abraham,

Commissioner of Labor Statistics. [FR Doc. 00–13249 Filed 5–25–00; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4510–24–P

### DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### **Bureau of Labor Statistics**

## Federal Economic Statistics Advisory Committee; Notice of Open Meeting and Agenda

The initial meeting of the Federal Economic Statistics Advisory Committee will be held on June 15, 2000 in the Postal Square Building, 2 Massachusetts Avenue N.E., Washington, DC.

The Federal Economic Statistics
Advisory Committee is a technical
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statisticians, and behavioral scientists
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optimum efficiency, effectiveness, and
cooperation among the Department of
Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics and the
Department of Commerce, Bureau of
Economic Analysis and Bureau of the
Census.

The meeting will be held in Meeting Rooms 1 and 2 of the Postal Square Building Conference Center. The schedule and agenda for the meeting are as follows:

## 9:00 Opening Session

- 1. Purpose of the Committee
- 2. Introduction of members and statements of their research interests
- 3. Committee operating procedures 10:15 The Measurement of E-commerce 1:00 Service Sector Measurement: The Case of Banking
- 2:45 Bureau of the Census and Bureau of Labor Statistics Establishment Lists3:45 Ethics, Rules and Regulations

4:15 Future Agenda Topics5:00 Conclude (approximate time)

The meeting is open to the public. It is suggested that persons planning to attend the meeting as observers contact Margaret Johnson, Federal Economic Research Advisory Committee, on Area Code (202) 691–5600. Persons needing special assistance such as sign language interpretation or other special accommodation in order to attend the meeting are asked to contact Ms. Johnson at least two days prior to the meeting date.

Signed at Washington, D.C. the 19th day of May 2000.

### Katharine G. Abraham,

Commissioner of Labor Statistics. [FR Doc. 00–13248 Filed 5–25–00; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4510–24–P

## DEPARTMENT OF RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

# Proposed Collection; Comment Request

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the requirement of Section 3506 (c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 which provides opportunity for public comment on new or revised data collections, the Railroad Retirement Board (RRB) publishes periodic summaries of proposed data collections.

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information has practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the RRB's estimate of the burden of the collection of the information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden related to

the collection of information on respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

## **Title and Purpose of Information Collection**

Lag Service Reports; OMB 3220-0005. Under Section 9 of the Railroad Retirement Act (RRA) and Section 6 of the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act (RUIA), railroad employers are required to submit reports of employee service and compensation to the RRB as needed for administering the RRA and RUIA. To pay benefits due on a deceased employee's earnings records or determine entitlement to, and amount of annuity applied for, it is necessary at time to obtain from railroad employers current (lag) service and compensation net yet reported to the RRB through the annual reporting process.

The reporting requirements are specified in 20 CFR 209.4 and 209.5. The RRB currently utilizes Form G–88, Employer's Supplemental Report of Service and Compensation, and Form AA–22, Notice of Death and Compensation, to obtain the required lag service and related information from railroad employers. The RRB proposes to obsolete Form G-88a. Form G-88a will be replaced by two forms, Form G-88a.1, Notice of Retirement of Verification of Date Last Worked, and Form G-88a.2, Notice of Retirement and Request for Service Needed for Eligibility. Form G-88a.1 will be sent by the RRB to railroad employers and used for the specific purpose of verifying information previously provided to the RRB regarding the date last worked by the employee. If the information is correct, the employer need not reply. If the information is incorrect, the employer is asked to provide corrected

information. Form G–88a.2 will be used by the RRB to secure lag service and compensation information when it is needed to determine benefit eligibility. Both proposed forms will direct the railroad employers to fax the information directly to the RRB. It is expected that the proposed new forms will be easier for railroad employers to complete and will encourage a speedier reply, allowing the RRB to pay applicants in a more timely and accurate manner. A minor editorial change is proposed to Form AA–12.

The completion time for proposed forms G–88a.1 and G–88a.2 is estimated at 5 minutes per response. The estimated completion time for Form AA–22 remains at  $6\frac{1}{2}$  minutes per response. Completion is mandatory. The RRB estimates that approximately 800 Form AA–12's 2,300 Form G–88a.1's, and 1,200 G–88a.2's will be completed annually.

The renewal of this information collection will continue the RRB's initiative to consolidate information collections by major functional areas. The purpose of the initiative is to bring related collection instruments together in one collection, better manage the instruments, and prepare for the electronic collection of this information (A collection instrument can be an individual form, electronic collection, interview, or any other method that collects specific information from the public.)

As part of the OMB renewal process, the RRB proposes that this collection (OMB 3220–0005), Lag Service Reports, will be renamed Employer Reporting. Upon approval by OMB, and RRB intends to merge the following OMB approved collections into the collection by the Expected Expiration Date.

OMB collection No.	Collection title	RRB forms	Expected expiration date
3220-0008 3220-0012 3220-0014 3220-0070 3220-0089	Railroad Service and Compensation Reports  Employers Quarterly Report of Contributions Under the RUIA  Employer Representatives' Status and Compensation Reports  Employer Service and Compensation Reports  Pension Plan Reports	BA 3a, BA-4 DC-1 DC-2, DC-2a UI-41, UI-41a G-88p, G-88r, G-88r,1.	9/30/2001 2/28/2003 6/30/2003 9/30/2001 11/30/2002
3220-0097 3220-0132 3220-0156 3220-0173 3220-0175 3220-0194	Pay Rate Report Gross Earnings Report Employers Deemed Service Month Questionnaire Railroad Separation Allowance or Severance Pay Report Sick Pay and Miscellaneous Payments Report Employee Home Address Report	UI-1e BA-11 GL-99 BA-9	9/30/2001 1/31/2003 6/30/2003 4/30/2002 9/30/2001 3/31/2001

Revisions to existing collection instruments and, occasionally, a new instrument related to this program function may be required during the three-year cycle of this information collection.

The RRB currently estimates the completion time for manual Form BA–3a, Annual Report of Creditable