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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On June 15, 1984, OMB delegated to the Board authority under the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) to approve and assign OMB control numbers to collections of information conducted or sponsored by the Board. Board-approved collections of information are incorporated into the official OMB inventory of currently approved collections of information. The OMB inventory, as well as copies of the PRA Submission, supporting statements (which contain more detailed information about the information collections and burden estimates than this notice), and approved collection of information instrument(s) are available at <https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain>. These documents are also available on the Federal Reserve Board's public website at <https://www.federalreserve.gov/apps/reportingforms/home/review> or may be requested from the agency clearance officer, whose name appears above.

#### **Final Approval Under OMB Delegated Authority of the Extension for Three Years, Without Revision, of the Following Information Collection**

*Collection title:* Domestic Finance Company Report of Consolidated Assets and Liabilities.

*Collection identifier:* FR 2248.

*OMB control number:* 7100-0005.

*General description of collection:* The voluntary FR 2248 is collected monthly as of the last calendar day of the month from a stratified sample of finance companies. Each monthly report collects balance sheet data on major categories of consumer and business credit receivables and on major short-term liabilities. For quarter-end months, additional asset and liability items are collected to provide a full balance sheet. A supplemental section collects data on securitized assets. Board staff may ask either quantitative or qualitative questions through the use of a special addendum section no more than twice per year. The data are used to construct universe estimates of finance company holdings, which are published in several statistical releases.

*Frequency:* Monthly.

*Respondents:* Sample of 150 finance companies.

*Total estimated number of respondents:* 150.

*Total estimated annual burden hours:* 750.<sup>1</sup>

*Current actions:* On November 14, 2023, the Board published a notice in the **Federal Register** (88 FR 78022) requesting public comment for 60 days on the extension, without revision, of the FR 2248. The comment period for this notice expired on January 16, 2024. The Board did not receive any comments.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

**Ann Misback,**

*Secretary of the Board.*

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### **FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM**

#### **Agency Information Collection Activities: Announcement of Board Approval Under Delegated Authority and Submission to OMB**

**AGENCY:** Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

**SUMMARY:** The Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (Board) is adopting a proposal to extend for three years, without revision, the Quarterly Report of Interest Rates on Selected Direct Consumer Installment Loans and the Quarterly Report of Credit Card Plans (FR 2835 and FR 2835a; OMB No. 7100-0085).

#### **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On June 15, 1984, OMB delegated to the Board authority under the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) to approve and assign OMB control numbers to

<sup>1</sup> More detailed information regarding this collection, including more detailed burden estimates, can be found in the OMB Supporting Statement posted at <https://www.federalreserve.gov/apps/reportingforms/home/review>. On the page displayed at the link, you can find the OMB Supporting Statement by referencing the collection identifier, FR 2248.

collections of information conducted or sponsored by the Board. Board-approved collections of information are incorporated into the official OMB inventory of currently approved collections of information. The OMB inventory, as well as copies of the PRA Submission, supporting statements (which contain more detailed information about the information collections and burden estimates than this notice), and approved collection of information instrument(s) are available at <https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain>. These documents are also available on the Federal Reserve Board's public website at <https://www.federalreserve.gov/apps/reportingforms/home/review> or may be requested from the agency clearance officer, whose name appears above.

#### **Final Approval Under OMB Delegated Authority of the Extension for Three Years, Without Revision, of the Following Information Collection**

*Collection title:* Quarterly Report of Interest Rates on Selected Direct Consumer Installment Loans and the Quarterly Report of Credit Card Plans.

*Collection identifier:* FR 2835 and FR 2835a.

*OMB control number:* 7100-0085.

*General description of collection:* The FR 2835 collects information on interest rates on loans for new vehicles and loans for other consumer goods and personal expenses from a sample of commercial banks. The FR 2835a collects information on interest rates, finance charges, and loan balances for credit card accounts from a sample of commercial banks. The data from these reports help the Board analyze current household financial conditions and the implications of these conditions for household spending and, as such, these data provide valuable input to the monetary policymaking process. The data are also used to create aggregate statistics on consumer loan terms that are published in the some of the Federal Reserve's monthly statistical releases.

*Frequency:* Quarterly.

*Respondents:* The FR 2835 panel comprises a sample of commercial banks. The FR 2835a panel comprises a sample of commercial banks with \$1 billion or more in credit card receivables and a representative group of smaller issuers.

*Total estimated number of respondents:* 200.

*Total estimated annual burden hours:* 274.<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> More detailed information regarding this collection, including more detailed burden estimates, can be found in the OMB Supporting

*Current actions:* On November 14, 2023, the Board published a notice in the **Federal Register** (88 FR 78025) requesting public comment for 60 days on the extension, without revision, of the FR 2835 and FR 2835a. The comment period for this notice expired on January 16, 2024. The Board received one comment.

#### Detailed Discussion of Public Comments

The Board received one comment on the FR 2835 and FR 2835a from the U.S. Department of Commerce Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA). BEA was in strong support of the continued collection of the FR 2835 and FR 2835a data. The Board will adopt the extension, without revision of the FR 2835 and FR 2835a as originally proposed.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

**Ann Misback,**

*Secretary of the Board.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Administration for Children and Families

#### Proposed Information Collection Activity; 2024 National Survey of Early Care and Education Longitudinal Follow-Ups (Office of Management and Budget #: 0970-0391)

**AGENCY:** Office of Planning, Research, and Evaluation, Administration for Children and Families, Department of Health and Human Services.

**ACTION:** Request for public comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Administration for Children and Families (ACF), U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), is proposing a data collection activity to be conducted September 2024 through May 2025 as a follow-up of the 2024 National Survey of Early Care and Education (NSECE).

Statement posted at <https://www.federalreserve.gov/apps/reportingforms/home/review>. On the page displayed at the link, you can find the OMB Supporting Statement by referencing the collection identifier, FR 2835 and FR 2835a.

The objectives of the 2024 NSECE Longitudinal Follow-ups are to build on the design and implementation of the 2024 NSECE to collect urgently needed information on the following two topics relevant to early care and education (ECE) policy: (1) how households learn about and make use of financial assistance in seeking and selecting ECE, with additional focus on paid individual care arrangements; and (2) patterns of retention and attrition among individuals in the center-based ECE workforce.

**DATES:** *Comments due within 60 days of publication.* In compliance with the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, ACF is soliciting public comment on the specific aspects of the information collection described above.

**ADDRESSES:** You can obtain copies of the proposed collection of information and submit comments by emailing [OPREinfocollection@acf.hhs.gov](mailto:OPREinfocollection@acf.hhs.gov). Identify all requests by the title of the information collection.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Description:* The 2024 NSECE Longitudinal Follow-ups will consist of two nationally representative surveys:

1. a survey of households (1) with incomes under 300 percent of the federal poverty level (FPL) and with at least one resident child under the age of 9 years and/or (2) who had used paid care by an individual in the spring of 2024 (2024 NSECE Household Follow-up)

2. a survey of individuals who were employed in early 2024 in center-based ECE programs working directly with children in classrooms serving children age 5 years and under, not yet in kindergarten (2024 NSECE Workforce Follow-up).

Participants will be drawn from respondents to the 2024 NSECE Household and Workforce surveys.

The 2024 NSECE Longitudinal Follow-up data collection efforts will provide urgently needed information that will expand the potential of the 2024 NSECE data to describe: (1) households' search for and use of financial assistance for ECE (including assistance for paid individual care arrangements); and (2) employment experiences of individuals who have recently worked in center-based ECE classrooms. The household follow-up in

Fall 2024 will re-interview households participating in the 2024 NSECE who (1) report using paid individual ECE or (2) report incomes below 300 percent of the FPL and have at least one resident child under age 9 years. The workforce follow-up in early 2025 will re-interview individuals who participated in the 2024 NSECE workforce survey (*i.e.*, served as center-based classroom-assigned instructional staff between January and July 2024). Both follow-up surveys are designed to collect in-depth information that was not feasible to collect in the 2024 NSECE and which can be uniquely collected through re-interviews of selected 2024 NSECE participants. The household follow-up will include information about households' awareness of and experience with publicly funded ECE programs, how households selected ECE arrangements for Fall 2024, and who provided paid individual care to the households' children in early 2024. The workforce follow-up will include information about the experiences of ECE instructional staff over time, where workers who leave ECE employers or the ECE sector go and why they leave, and workers' experiences in various ECE settings throughout their ECE careers. Accurate data on families with young children and the experiences of ECE workers are essential to assess the current landscape of ECE, and to provide insights to advance ECE policy and initiatives. The household follow-up will be fielded using multi-mode survey methodologies in Fall 2024, and the workforce follow-up will be fielded using multi-mode survey methodologies in the first half of 2025. Both follow-ups will enhance the value of the 2024 NSECE by expanding the potential utility of those data to describe household and worker experiences over time and to address additional information needs.

*Respondents:* 1. Households participating in the 2024 NSECE and either a. reporting a paid individual ECE arrangement in the 2024 NSECE, or b. having at least one resident child under age 9 and who reported incomes under the 300 percent Federal poverty level in the 2024 NSECE. 2. Individuals who participated in the 2024 NSECE survey of center-based classroom-assigned instructional staff (workforce).