

would make DTC more effective and efficient in meeting the requirements of its participants and the markets it serves, in accordance with the requirements of Rule 17ad–22(e)(21).

*(B) Clearing Agency's Statement on Burden on Competition*

DTC believes that the proposed rule change to amend the Deposits Guide and the Operational Arrangements to reflect the upcoming migration of the DWAC functionality for Participants and FAST Agents from the legacy PTS/PBS system to the new SPA system would not have any impact on competition.<sup>15</sup> The proposed rule change would migrate the DWAC functionality to a system with enhanced usability and flexibility that will be available to all Participants and FAST Agents equally at no additional cost or effort to them. In light of the foregoing, DTC does not believe that the proposed rule change would impose a burden on competition.<sup>16</sup>

*(C) Clearing Agency's Statement on Comments on the Proposed Rule Change Received From Members, Participants, or Others*

DTC has not received or solicited any written comments relating to this proposal. If any written comments are received, they would be publicly filed as an Exhibit 2 to this filing, as required by Form 19b–4 and the General Instructions thereto.

Persons submitting comments are cautioned that, according to Section IV (Solicitation of Comments) of the Exhibit 1A in the General Instructions to Form 19b–4, the Commission does not edit personal identifying information from comment submissions. Commenters should submit only information that they wish to make available publicly, including their name, email address, and any other identifying information.

All prospective commenters should follow the Commission's instructions on how to submit comments, available at <https://www.sec.gov/regulatory-actions/how-to-submit-comments>. General questions regarding the rule filing process or logistical questions regarding this filing should be directed to the Main Office of the Commission's Division of Trading and Markets at [tradingandmarkets@sec.gov](mailto:tradingandmarkets@sec.gov) or 202–551–5777.

DTC reserves the right to not respond to any comments received.

**III. Date of Effectiveness of the Proposed Rule Change, and Timing for Commission Action**

The foregoing rule change has become effective pursuant to Section 19(b)(3)(A) of the Act and paragraph (f) of Rule 19b–4 thereunder. At any time within 60 days of the filing of the proposed rule change, the Commission summarily may temporarily suspend such rule change if it appears to the Commission that such action is necessary or appropriate in the public interest, for the protection of investors, or otherwise in furtherance of the purposes of the Act.

**IV. Solicitation of Comments**

Interested persons are invited to submit written data, views and arguments concerning the foregoing, including whether the proposed rule change is consistent with the Act. Comments may be submitted by any of the following methods:

*Electronic Comments*

- Use the Commission's internet comment form (<https://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml>); or
- Send an email to [rule-comments@sec.gov](mailto:rule-comments@sec.gov). Please include file number SR–DTC–2024–004 on the subject line.

*Paper Comments*

- Send paper comments in triplicate to Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549.

All submissions should refer to file number SR–DTC–2024–004. This file number should be included on the subject line if email is used. To help the Commission process and review your comments more efficiently, please use only one method. The Commission will post all comments on the Commission's internet website (<https://www.sec.gov/rules/sro.shtml>). Copies of the submission, all subsequent amendments, all written statements with respect to the proposed rule change that are filed with the Commission, and all written communications relating to the proposed rule change between the Commission and any person, other than those that may be withheld from the public in accordance with the provisions of 5 U.S.C. 552, will be available for website viewing and printing in the Commission's Public Reference Room, 100 F Street NE, Washington, DC 20549 on official business days between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. Copies of the filing also will be available for inspection and copying at the principal office of DTC and on DTCC's website ([dtcc.com/legal/](http://dtcc.com/legal/)

*sec-rule-filings*). Do not include personal identifiable information in submissions; you should submit only information that you wish to make available publicly. We may redact in part or withhold entirely from publication submitted material that is obscene or subject to copyright protection. All submissions should refer to File Number SR–DTC–2024–004 and should be submitted on or before May 2, 2024.

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.<sup>17</sup>

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*Assistant Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF STATE**

[Public Notice: 12372]

**Notice of Determinations; Culturally Significant Object Being Imported for Exhibition—Determinations: “Ink and Ivory: Drawings and Photographs Selected With James Ivory” Exhibition**

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given of the following determinations: I hereby determine that a certain object being imported from abroad pursuant to an agreement with its foreign owner or custodian for temporary display in the exhibition “Ink and Ivory: Drawings and Photographs Selected with James Ivory” at The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, New York, and at possible additional exhibitions or venues yet to be determined, is of cultural significance, and, further, that its temporary exhibition or display within the United States as aforementioned is in the national interest. I have ordered that Public Notice of these determinations be published in the **Federal Register**.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Reed Liriano, Program Coordinator, Office of the Legal Adviser, U.S. Department of State (telephone: 202–632–6471; email: [section2459@state.gov](mailto:section2459@state.gov)). The mailing address is U.S. Department of State, L/PD, 2200 C Street NW (SA–5), Suite 5H03, Washington, DC 20522–0505.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The foregoing determinations were made pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Act of October 19, 1965 (79 Stat. 985; 22 U.S.C. 2459), Executive Order 12047 of March 27, 1978, the Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act of 1998 (112 Stat. 2681, *et seq.*; 22 U.S.C.

<sup>17</sup> 17 CFR 200.30–3(a)(12).

<sup>15</sup> 15 U.S.C. 78q–1(b)(3)(I).

<sup>16</sup> *Id.*

6501 note, *et seq.*), Delegation of Authority No. 234 of October 1, 1999, Delegation of Authority No. 236–3 of August 28, 2000, and Delegation of Authority No. 523 of December 22, 2021.

**Nicole L. Elkon,**

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## DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 12375]

### Computer Matching Agreement Between the Social Security Administration and the Department of State Office of Retirement

**AGENCY:** Department of State (DOS).

**ACTION:** Notice of New Matching Program.

**SUMMARY:** The Social Security Administration (SSA) will provide the Department of State, Office of Retirement (DOS) Social Security numbers (SSN) verifications and Social Security disability benefit information concerning disability annuitants who are receiving Foreign Service Disability Annuity. DOS will use the benefit information to determine the offset amount for Foreign Service Disability Annuity payments.

**DATES:** Please submit comments on or before June 18, 2024. The matching program will begin on June 18, 2024, unless comments have been received from interested members of the public that require modification and republication of the notice. The matching program will continue for 18 months from the beginning date and may be extended an additional 12 months if the respective Data Integrity Boards determine that the matching program will be conducted without change; and DOS and SSA have conducted the matching program in compliance with the original agreement.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments via mail to: Edward Capers, Jr., Director, Department of State, Office of Retirement, Room SA–1 H620, 2401 E ST NW, Washington, DC 20522, telephone (202) 261–8960, or via email at [CapersE@State.Gov](mailto:CapersE@State.Gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Susan Farrar, Deputy Director, Department of State, Office of Retirement, at (202) 261–8961.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** DOS is required to reduce the Foreign Service

Disability annuities of individuals receiving Social Security disability benefits. DOS must rely on the annuitant to report the correct amount of Social Security benefits. However, DOS has found that many beneficiaries fail to report accurate information. Information from SSA is the most effective means available for verifying receipt and amount of Social Security disability benefits. The most cost-effective and efficient way to obtain this information is via the computer transfer matching process.

*Participating Agencies:* DOS and SSA.

*Authority for Conducting the Matching Program:* DOS's authority to participate in this matching program derives from the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended by the Computer Matching and Privacy Protection Act of 1988, and the regulations and guidance promulgated thereunder. Section 1106 of the Social Security Act (Act) (42 U.S.C. 1306) and the regulations promulgated thereunder provide legal authority for SSA's disclosures in this agreement (20 CFR part 401). Section 7213 of the Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004 (IRTPA) (Pub. L. 108–458) provides SSA authority to add a death indicator to verification routines that the agency determines to be appropriate.

*Purpose(s):* The purpose of this matching program between DOS and SSA is to assist DOS in meeting its legal obligation to offset specific benefits payable by DOS to Foreign Service disability annuitants, child survivor annuitants, and spousal survivor annuitants. SSA will disclose to DOS benefit information regarding individuals who receive benefits from SSA under Title II of the Social Security Act, which DOS will use to determine an individual's eligibility to receive benefits from DOS and to compute the benefits it provides at the correct rate.

*Categories of Individuals:* The individuals about whom DOS maintains information that are involved in this matching program include retired Federal Foreign Service employees who are eligible or potentially eligible to receive a disability annuity from DOS (Foreign Service disability annuitants), and surviving children and surviving spouses of those Foreign Service disability annuitants who are themselves eligible or potentially eligible to receive an annuity from DOS. The individuals about whom SSA maintains information that are involved in this matching program include those who receive benefits from SSA under Title II of the Social Security Act.

*Categories of Records:* The categories of records involved in the data match from DOS include information about those individuals who have applied for or are eligible or potentially eligible for Foreign Service disability annuitant benefits. Specifically, full name, Social Security number (SSN), date of birth, and a system indicator required to extract information from SSA's systems. For those individuals for whom SSA has a record, SSA will provide DOS with information about an individual's beneficiary status and any associated benefit information; for those individuals for whom SSA cannot match the SSN, SSA will return an appropriate code to DOS.

*System(s) of Records:* SSA's systems of records involved in this matching program are designated the Master Files of SSN Holders and SSN Applications (the Enumeration System), 60–0058, last fully published at 87 FR 263 on January 4, 2022. Master Beneficiary Record, 60–0090, last fully published on January 11, 2006 (71 FR 1826) and amended on December 10, 2007 (72 FR 69723) July 5, 2013 (78 FR 40542), July 3, 2018 (83 FR 31250–31251), and November 1, 2018 (83 FR 54969). DOS will provide data from Human Resources Records, State-31, last fully published on July 19, 2013 (78 FR 43258). The information in these systems of records may be updated during the effective period of this agreement as required by the Privacy Act. The systems of records involved in this information exchange have routine uses permitting the disclosures needed to conduct this exchange.

**Edward Capers, Jr.,**

*Director, Office of Retirement, U.S. Department of State.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice: 12376]

### Meeting on Implementation of the United States-Singapore Free Trade Agreement Environment Chapter and Biennial Review Under the United States-Singapore Memorandum of Intent on Environmental Cooperation

**AGENCY:** U.S. Department of State.

**ACTION:** Notice of meetings and request for comments; invitation to public session.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Department of State and the Office of the United States Trade Representative (USTR) are providing notice that the United States