

January 2024. Respondents complete Form SSA-308 during the initial claims process (only if filed before January 2024) as well as in post-entitlement situations when someone needs to report receipt of a new foreign pension

received before January 2024. The respondents are Title II Social Security retirement and disability applicants and beneficiaries who became entitled to their benefit after 1985 and who also received a foreign pension before

January 2024 while entitled to their Social Security benefit.

*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-308 .....	2,465	1	10	411	*\$22.39	** 23	*** \$30,361

\* We based this figure on the combined average DI payments based on SSA's current FY 2025 data (<https://www.ssa.gov/legislation/2024FactSheet.pdf>) and on the average U.S worker's hourly wages, as reported by Bureau of Labor Statistics data ([https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes\\_nat.htm](https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes_nat.htm)).

\*\* We based this figure on the average FY 2025 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.*

6. Request for Business Entity Taxpayer Information—0960-0731. SSA requires Law firms or other business entities to complete Form SSA-1694, Request for Business Entity Taxpayer Information, if they wish to serve as appointed representatives and receive direct payment of fees from SSA. SSA

uses the information to issue a Form 1099-MISC. SSA also uses the information to allow business entities to designate individuals to serve as entity administrators authorized to perform certain administrative duties on their behalf, such as providing bank account information, maintaining entity

information, and updating individual affiliations. Respondents are law firms or other business entities with attorneys or other qualified individuals as partners or employees who represent claimants before SSA.

*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) *	Total annual opportunity cost (dollars) **
SSA-1694 paper version .....	181	1	20	60	*\$84.84	** \$5,090

\* We based this figure on the average legal occupation's hourly salary, as reported by Bureau of Labor Statistics data ([https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes\\_nat.htm#00-00000](https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes_nat.htm#00-00000)).

\*\* 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.*

Dated: April 1, 2025.

**Tasha Harley,**  
*Acting Reports Clearance Officer, Social Security Administration.*

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Any inquiries on this request should be directed to [waybill@stb.gov](mailto:waybill@stb.gov).

**Jeffrey Herzig,**  
*Clearance Clerk.*

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Accounting, Bureau of the Fiscal Services, Parkersburg, West Virginia 26106-1328.

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**SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD**

**Release of Waybill Data**

The Surface Transportation Board has received a request from the University of Houston (WB25-13—3/31/25) for permission to use select data from the Board's 2010-2025 masked Carload Waybill Samples. A copy of this request may be obtained from the Board's website under docket no. WB25-13.

The waybill sample contains confidential railroad and shipper data; therefore, if any parties object to these requests, they should file their objections with the Director of the Board's Office of Economics within 14 calendar days of the date of this notice. The rules for release of waybill data are codified at 49 CFR 1244.9.

**DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY**

**Interest Rate Paid on Cash Deposited to Secure U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement Immigration Bonds**

**AGENCY:** Departmental Offices, Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** For the period beginning April 1, 2025, and ending on June 30, 2025, the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement Immigration Bond interest rate is 3 per centum per annum.

**DATES:** Rates are applicable April 1, 2025, to June 30, 2025.

**ADDRESSES:** Comments or inquiries may be mailed to Will Walcutt, Supervisor, Funds Management Branch, Funds Management Division, Fiscal

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ryan Hanna, Manager, Funds Management Branch, Funds Management Division, Fiscal Accounting, Bureau of the Fiscal Service, Parkersburg, West Virginia 261006-1328 (304) 480-5120; Will Walcutt, Supervisor, Funds Management Branch, Funds Management Division, Fiscal Accounting, Bureau of the Fiscal Services, Parkersburg, West Virginia 26106-1328, (304) 480-5117.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Federal law requires that interest payments on cash deposited to secure immigration bonds shall be "at a rate determined by the Secretary of the Treasury, except that in no case shall the interest rate exceed 3 per centum per annum." 8 U.S.C. 1363(a). Related Federal regulations state that "Interest on cash

deposited to secure immigration bonds will be at the rate as determined by the Secretary of the Treasury, but in no case will exceed 3 per centum per annum or be less than zero.” 8 CFR 293.2.

Treasury has determined that interest on the bonds will vary quarterly and will accrue during each calendar quarter at a rate equal to the lesser of the average of the bond equivalent rates on 91-day

Treasury bills auctioned during the preceding calendar quarter, or 3 per centum per annum, but in no case less than zero. [FR Doc. 2015–18545]. In addition to this Notice, Treasury posts the current quarterly rate in Table 2b—Interest Rates for Specific Legislation on the Treasury Direct website.

The Deputy Assistant Secretary for Public Finance, Gary Grippo, having reviewed and approved this document,

is delegating the authority to electronically sign this document to Heidi Cohen, Federal Register Liaison for the Department, for purposes of publication in the **Federal Register**.

**Heidi Cohen,**

*Federal Register Liaison.*

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