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All submissions should refer to File Number SR-CBOE-2019-037 and should be submitted on or before August 14, 2019.

For the Commission, by the Division of Trading and Markets, pursuant to delegated authority.¹⁶

Jill M. Peterson,
Assistant Secretary.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Disaster Declaration #16045 and #16046; OHIO Disaster Number OH-00061]

Presidential Declaration of a Major Disaster for Public Assistance Only for the State of Ohio

AGENCY: U.S. Small Business Administration.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This is a Notice of the Presidential declaration of a major disaster for Public Assistance Only for the State of Ohio (FEMA-4447-DR), dated 07/17/2019.

Incident: Severe Storms, Straight-line Winds, Tornadoes, Flooding, and Landslides.

Incident Period: 05/27/2019 through 05/29/2019.

DATES: Issued on 07/17/2019.

Physical Loan Application Deadline Date: 09/16/2019.

Economic Injury (EIDL) Loan Application Deadline Date: 04/17/2020.

ADDRESSES: Submit completed loan applications to: U.S. Small Business Administration, Processing and Disbursement Center, 14925 Kingsport Road, Fort Worth, TX 76155.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: A. Escobar, Office of Disaster Assistance, U.S. Small Business Administration, 409 3rd Street SW, Suite 6050, Washington, DC 20416, (202) 205-6734.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given that as a result of the President's major disaster declaration on 07/17/2019, Private Non-Profit organizations that provide essential services of a governmental nature may

file disaster loan applications at the address listed above or other locally announced locations.

The following areas have been determined to be adversely affected by the disaster:

Primary Counties: Columbiana, Greene, Mercer, Montgomery

The Interest Rates are:

	Percent
<i>For Physical Damage:</i>	
Non-Profit Organizations with Credit Available Elsewhere ...	2.750
Non-Profit Organizations without Credit Available Elsewhere	2.750
<i>For Economic Injury:</i>	
Non-Profit Organizations without Credit Available Elsewhere	2.750

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is 16045C and for economic injury is 160460.

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Cynthia Pitts,

Acting Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

[Disaster Declaration #16043 and #16044; TEXAS Disaster Number TX-00519]

Presidential Declaration of a Major Disaster for the State of TEXAS

AGENCY: U.S. Small Business Administration.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This is a Notice of the Presidential declaration of a major disaster for the State of Texas (FEMA-4454-DR), dated 07/17/2019.

Incident: Severe Storms and Flooding.

Incident Period: 06/24/2019 through 06/25/2019.

DATES: Issued on 07/17/2019.

Physical Loan Application Deadline Date: 09/16/2019.

Economic Injury (EIDL) Loan Application Deadline Date: 04/17/2020.

ADDRESSES: Submit completed loan applications to: U.S. Small Business Administration, Processing and Disbursement Center, 14925 Kingsport Road, Fort Worth, TX 76155.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: A. Escobar, Office of Disaster Assistance, U.S. Small Business Administration, 409 3rd Street SW, Suite 6050, Washington, DC 20416, (202) 205-6734.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given that as a result of the President's major disaster declaration on 07/17/2019, applications for disaster loans may be filed at the address listed above or other locally announced locations.

The following areas have been determined to be adversely affected by the disaster:

Primary Counties (Physical Damage and Economic Injury Loans): Cameron, Hidalgo, Willacy.

Contiguous Counties (Economic Injury Loans Only):

Texas: Brooks, Kenedy, Starr.

The Interest Rates are:

	Percent
<i>For Physical Damage:</i>	
Homeowners with Credit Available Elsewhere	3.875
Homeowners without Credit Available Elsewhere	1.938
Businesses with Credit Available Elsewhere	8.000
Businesses without Credit Available Elsewhere	4.000
Non-Profit Organizations with Credit Available Elsewhere ...	2.750
Non-Profit Organizations without Credit Available Elsewhere	2.750
<i>For Economic Injury:</i>	
Businesses & Small Agricultural Cooperatives without Credit Available Elsewhere	4.000
Non-Profit Organizations without Credit Available Elsewhere	2.750

The number assigned to this disaster for physical damage is 160436 and for economic injury is 160440.

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Cynthia Pitts,

Acting Associate Administrator for Disaster Assistance.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 10820]

30-Day Notice of Proposed Information Collection: National Security Language Initiative for Youth Evaluation

ACTION: Notice of request for public comment and submission to OMB of proposed collection of information.

SUMMARY: The Department of State has submitted the information collection described below to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for approval. In accordance with the

¹⁶ 17 CFR 200.30-3(a)(12).

Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 we are requesting comments on this collection from all interested individuals and organizations. The purpose of this Notice is to allow 30 days for public comment.

DATES: Submit comments directly to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) up to August 23, 2019.

ADDRESSES: Direct comments to the Department of State Desk Officer in the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs at the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). You may submit comments by the following methods:

- *Email:* oira_submission@omb.eop.gov. You must include the DS form number, information collection title, and the OMB control number in the subject line of your message.
- *Fax:* 202-395-5806. Attention: Desk Officer for Department of State.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Direct requests for additional information regarding the collection listed in this notice, including requests for copies of the proposed collection instrument and supporting documents, may be sent to Natalie Donahue, Chief of Evaluation, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, 2200 C St NW, Washington, DC 20037, who may be reached at (202) 632-6193 or DonahueNR@state.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

- *Title of Information Collection:* NSLI-Y Evaluation.
- *OMB Control Number:* None.
- *Type of Request:* New collection.
- *Originating Office:* Educational and Cultural Affairs (ECA/P/V).
- *Form Number:* No form.
- *Respondents:* NSLI-Y program alumni, their parents, local program coordinators or resident directors, and a small sample of U.S. high school teachers and administrators.
- *Estimated Number of Alumni Survey Respondents:* 5,390.
- *Estimated Number of Alumni Survey Responses:* 1,797.
- *Average Time per Alumni Survey:* 11.3 minutes.
- *Total Estimated Alumni Survey Burden Time:* 338.4 hours.
- *Estimated Number of Parent Survey Respondents:* 10,780.
- *Estimated Number of Parent Survey Responses:* 701.
- *Average Time per Parent Survey:* 8.6 minutes.
- *Total Estimated Parent Survey Burden Time:* 100.5 hours.
- *Estimated Number of Alumni Focus Group Participants:* 135.
- *Average Time per Alumni Focus Group:* 1.5 hours.

- *Total Estimated Alumni Focus Group Burden Time:* 202.5 hours.
- *Estimated Number of Parent Focus Group Participants:* 108.
- *Average Time per Parent Focus Group:* 1.5 hours.
- *Total Estimated Parent Focus Group Burden Time:* 162 hours.
- *Estimated Number of Local Coordinator/Resident Director Key Informant Interviews:* 35.
- *Average Time per Local Coordinator/Resident Director Key Informant:* 60 minutes.
- *Total Estimated Local Coordinator/Resident Director Key Informant Burden Time:* 35 hours.
- *Estimated Number of High School Teacher/Administrator Key Informant Interviews:* 25.
- *Average Time per High School Teacher/Administrator Key Informant:* 35 minutes.
- *Total Estimated High School Teacher/Administrator Key Informant Burden Time:* 14.6 hours.
- *Total Estimated Burden Time:* 853 annual hours.
- *Frequency:* Once.
- *Obligation to Respond:* Voluntary.

We are soliciting public comments to permit the Department to:

- Evaluate whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper functions of the Department.
- Evaluate the accuracy of our estimate of the time and cost burden for this proposed collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used.
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.
- Minimize the reporting burden on those who are to respond, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Please note that comments submitted in response to this Notice are public record. Before including any detailed personal information, you should be aware that your comments as submitted, including your personal information, will be available for public review.

Abstract of Proposed Collection

The National Security Language Initiative for Youth (NSLI-Y) is a scholarship program to enable American students aged 15-18 to study less commonly taught languages (Arabic, Chinese, Hindi, Indonesian, Korean, Persian, Russian, and Turkish) in summer or academic-year long programs in a variety of countries. In addition to increased language proficiency,

participants gain understanding of their host country and its culture. This program is funded pursuant to the Mutual Educational and Cultural Exchanges Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2451-2464).

In order to assess the efficacy and impact of NSLI-Y, the U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs (ECA) intends to conduct an evaluation of the program, which will include collection of data from program alumni between 2008 and 2017, their parents, a small sample of U.S. high school teachers and administrators, and local program coordinators and resident directors. As the NSLI-Y program has been run for more 10 years, ECA is conducting this evaluation to determine the extent to which the program is achieving its long-term goals. In order to do so, ECA has contracted Dexis Consulting Group to conduct surveys and focus groups with alumni and their parents and in-depth interviews with local program coordinators/resident directors and the sample of U.S. high school teachers and administrators.

Methodology

As baseline information is limited to the participants' language proficiency tests, it is necessary to collect information directly from program alumni to assess the impact of the NSLI-Y experience beyond language proficiency. As one source of information is potentially biased and limited, additional perspectives will be sought from their parents, who in most cases will have observed any changes in their children after program participation. As some information is easily collected via survey, both of these groups will receive online surveys, but a small number will also be invited to participate in focus groups in 6 cities to be selected (based on where the greatest concentrations of alumni currently reside) to explore key issues in greater depth. Local program coordinators/resident directors will also have identified changes in students over the period of their participation, and therefore, we propose to conduct individual interviews with them. Finally, the Department wishes to understand better the challenges for students in applying for and accepting scholarships, particularly related to participants' ability to obtain high school credit for their academic experience overseas. As these individuals' perspectives and state and district regulations may differ and to minimize the burden on these

respondents, individual interviews will be conducted.

Aleisha Woodward,
Deputy Assistant Secretary.

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SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

[Docket No. FD 35068]

Soo Line Railroad Company d/b/a Canadian Pacific Railway—Acquisition and Operation Exemption—BNSF Railway Company

On December 21, 2018, New Century Ag (NCA) filed a petition to reopen this proceeding or, in the alternative, to revoke under 49 U.S.C. 10502 the exemption authorizing Soo Line Railroad Company d/b/a Canadian Pacific Railway (CP) to acquire and operate the property interests of BNSF Railway Company (BNSF) in 35.26 miles of rail lines jointly owned by CP and BNSF and a contiguous 9.96-mile rail line solely owned by BNSF. By decision served on March 19, 2019, a proceeding was instituted under 49 U.S.C. 10502(d).

By decision served on April 22, 2019, the Board, noting that NCA's allegations raise concerns that may implicate other statutory provisions, held the proceeding in abeyance to allow NCA to consider all options for relief.¹ Following that decision, NCA informed the Board that it does not seek to initiate a new proceeding under other statutory provisions. (NCA Letter 2-3, Apr. 26, 2019.)

In light of this submission and the parties' responses regarding their interest in participating in Board-sponsored mediation, the Board will remove this proceeding from abeyance and schedule an oral argument on August 20, 2019, in Washington, DC. The Board expects NCA, CP, and BNSF to be prepared to discuss their respective arguments and evidence and to respond to questions from the Board. Each party will have 20 minutes of

argument time. NCA, as petitioner, may reserve part of its time for rebuttal if it so chooses. Details and instructions for participation and attendance at the hearing, including the time and specific location, will be issued in a separate decision.

It is ordered:

1. This proceeding is removed from abeyance.
2. An oral argument will be held in this proceeding, as discussed above.
3. This decision is effective on its service date.

Decided: July 19, 2019.

By the Board, Scott M. Zimmerman, Acting Director, Office of Proceedings.

Jeffrey Herzig,
Clearance Clerk.

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SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

[Docket No. FD 36299]

Soo Line Railroad Company—Petition for Declaratory Order and Preliminary Injunction—Interchange with Canadian National

On April 30, 2019, Soo Line Railroad Company d/b/a Canadian Pacific (CP) filed a petition for declaratory order and preliminary injunction arising from the termination of an interchange agreement with Wisconsin Central Ltd. d/b/a Canadian National (CN) in the Chicago Terminal Area. CP states that the agreement provides for interchange of CN and CP rail cars in Chicago, Ill., at Spaulding, where the two railroads physically connect. (CP Pet. 1.) According to CP, on March 11, 2019, CN gave CP notice that it would be terminating the interchange agreement effective May 10, 2019. (*Id.* at 2.) CP states in its petition that, instead of Spaulding, CN has stated that it will accept rail cars in interchange at CN's Kirk Yard in Gary, Ind. (*Id.*)

CP requested that the Board issue a declaratory order that CN's Kirk Yard is an unreasonable interchange location, and that the Board issue a preliminary injunction ordering CN to "continue to receive CP cars at Spaulding." (*Id.*) In its reply to the preliminary injunction request, CN stated that CP is "willing" to deliver CN-bound cars to the Belt Railway Company of Chicago's Clearing Yard, although CP and CN disagree on who should bear the expenses arising from that option. (CN Reply 1-2 (citing CP Pet., Exs. E & G).)

By decision served on May 9, 2019, the Board directed CN and CP to participate in Board-sponsored

mediation and noted its expectation that CN and CP would continue to interchange rail cars at Spaulding while they mediated the dispute. During the course of the mediation, the Board received several filings from CN and CP,¹ in addition to comments from members of the public, including citizens and local government entities, regarding rail traffic near the Spaulding interchange.

The Board has been informed that the mediation concluded unsuccessfully. As mediation has concluded and efforts between the parties to resolve the matter have been unsuccessful to date, the Board will hold an oral argument in this case on August 6, 2019, in Washington, DC. The Board directs CN and CP to participate in the oral argument and expects the parties to be prepared to discuss their arguments and evidence and respond to questions from the Board. Notices of intent to participate by other parties of record will be due by July 29, 2019. Further details regarding the oral argument, including the time and specific location, will be issued in a separate decision.

It is ordered:

1. All filings by CN and CP to date are accepted into the record.
2. An oral argument will be held in this proceeding, as discussed above.
3. This decision is effective on the date of service.

Decided: July 19, 2019.

By the Board, Scott M. Zimmerman, Acting Director, Office of Proceedings.

Jeffrey Herzig,
Clearance Clerk.

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Transit Administration

Notice To Rescind Notice of Intent To Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for the GA 400 Transit Initiative in Fulton County, Georgia

AGENCY: Federal Transit Administration (FTA), DOT.

ACTION: Rescind Notice of Intent to prepare an environmental impact statement.

SUMMARY: The FTA in cooperation with the Metropolitan Atlanta Rapid Transit Authority (MARTA) is issuing this notice to advise the public that the Notice of Intent (NOI) to prepare an

¹ The parties were also asked to inform the Board if they were interested in participating in Board-sponsored mediation. With respect to mediation, NCA and BNSF state that they are agreeable to Board-sponsored mediation. (*Id.* at 4; BNSF Letter 1, Apr. 26, 2019.) CP states that it is willing to engage with NCA either directly or through the Board's Rail Customer and Public Assistance program, but that it has no interest in reopening negotiations with BNSF. (CP Letter 3, May 15, 2019.) On June 27, 2019, NCA filed a letter objecting to CP's proposed exclusion of BNSF from mediation and requesting that the Board either order three-party mediation or issue a decision on the merits. (NCA Letter 2, June 27, 2019.) The Board has not ordered mediation at this time.

¹ To the extent any of the submissions by CN or CP may be considered replies to replies under 49 CFR 1104.13(c), those submissions will be accepted in the interest of a more complete record.