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Privacy Impact Assessment
for the
Planning and Budgeting Products (PBP)

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U.S. Department of Commerce Privacy Impact Assessment
USPTO Planning and budgeting Products (PBP)

Unique Project Identifier: PTOC-030-00

Introduction: System Description

Provide a brief description of the information system.

Planning and Budgeting Products (PBP) is a Master System composed of the following three (3) subsystems: 1) Activity Based Information System (ABIS), 2) Analytics and Financial Forecasting (AFF), and 3) Enterprise Budgeting Tool (EBT).

Activity Based Information System (ABIS)
ABIS utilizes a COTS product, CostPerform, to streamline and automate business processes. The system capabilities include: 1) develop, update and maintain the Activity Based Costing (ABC) models, 2) assist in preparing quarterly reports and briefings which are utilized to communicate with Program Managers and Executives in USPTO; 3) assist in preparing quarterly Statement of Net Cost and supporting notes, and 4) provide cost input and analysis for the Annual
Performance and Accountability Report perform ad hoc cost studies on proposed fee legislation, OMB, and Congressional inquiries and internal management requests.

Analytics and Financial Forecasting (AFF)
The Analytics and Financial Forecasting (AFF) system improves and supports the analysis of fee collection information and decision-making by providing the ability to load, manipulate, query, model, analyze, and report fee collections and forecasting data as needed. The purpose of the system is to address identified business problems and risks associated with manually intensive processes through automation and to provide the USPTO with a powerful forecasting tool to provide inputs to other business processes and to decision-making.

Enterprise Budgeting Tool (EBT)
The USPTO Enterprise Budgeting Tool (EBT) is a central planning and budgeting application supporting various organizations across the USPTO. The software behind EBT, Oracle Hyperion Planning and Oracle Analytic Server (OAS), provides automation throughout the USPTO's budgeting lifecycle.

Address the following elements:

(a) Whether it is a general support system, major application, or other type of system
PBP is a major application.

(b) System location
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(c) Whether it is a standalone system or interconnects with other systems (identifying and describing any other systems to which it interconnects)
PBP interconnects with the following systems.

Database Services (DBS) - DBS is an Infrastructure information system which provides a Database Infrastructure to support the mission of USPTO database needs.

Enterprise Windows Servers (EWS) - EWS is an Infrastructure information system which provides a hosting platform for major applications that support various USPTO missions.

Enterprise UNIX Services (EUS) - EUS consists of assorted UNIX operating system variants (OS), each comprised of many utilities along with the master control program, the kernel.

Enterprise Desktop Platform (EDP) - EDP is an infrastructure information system which provides a standard enterprise-wide environment that manages desktops and laptops running on the Windows 10 operating system (OS) thereby providing United States Government Configuration Baseline (USGCB) compliant workstations.

Enterprise Software Services (ESS) - ESS system provides an architecture capable supporting current software services as well as provide the necessary architecture to support the growth anticipated over the next five years.

Network and Security Infrastructure System (NSI) - NSI is an Infrastructure information system, and provides an aggregate of subsystems that facilitates the communications, secure access, protective services, and network infrastructure support for all United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) IT applications.

Information Delivery Product (IDP) - is a Master System composed of the following two (3) subsystems: 1) Enterprise Data Warehouse (EDW), 2) Electronic Library for Financial Management System (EL4FMS) and 3) Financial Enterprise Data Management Tools (FEDMT)

Security and Compliance Services (SCS) - SCS provides Security Incident and Event Management, Enterprise Forensic, Enterprise Management System, Security and Defense, Enterprise Scanner, Enterprise Cybersecurity Monitoring Operations, Performance Monitoring Tools, Dynamic Operational Support Plan, & Situational Awareness and Incident Response.

Service Oriented Infrastructure System (SOI) - The SOI is a General Support System (GSS) (Infrastructure information system) that provides the underlying services which

provide a mobile, feature-rich, and stable platform upon which USPTO applications can be deployed.

(d) The way the system operates to achieve the purpose(s) identified in Section 4

PBP implements a large, distributed and complex computing environment and each of its applications resides physically on a collection of hardware and software subsystems. PBP uses the USPTO's network infrastructure to allow interaction between subsystems.

(e) How information in the system is retrieved by the user

Users enter orders directly, receive the orders, and make inquiries via USPTO Net

(f) How information is transmitted to and from the system

Information is transmitted to and from the system via the internet.

(g) Any information sharing

All information processed is for USPTO internal use only.

(h) The specific programmatic authorities (statutes or Executive Orders) for collecting, maintaining, using, and disseminating the information

The citation of the legal authority to collect PII and/or BII is 5 U.S.C. 301, 15 U.S.C. 1051 et seq., 35 U.S.C. 2, 35 U.S.C. 42, and E.O.12862.

(i) The Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) 199 security impact category for the system

Moderate

Section 1: Status of the Information System

1.1   Indicate whether the information system is a new or existing system.

☐ This is a new information system.

☐ This is an existing information system with changes that create new privacy risks. *(Check all that apply.)*

Changes That Create New Privacy Risks (CTCNPR)					
a. Conversions	☐	d. Significant Merging	☐	g. New Interagency Uses	☐
b. Anonymous to Non-Anonymous	☐	e. New Public Access	☐	h. Internal Flow or Collection	☐
c. Significant System Management Changes	☐	f. Commercial Sources	☐	i. Alteration in Character of Data	☐
j. Other changes that create new privacy risks (specify):					

☐ This is an existing information system in which changes do not create new privacy risks,

and there is not a SAOP approved Privacy Impact Assessment.

☒ This is an existing information system in which changes do not create new privacy risks, and there is a SAOP approved Privacy Impact Assessment.

Section 2: Information in the System

2.1   Indicate what personally identifiable information (PII)/business identifiable information (BII) is collected, maintained, or disseminated. *(Check all that apply.)*

Identifying Numbers (IN)					
a. Social Security*	☐	f. Driver's License	☐	j. Financial Account	☐
b. Taxpayer ID	☐	g. Passport	☐	k. Financial Transaction	☐
c. Employer ID	☐	h. Alien Registration	☐	l. Vehicle Identifier	☐
d. Employee ID	☒	i. Credit Card	☐	m. Medical Record	☐
e. File/Case ID	☐				
n. Other identifying numbers (specify):					
*Explanation for the business need to collect, maintain, or disseminate the Social Security number, including truncated form:					

General Personal Data (GPD)					
a. Name	☒	h. Date of Birth	☐	o. Financial Information	☐
b. Maiden Name	☐	i. Place of Birth	☐	p. Medical Information	☐
c. Alias	☐	j. Home Address	☐	q. Military Service	☐
d. Gender	☐	k. Telephone Number	☐	r. Criminal Record	☐
e. Age	☐	l. Email Address	☐	s. Marital Status	☐
f. Race/Ethnicity	☐	m. Education	☐	t. Mother's Maiden Name	☐
g. Citizenship	☐	n. Religion	☐		
u. Other general personal data (specify):					

Work-Related Data (WRD)					
a. Occupation	☒	e. Work Email Address	☒	i. Business Associates	☐
b. Job Title	☒	f. Salary	☒	j. Proprietary or Business Information	☐
c. Work Address	☒	g. Work History	☐	k. Procurement/contracting records	☐
d. Work Telephone Number	☒	h. Employment Performance Ratings or other Performance Information	☐		
l. Other work-related data (specify):					

Distinguishing Features/Biometrics (DFB)

a. Fingerprints	☐	f. Scars, Marks, Tattoos	☐	k. Signatures	☐
b. Palm Prints	☐	g. Hair Color	☐	l. Vascular Scans	☐
c. Voice/Audio Recording	☐	h. Eye Color	☐	m. DNA Sample or Profile	☐
d. Video Recording	☐	i. Height	☐	n. Retina/Iris Scans	☐
e. Photographs	☐	j. Weight	☐	o. Dental Profile	☐
p. Other distinguishing features/biometrics (specify):					

System Administration/Audit Data (SAAD)

a. User ID	☒	c. Date/Time of Access	☒	e. ID Files Accessed	☐
b. IP Address	☐	f. Queries Run	☐	f. Contents of Files	☐
g. Other system administration/audit data (specify):					

Other Information (specify)

2.2 Indicate sources of the PII/BII in the system. *(Check all that apply.)*

Directly from Individual about Whom the Information Pertains

In Person	☐	Hard Copy: Mail/Fax	☐	Online	☐
Telephone	☐	Email	☐		
Other (specify):					

Government Sources

Within the Bureau	☒	Other DOC Bureaus	☐	Other Federal Agencies	☐
State, Local, Tribal	☐	Foreign	☐		
Other (specify):					

Non-government Sources

Public Organizations	☐	Private Sector	☐	Commercial Data Brokers	☐
Third Party Website or Application			☐		
Other (specify):					

2.3 Describe how the accuracy of the information in the system is ensured.

USPTO implements security and management controls to prevent the inappropriate disclosure of sensitive information. Security controls are employed to ensure information is resistant to tampering, remains confidentiality, and is available as intended by the agency and expected by authorized users. Management controls are utilized to prevent the inappropriate disclosure of sensitive information. In addition, the Perimeter Network (NSI) and SCS provide additional automated transmission and monitoring mechanisms to ensure that PII/BII information is protected and not breached by external entities.

2.4   Is the information covered by the Paperwork Reduction Act?

☐	Yes, the information is covered by the Paperwork Reduction Act. Provide the OMB control number and the agency number for the collection.
☒	No, the information is not covered by the Paperwork Reduction Act.

2.5   Indicate the technologies used that contain PII/BII in ways that have not been previously deployed. *(Check all that apply.)*

Technologies Used Containing PII/BII Not Previously Deployed (TUCPBNPD)			
Smart Cards	☐	Biometrics	☐
Caller-ID	☐	Personal Identity Verification (PIV) Cards	☐
Other (specify):			

☒	There are not any technologies used that contain PII/BII in ways that have not been previously deployed.

Section 3: System Supported Activities

3.1   Indicate IT system supported activities which raise privacy risks/concerns. *(Check all that apply.)*

Activities			
Audio recordings	☐	Building entry readers	☐
Video surveillance	☐	Electronic purchase transactions	☐
Other (specify):			

☒	There are not any IT system supported activities which raise privacy risks/concerns.

Section 4: Purpose of the System

4.1 Indicate why the PII/BII in the IT system is being collected, maintained, or disseminated. *(Check all that apply.)*

Purpose			
For a Computer Matching Program	☐	For administering human resources programs	☐
For administrative matters	☒	To promote information sharing initiatives	☐
For litigation	☐	For criminal law enforcement activities	☐
For civil enforcement activities	☐	For intelligence activities	☐
To improve Federal services online	☐	For employee or customer satisfaction	☐
For web measurement and customization technologies (single-session)	☐	For web measurement and customization technologies (multi-session)	☐
Other (specify):			

Section 5: Use of the Information

5.1 In the context of functional areas (business processes, missions, operations, etc.) supported by the IT system, describe how the PII/BII that is collected, maintained, or disseminated will be used. Indicate if the PII/BII identified in Section 2.1 of this document is in reference to a federal employee/contractor, member of the public, foreign national, visitor or other (specify).

> Activity Based Information System (ABIS): COTS product, CostPerform used to streamline and automate cost accounting business processes. ABIS does not contain PII.
>
> Analytics and Financial Forecasting (AFF): COTS product used to improve and support the analysis of fee collection information for decision-making by providing the ability to load, manipulate, query, model, analyze, and report fee collections and forecasting data as needed. AFF does not contain PII.
>
> Enterprise Budgeting Tool (EBT): EBT COTS product under development, but currently supporting budget formulation and compensation projection.

5.2 Describe any potential threats to privacy, such as insider threat, as a result of the bureau's/operating unit's use of the information, and controls that the bureau/operating unit has put into place to ensure that the information is handled, retained, and disposed appropriately. (For example: mandatory training for system users regarding appropriate handling of information, automatic purging of information in accordance with the retention schedule, etc.)

Inadvertent exposure of private information is a risk, as well as insider threat and adversarial entities and USPTO has policies, procedures and training to ensure that employees are aware of their responsibility of protecting sensitive information and the negative impact on the agency if there is a loss, misuse, or unauthorized access to or modification of sensitive private information.

USPTO requires annual security role-based training and annual mandatory security awareness procedure training for all employees.

The following are USPTO current policies; Information Security Foreign Travel Policy (OCIO-POL-6), IT Privacy Policy - (OCIO- POL18), IT Security Education Awareness Training Policy (OCIO-POL-19), Personally Identifiable Data Removal Policy (OCIO-POL-23), USPTO Rules of the Road (OCIO-POL- 36). All offices of USPTO adhere to USPTO Records Management Office's Comprehensive Records Schedule that describes the types of USPTO records and their corresponding disposition authority or citation.

Section 6: Information Sharing and Access

6.1   Indicate with whom the bureau intends to share the PII/BII in the IT system and how the PII/BII will be shared. *(Check all that apply.)*

Recipient	How Information will be Shared		
	Case-by-Case	Bulk Transfer	Direct Access
Within the bureau	☒	☐	☐
DOC bureaus	☐	☐	☐
Federal agencies	☐	☐	☐
State, local, tribal gov't agencies	☐	☐	☐
Public	☐	☐	☐
Private sector	☐	☐	☐
Foreign governments	☐	☐	☐
Foreign entities	☐	☐	☐
Other (specify):	☐	☐	☐

☐	The PII/BII in the system will not be shared.

6.2   Does the DOC bureau/operating unit place a limitation on re-dissemination of PII/BII shared with external agencies/entities?

☐	Yes, the external agency/entity is required to verify with the DOC bureau/operating unit before re-dissemination of PII/BII.
☐	No, the external agency/entity is not required to verify with the DOC bureau/operating unit before re-dissemination of PII/BII.
☒	No, the bureau/operating unit does not share PII/BII with external agencies/entities.

6.3   Indicate whether the IT system connects with or receives information from any other IT systems authorized to process PII and/or BII.

☒	Yes, this IT system connects with or receives information from another IT system(s) authorized to process PII and/or BII. Provide the name of the IT system and describe the technical controls which prevent PII/BII leakage: USPTO Systems: *Enterprise Software Services (ESS)* - ESS system provides an architecture capable supporting current software services as well as provide the necessary architecture to support the growth anticipated over the next five years. *Information Delivery Product (IDP)* - is a Master System composed of the following two (3) subsystems: 1) Enterprise Data Warehouse (EDW), 2) Electronic Library for Financial Management System (EL4FMS) and 3) Financial Enterprise Data Management Tools (FEDMT) *Security and Compliance Services (SCS)* - SCS provides Security Incident and Event Management, Enterprise Forensic, Enterprise Management System, Security and Defense, Enterprise Scanner, Enterprise Cybersecurity Monitoring Operations, Performance Monitoring Tools, Dynamic Operational Support Plan, & Situational Awareness and Incident Response.
☐	No, this IT system does not connect with or receive information from another IT system(s) authorized to process PII and/or BII.

6.4   Identify the class of users who will have access to the IT system and the PII/BII. *(Check all that apply.)*

Class of Users			
General Public	☐	Government Employees	☒
Contractors	☒		
Other (specify):			

Section 7: Notice and Consent

7.1   Indicate whether individuals will be notified if their PII/BII is collected, maintained, or disseminated by the system. *(Check all that apply.)*

☒	Yes, notice is provided pursuant to a system of records notice published in the Federal Register and discussed in Section 9.	
☒	Yes, notice is provided by a Privacy Act statement and/or privacy policy. The Privacy Act statement and/or privacy policy can be found at: _ https://www.uspto.gov/privacy-policy	
☒	Yes, notice is provided by other means.	Specify how: PBP receives PII indirectly from other application systems (i.e. front-end systems). Individuals may be notified that their PII is collected, maintained, or disseminated by the primary application ingress system (i.e. HR systems that feed to EDW).

☐	No, notice is not provided.	Specify why not:

7.2   Indicate whether and how individuals have an opportunity to decline to provide PII/BII.

☐	Yes, individuals have an opportunity to decline to provide PII/BII.	Specify how:
☒	No, individuals do not have an opportunity to decline to provide PII/BII.	Specify why not: PBP receives PII indirectly from other application systems (i.e. front-end systems). These front-end systems provide this functionality for the data that is being collected. PBP has no authorization to decline any type of information since it is owned by the primary application.

7.3   Indicate whether and how individuals have an opportunity to consent to particular uses of their PII/BII.

☐	Yes, individuals have an opportunity to consent to particular uses of their PII/BII.	Specify how:
☒	No, individuals do not have an opportunity to consent to particular uses of their PII/BII.	Specify why not: PBP receives PII indirectly from other application systems (i.e. front-end systems). These front-end systems provide this functionality for the data that is being collected and PBP does not have the ability to provide the ability to consent for users.

7.4   Indicate whether and how individuals have an opportunity to review/update PII/BII pertaining to them.

☒	Yes, individuals have an opportunity to review/update PII/BII pertaining to them.	Specify how: Employees have the opportunity to update account information in the Human Resources source systems that feed to EDW that feeds to PBP at any time. However, individuals do not review/update PII in PBP systems as they do not access PBP systems.
☐	No, individuals do not have an opportunity to review/update PII/BII pertaining to them.	Specify why not:

Section 8: Administrative and Technological Controls

8.1   Indicate the administrative and technological controls for the system. *(Check all that apply.)*

☒	All users signed a confidentiality agreement or non-disclosure agreement.
☒	All users are subject to a Code of Conduct that includes the requirement for confidentiality.

☒	Staff (employees and contractors) received training on privacy and confidentiality policies and practices.
☒	Access to the PII/BII is restricted to authorized personnel only.
☒	Access to the PII/BII is being monitored, tracked, or recorded. Explanation: The PBP system has implemented logging, auditing, and monitoring tools to track access to PII.
☒	The information is secured in accordance with the Federal Information Security Modernization Act (FISMA) requirements. Provide date of most recent Assessment and Authorization (A&A): 7/7/21 ☐ This is a new system. The A&A date will be provided when the A&A package is approved.
☒	The Federal Information Processing Standard (FIPS) 199 security impact category for this system is a moderate or higher.
☒	NIST Special Publication (SP) 800-122 and NIST SP 800-53 Revision 4 Appendix J recommended security controls for protecting PII/BII are in place and functioning as intended; or have an approved Plan of Action and Milestones (POA&M).
☒	A security assessment report has been reviewed for the information system and it has been determined that there are no additional privacy risks.
☒	Contractors that have access to the system are subject to information security provisions in their contracts required by DOC policy.
☐	Contracts with customers establish DOC ownership rights over data including PII/BII.
☐	Acceptance of liability for exposure of PII/BII is clearly defined in agreements with customers.
☐	Other (specify):

8.2　Provide a general description of the technologies used to protect PII/BII on the IT system. *(Include data encryption in transit and/or at rest, if applicable).*

Personally identifiable information in PBP is secured using appropriate administrative, physical, and technical safeguards in accordance with the applicable federal laws, Executive Orders, directives, policies, regulations, and standards.

All access has role based restrictions, and individuals with access privileges have undergone vetting and suitability screening. Data is maintained in areas accessible only to authorize personnel. The USPTO maintains an audit trail and performs random periodic reviews to identify unauthorized access.

Additionally, PBP is secured by various USPTO infrastructure components, including the Network and Security Infrastructure (NSI) system and other OCIO established technical controls to include password authentication at the server and database levels.

Section 9: Privacy Act

9.1　Is the PII/BII searchable by a personal identifier (e.g, name or Social Security number)?

　　☒　　Yes, the PII/BII is searchable by a personal identifier.

　　☐　　No, the PII/BII is not searchable by a personal identifier.

9.2　Indicate whether a system of records is being created under the Privacy Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552a. *(A new system of records notice (SORN) is required if the system is not covered*

by an existing SORN).

As per the Privacy Act of 1974, "the term 'system of records' means a group of any records under the control of any agency from which information is retrieved by the name of the individual or by some identifying number, symbol, or other identifying particular assigned to the individual."

☒	Yes, this system is covered by an existing system of records notice (SORN). Provide the SORN name, number, and link. *(list all that apply)*: COMMERCE/DEPT-1: Attendance, Leave, and Payroll Records of Employees and Certain Other Persons.
☐	Yes, a SORN has been submitted to the Department for approval on (date).
☐	No, this system is not a system of records and a SORN is not applicable.

Section 10: Retention of Information

10.1   Indicate whether these records are covered by an approved records control schedule and monitored for compliance. *(Check all that apply.)*

☒	There is an approved record control schedule. Provide the name of the record control schedule: GRS 1.1, item 001, Financial Management and Reporting Administrative Records.
☐	No, there is not an approved record control schedule. Provide the stage in which the project is in developing and submitting a records control schedule:
☒	Yes, retention is monitored for compliance to the schedule.
☐	No, retention is not monitored for compliance to the schedule. Provide explanation:

10.2   Indicate the disposal method of the PII/BII. *(Check all that apply.)*

Disposal			
Shredding	☐	Overwriting	☐
Degaussing	☐	Deleting	☒
Other (specify):			

Section 11: NIST Special Publication 800-122 PII Confidentiality Impact Level

11.1   Indicate the potential impact that could result to the subject individuals and/or the organization if PII were inappropriately accessed, used, or disclosed. *(The PII*

Confidentiality Impact Level is not the same, and does not have to be the same, as the Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS) 199 security impact category.)

☒	Low – the loss of confidentiality, integrity, or availability could be expected to have a limited adverse effect on organizational operations, organizational assets, or individuals.
☐	Moderate – the loss of confidentiality, integrity, or availability could be expected to have a serious adverse effect on organizational operations, organizational assets, or individuals.
☐	High – the loss of confidentiality, integrity, or availability could be expected to have a severe or catastrophic adverse effect on organizational operations, organizational assets, or individuals.

11.2   Indicate which factors were used to determine the above PII confidentiality impact level. *(Check all that apply.)*

☒	Identifiability	Provide explanation: Name, telephone number, User ID, Work address, Work email, Work phone number and Job title together can identify an individual.
☒	Quantity of PII	Provide explanation: The number of data times collected is not large enough to cause concern if disclosed.
☒	Data Field Sensitivity	Provide explanation: Data includes limited personal and work related elements. Disclosure or unauthorized access will have a low impact on the organization.
☒	Context of Use	Provide explanation: PII is used for administrative purposes only.
☒	Obligation to Protect Confidentiality	Provide explanation: Based on the data collected USPTO must protect the PII of each individual in accordance to the Privacy Act of 1974.
☒	Access to and Location of PII	Provide explanation: Due to obtaining PII, necessary measures must be taken to ensure the confidentiality of information during processing, storing and transmission.
☐	Other:	Provide explanation:

Section 12: Analysis

12.1   Identify and evaluate any potential threats to privacy that exist in light of the information collected or the sources from which the information is collected. Also, describe the choices that the bureau/operating unit made with regard to the type or quantity of information collected and the sources providing the information in order to prevent or mitigate threats to privacy. (For example: If a decision was made to collect less data, include a discussion of this decision; if it is necessary to obtain information from sources other than the individual, explain why.)

Insider threats and adversarial entities are the potential threats to privacy within the system. USPTO has policies, procedures and training to ensure that employees are aware of their responsibility of protecting sensitive information and the negative impact on the agency if there is a loss, misuse, or unauthorized access to or modification of sensitive private information. USPTO requires annual security role-based training and annual mandatory security awareness procedure training for all employees.

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12.2   Indicate whether the conduct of this PIA results in any required business process changes.

☐	Yes, the conduct of this PIA results in required business process changes. Explanation:
☒	No, the conduct of this PIA does not result in any required business process changes.

12.3   Indicate whether the conduct of this PIA results in any required technology changes.

☐	Yes, the conduct of this PIA results in required technology changes. Explanation:
☒	No, the conduct of this PIA does not result in any required technology changes.

Points of Contact and Signatures

System Owner Name: Christopher Tegarden Office: Office of the Chief Financial Officer (C/CFO) Phone: (571) 272-8423 Email: Christopher.Tegarden1@uspto.gov I certify that this PIA is an accurate representation of the security controls in place to protect PII/BII processed on this IT system. Signature: Users, Tegarden, Christopher — Digitally signed by Users, Tegarden, Christopher Date: 2022.04.11 11:37:08 -04'00' Date signed: _____	**Chief Information Security Officer** Name: Don Watson Office: Office of the Chief Information Officer (OCIO) Phone: (571) 272-8130 Email: Don.Watson@uspto.gov I certify that this PIA is an accurate representation of the security controls in place to protect PII/BII processed on this IT system. Signature: Users, Watson, Don — Digitally signed by Users, Watson, Don Date: 2022.04.12 20:51:00 -04'00' Date signed: _____
Privacy Act Officer Name: Ezequiel Berdichevsky Office: Office of General Law (O/GL) Phone: (571) 270-1557 Email: Ezequiel.Berdichevsky@uspto.gov I certify that the appropriate authorities and SORNs (if applicable) are cited in this PIA. Signature: Users, Berdichevsky, Ezequiel — Digitally signed by Users, Berdichevsky, Ezequiel Date: 2022.04.11 09:54:04 -04'00' Date signed: _____	**Bureau Chief Privacy Officer and Co-Authorizing Official** Name: Henry J. Holcombe Office: Office of the Chief Information Officer (OCIO) Phone: (571) 272-9400 Email: Jamie.Holcombe@uspto.gov I certify that the PII/BII processed in this IT system is necessary, this PIA ensures compliance with DOC policy to protect privacy, and the Bureau/OU Privacy Act Officer concurs with the SORNs and authorities cited. Signature: Users, Holcombe, Henry — Digitally signed by Users, Holcombe, Henry Date: 2022.04.19 09:00:27 -04'00' Date signed: _____
Co-Authorizing Official Name: Dennis J. Hoffman Office: Office of the Chief Financial Officer (C/CFO) Phone: (571) 272-9200 Email: Jay.Hoffman@uspto.gov I certify that this PIA accurately reflects the representations made to me herein by the System Owner, the Chief Information Security Officer, and the Chief Privacy Officer regarding security controls in place to protect PII/BII in this PIA. Signature: Users, Hoffman, Dennis (Jay) — Digitally signed by Users, Hoffman, Dennis (Jay) Date: 2022.04.20 15:27:53 -04'00' Date signed: _____	

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