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Statutory Authority: Sections 412(c)(1)(B) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) (8 U.S.C. 1522(c)(1)(B))

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Office of Refugee Resettlement

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Notice of FY 2013 Refugee Targeted Assistance Formula Awards to States and Wilson/Fish Alternative Project Grantees

AGENCY: Office of Refugee Resettlement, ACF, HHS.

ACTION: Notice of awards.

SUMMARY: The Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR), Administration for Children and Families (ACF), announces the allocation of Refugee Targeted Assistance formula awards to States and Wilson/Fish Alternative Project grantees.

DATES: The awards are effective immediately.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Henley Portner, Office of the Director, Office of Refugee Resettlement, (202) 401-5363, Henley.Portner@acf.hhs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Refugee Targeted Assistance award allocations are available on the ORR Web page. The table of FY 2013 Allocations to Counties and Targeted Assistance Areas and the Table of FY 2013 Allocations to States may be found at: <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/orr/spotlight/#announcements>.

The purpose of the Targeted Assistance program is to provide employment and other resettlement services to refugees, Amerasians, asylees, Cuban and Haitian entrants, victims of trafficking, and Iraqis and Afghans with Special Immigrant Visas. The grants are awarded to States on behalf of counties with the greatest number of arrivals of the eligible populations. Services provided are intended to assist refugees obtain employment within one year's participation in the program and to achieve self-sufficiency. Awards are determined by the number of the eligible populations residing in each county during the two-year period from October 1, 2010, to September 30, 2012.

Funds must be obligated by September 30, 2014, and funds must be expended by September 30, 2015.

ACF reminds recipients and members of the public that a **Federal Register** notice, concerning a change in procedures that requires electronic submission of State/Tribal plans and reporting, is open for comment through August 27, 2013. The notice is available in **Federal Register**, Volume 78, No. 125, published on June 28, 2013, and at <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2013-06-28/pdf/2013-15465.pdf>.

Statutory Authority: Section 412(c)(2)(A) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) (8 U.S.C. 1522).

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Coast Guard

[Docket No. USCG-2013-0756]

Merchant Marine Personnel Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DHS.

ACTION: Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting.

SUMMARY: The Merchant Marine Personnel Advisory Committee (MERPAC) will meet on September 11, 2013 and September 12, 2013 in Linthicum Heights, MD, to discuss various issues related to the training and fitness of merchant marine personnel. This meeting will be open to the public.

DATES: MERPAC working groups will meet on September 11, 2013, from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m., and the full committee will meet on September 12, 2013, from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. Please note that this meeting may adjourn early if all business is finished.

ADDRESSES: The Committee will meet in Room A-111/113 of the Maritime Institute of Technology and Graduate Studies (MITAGS), 692 Maritime Boulevard, Linthicum Heights, MD 21090. For further information on the location of MITAGS, please contact Mr. Brian Senft at (410) 859-5700.

For information on facilities or services for individuals with disabilities or to request special assistance, contact Mr. Davis Breyer at 202-372-1445 or at davis.j.breyer@uscg.mil as soon as possible.

To facilitate public participation, we are inviting public comment on the

issues to be considered by the committee and working groups as listed in the "Agenda" section below. Written comments for distribution to committee members and inclusion on MERPAC Web site must be submitted on or before August 28, 2013.

Written comments must be identified by Docket No. USCG-2013-0756 and submitted by one of the following methods:

- **Federal eRulemaking Portal:** <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments (preferred method to avoid delays in processing).

- **Fax:** 202-493-2251.

- **Mail:** Docket Management Facility (M-30), U.S. Department of Transportation, West Building Ground Floor, Room W12-140, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE., Washington, DC 20590-0001.

- **Hand Delivery:** Same as mail address above, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal Holidays. The telephone number is 202-366-9329.

Instructions: All submissions received must include the words "Department of Homeland Security" and the docket number for this action. Comments received will be posted without alteration at <http://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal information provided. You may review a Privacy Act notice regarding our public dockets in the January 17, 2008, issue of the **Federal Register** (73 FR 3316).

Docket: For access to the docket to read documents or comments related to this notice, go to <http://www.regulations.gov>, enter the docket number in the "Search" field and follow the instructions on the Web site.

Public oral comment periods will be held each day. Speakers are requested to limit their comments to 3 minutes. Please note that the public oral comment periods may end before the prescribed ending time following the last call for comments. Contact Davis Breyer as indicated above no later than August 28, 2013, to register as a speaker.

This notice may be viewed in our online docket, USCG-2013-0756, at <http://www.regulations.gov>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Davis Breyer, Alternate Designated Federal Officer (ADFO), telephone 202-372-1445, or at davis.j.breyer@uscg.mil. If you have any questions on viewing or submitting material to the docket, call Barbara Hairston, Program Manager, Docket Operations, telephone 202-366-9826.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice of this meeting is given under the *Federal*

**TABLE 1
FY 2013 TAG ALLOCATIONS TO COUNTIES/1**

<i>State</i>	<i>County/Targeted Assistance Area</i>	<i>Refugees/2</i>	<i>Entrants/3</i>	<i>Asylees</i>	<i>SIVs</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Allocation</i>
Arizona	Maricopa County	3,191	354	113	131	3,789	667,857
	Pima County	1,206	7	20	51	1,284	226,320
California	Alameda County	393	4	325	173	895	157,754
	Los Angeles County	1,896	9	3,627	146	5,678	1,000,816
	Orange County	413	8	215	80	716	126,204
	Sacramento County	1,165	1	42	89	1,297	228,612
	San Diego County	4,734	38	421	267	5,460	962,391
	Santa Clara County	596	1	462	74	1,133	199,705
Colorado/4	Denver	2,006	1	89	57	2,153	379,492
Florida	Broward County	147	1,091	220	13	1,471	259,281
	Duval County	1,367	166	20	28	1,581	278,670
	Hillsborough County	815	1,669	14	37	2,535	446,824
	Miami-Dade County	1,798	29,032	534	2	31,366	5,528,634
	Orange County	358	674	249	29	1,310	230,903
	Palm Beach County	207	1,210	261	28	1,706	300,703
Georgia	DeKalb County	3,906	17	43	60	4,026	709,631
	Fulton County	1,025	9	21	10	1,065	187,719
Idaho/4	Ada County	989	0	6	24	1,019	179,611
Illinois	Cook, DuPage and Kane Counties	3,128	61	307	185	3,681	648,820
Indiana	Marion County	2,095	0	9	10	2,114	372,618
Iowa	Polk County	680	1	5	9	695	122,502
Kentucky/4	Jefferson County	1,587	811	23	45	2,466	434,662
	Warren County	570	1	5	13	589	103,818
Maryland	Baltimore	1,252	4	297	36	1,589	280,080
	Montgomery/Prince George's Counties	1,003	0	1,194	64	2,261	398,528
Massachusetts/4	Hampden County	1,059	3	7	13	1,082	190,715
	Suffolk County	555	93	223	36	907	159,870
	Worcester County	788	6	52	16	862	151,938
Michigan	Eaton and Ingham Counties	977	2	0	13	992	174,852
	Kent County	1,006	1	0	21	1,028	181,197
	Macomb, Oakland and Wayne Counties	3,693	0	0	338	4,031	710,512
Minnesota	Ramsey and Hennepin Counties	2,996	1	76	18	3,091	544,826
Missouri	St. Louis	1,034	7	0	43	1,084	191,068
Nebraska	Douglas County	1,141	0	0	9	1,150	202,701
Nevada/4	Clark County	795	735	92	31	1,653	291,361
New York	Erie County	2,129	1	7	22	2,159	300,982
	Monroe County	1,369	109	0	15	1,493	208,136
	New York City/4	574	15	1,540	56	2,185	304,607
	Onondaga County	1,608	236	1	34	1,879	261,948
	North Carolina	Guilford County	1,126	2	14	3	1,145
	Mecklenberg County	1,153	61	54	10	1,278	225,263
Ohio	Franklin County	1,531	5	199	21	1,756	309,516
Oregon	Multnomah and Clackamas Counties/5	1,665	251	65	78	2,059	362,923
Pennsylvania	Erie County	1,563	0	0	14	1,577	277,965
	Lancaster County	988	224	0	11	1,223	215,568
	Philadelphia	1,301	5	1	48	1,355	238,835
South Dakota/4	Minnehaha County	838	0	8	4	850	149,823
Tennessee/4	Davidson County	1,700	33	160	114	2,007	353,758
Texas	Bexar County	1,112	64	28	104	1,308	230,551
	Dallas and Tarrant Counties	4,258	108	368	306	5,040	888,361
	Harris County	3,215	1,067	343	300	4,925	868,090
	Potter County	952	15	3	22	992	174,852
	Travis County	970	299	121	162	1,552	273,559
Utah	Davis, Salt Lake, and Utah Counties	1,760	8	19	48	1,835	323,441
Virginia	Arlington and Fairfax Counties/6	416	5	179	189	789	139,071
Washington	King and Snohomish Counties	2,828	8	668	140	3,644	642,299
	Spokane County	789	0	3	11	803	141,538
Wisconsin	Milwaukee County	1,208	13	16	17	1,254	221,033
Total		85,624	38,546	12,769	3,928	140,867	24,545,134

Footnotes to Table 1

1/ Allocations have been slightly modified to accommodate an adjustment to a previous year county allocation.

2/ Includes Amerasians from Vietnam

3/ Includes Havana parolees and Cuban Medical Professional parolees

4/ Allocations to be awarded to Wilson/Fish grantees

5/ Includes Bronx, Kings, New York, Queens, and Richmond Counties

6/ Includes Clackamas, Multnomah, and Washington Counties in Oregon and Clark County in Washington

7/ Includes Arlington and Fairfax Counties and the cities of Alexandria, Fairfax, and Falls Church

TABLE 2

TARGETED ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

FY 2013 ALLOCATIONS TO STATES

<i>State</i>	<i>Allocation Amount</i>
<i>Arizona</i>	\$894,177
<i>California</i>	\$2,264,615 2,269,888
<i>San Diego Catholic Charities</i>	410,867
<i>Colorado</i>	379,492
<i>Florida</i>	7,045,015
<i>Georgia</i>	897,350
<i>Idaho</i>	179,611
<i>Illinois</i>	648,820
<i>Indiana</i>	372,618
<i>Iowa</i>	122,502
<i>Kentucky</i>	538,480
<i>Maryland</i>	678,608
<i>Massachusetts</i>	502,523
<i>Michigan</i>	1,066,561
<i>Minnesota</i>	544,826
<i>Missouri</i>	191,068
<i>Nebraska</i>	202,701
<i>Nevada</i>	291,361
<i>New York</i>	1,075,673
<i>North Carolina</i>	427,083
<i>Ohio</i>	309,516
<i>Oregon</i>	362,923
<i>Pennsylvania</i>	732,368
<i>South Dakota</i>	149,823
<i>Tennessee</i>	353,758
<i>Texas</i>	2,435,413
<i>Utah</i>	323,441
<i>Virginia</i>	139,071
<i>Washington</i>	783,837
<i>Wisconsin</i>	221,033
<i>Total</i>	\$24,545,134