PRIVACY IMPACT ASSESSMENT (PIA)

PRESCRIBING AUTHORITY: DoD Instruction 5400.16, "DoD Privacy Impact Assessment (PIA) Guidance". Complete this form for Department of Defense (DoD) information systems or electronic collections of information (referred to as an "electronic collection" for the purpose of this form) that collect, maintain, use, and/or disseminate personally identifiable information (PII) about members of the public, Federal employees, contractors, or foreign nationals employed at U.S. military facilities internationally. In the case where no PII is collected, the PIA will serve as a conclusive determination that privacy requirements do not apply to the system.

1. DOD INFORMATION SYSTEM/ELECTRONIC COLLECTION NAME:
Aircraft and Personnel Automated Clearance System (APACS)

2. DOD COMPONENT NAME:
United States Air Force

3. PIA APPROVAL DATE: May 2018

SecAF is designated the DoD Executive Agent for the DoD Foreign Clearance Program per DoDD 4500.54E and OPR to manage APACS

SECTION 1: PII DESCRIPTION SUMMARY (FOR PUBLIC RELEASE)

a. The PII is: (Check one. Note: foreign nationals are included in general public.)

☐ From members of the general public
☐ From Federal employees and/or Federal contractors
☒ From both members of the general public and Federal employees and/or Federal contractors
☐ Not Collected (if checked proceed to Section 4)

b. The PII is in a: (Check one)

☒ New DoD Information System
☐ New Electronic Collection
☐ Existing DoD Information System
☐ Existing Electronic Collection
☐ Significantly Modified DoD Information System

This is a new system because it is moving from a traditional IT systems to a major application only, moving to a DISA milCloud service.

APACS is a web-based application operated by the U.S. Air Force due to the Secretary of the Air Force being designated as the Department of Defense (DoD) Executive Agent for the DoD Foreign Clearance Program.

It is designed to aid DoD mission planners, aircraft operators and DoD personnel in meeting host nation aircraft diplomatic and personnel travel clearance requirements outlined in the DoD Foreign Clearance Guide. APACS provides requesting, approving, and monitoring organizations (i.e., country clearance approvers at U.S. Embassies, Geographical Combatant Commands (GCC) theater clearance approvers, and Office of the Secretary of Defense (OSD) special area clearance approvers) access to a common, centralized, and secure database that contains all the information required to process/approve foreign travel clearances.

Types of PII Collection: Name(s); Position/Title; Rank/Grade; Employment Information; Security Information; DoD ID Number; Citizenship; Work E-mail Address; Official Duty Address; Official Duty Telephone Phone; Personal E-mail Address; Home/Cell Phone; Passport Information; Place of Birth; Birth Date; Emergency Contact.

d. Why is the PII collected and/or what is the intended use of the PII? (e.g., verification, identification, authentication, data matching, mission-related use, administrative use)

PII is used by in-country U.S. Embassy approvers to grant country travel clearances, Geographical Combatant Commands approvers to grant theater travel clearances and by the Office of Secretary of Defense for Policy approvers to grant special area travel clearances.

Aircrew PII information for verification, identification and authentication of travelers for aircraft and personnel travel clearances.

e. Do individuals have the opportunity to object to the collection of their PII? Yes ☒ No ☐

(1) If "Yes," describe the method by which individuals can object to the collection of PII.

(2) If "No," state the reason why individuals cannot object to the collection of PII.

User disclosure of PII is voluntary. However, failure to furnish the requested information may result in denial of aircraft and/or personnel travel clearance requests by country / theater / special area clearance approvers respectively.

f. Do individuals have the opportunity to consent to the specific uses of their PII? Yes ☐ No ☒

(1) If "Yes," describe the method by which individuals can give or withhold their consent.

(2) If "No," state the reason why individuals cannot give or withhold their consent.

Level of required PII is specific to the traveler's destination and type of the required travel clearance (i.e., official, leave).
g. When an individual is asked to provide PII, a Privacy Act Statement (PAS) and/or a Privacy Advisory must be provided. (Check as appropriate and provide the actual wording.)

[ ] Privacy Act Statement  [ ] Privacy Advisory  [ ] Not Applicable


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Routine Use:
Congressional Inquiries Disclosure Routine Use: Disclosure from a system of records maintained by a DoD Component may be made to a congressional office from the record of an individual in response to an inquiry from the congressional office made at the request of that individual.

Disclosure of Information to the General Services Administration Routine Use: A record from a system of records maintained by a DoD Component may be disclosed as a routine use to the General Services Administration for the purpose of records management inspections conducted under authority of 44 U.S.C. 2904 and 2906.

Disclosure of Information to the National Archives and Records Administration Routine Use: A record from a system of records maintained by a DoD Component may be disclosed as a routine use to the National Archives and Records Administration for the purpose of records management inspections conducted under authority of 44 U.S.C. 2904 and 2906.

Disclosure: User disclosure of PII is voluntary. However, failure to furnish the requested information may result in denial of aircraft and/or personnel travel clearance requests.


h. With whom will the PII be shared through data exchange, both within your DoD Component and outside your Component? (Check all that apply)

[ ] Within the DoD Component

Specify.

[ ] Other DoD Components

Specify.

To appropriate agencies, entities, and persons when (1) The Department of Defense (DoD) suspects or has confirmed that the security or confidentiality of the information in the system of records; (2) the DoD has determined that as a result of the suspected or confirmed breach there is a risk of harm to individuals, the DoD (including its information systems, programs, and operations), the Federal Government, or national security; and (3) the disclosure made to such agencies, entities, and persons is reasonably necessary to assist in connection with the DoD's efforts to respond to the suspected or confirmed breach or to prevent, minimize, or remedy such harm.

In an appropriate proceeding before a court, grand jury, or administrative or adjudicative body or official, when the DoD or other Agency representing the DoD determines that the records are relevant and necessary to the proceeding; or in an appropriate proceeding before an administrative or adjudicative body when the adjudicator determines the records to be relevant to the proceeding.
To any component of the Department of Justice for the purpose of representing the DoD, or its components, officers, employees, or members in pending or potential litigation to which the record is pertinent.

To the National Archives and Records Administration for the purpose of records management inspections conducted. This routine uses complies with 44 U.S.C. §§ 2904 and 2906.

To another Federal agency or Federal entity, when the Department of Defense (DoD) determines that information from this system of records is reasonably necessary to assist the recipient agency or entity in (1) responding to a suspected or confirmed breach or (2) preventing, minimizing, or remedying the risk of harm to individuals, the recipient agency or entity (including its information systems, programs and operations), the Federal Government, or national security, resulting from a suspected or confirmed breach.

To appropriate Federal, State, local, territorial, tribal, foreign, or international agencies for the purpose of counterintelligence activities. This routine use complies with U.S. law or Executive Order, or for the purpose of executing or enforcing laws designed to protect the national security or homeland security of the United States, including those relating to the sharing of records or information concerning terrorism, homeland security, or law enforcement.

To the appropriate Federal, State, local, territorial, tribal, foreign, or international law enforcement authority or other appropriate entity where a record, either alone or in conjunction with other information, indicates a violation or potential violation of law, whether criminal, civil, or regulatory in nature.

To a domestic or foreign entity that has entered into a public-private partnership with the Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency (DPAA). This routine use complies with 10 U.S.C. 1501a, when DPAA determines that such disclosure is necessary to the performance of services DPAA has agreed shall be performed by the partner.

To contractors, grantees, experts, consultants, students, and others performing or working on a contract, service, grant, cooperative agreement, or other assignment for the federal government when necessary to accomplish an agency function related to this system of records.

Contractor (Name of contractor and describe the language in the contract that safeguards PI. Include whether FAR privacy clauses, i.e., 52.224-1, Privacy Act Notification, 52.224-2, Privacy Act, and FAR 39.105 are included in the contract.)

Other (e.g., commercial providers, colleges).
k. Does this DoD Information system or electronic collection require a Privacy Act System of Records Notice (SORN)?

A Privacy Act SORN is required if the information system or electronic collection contains information about U.S. citizens or lawful permanent U.S. residents that is retrieved by name or other unique identifier. PIA and Privacy Act SORN information must be consistent.

☑ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes," enter SORN System Identifier

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SORN Identifier, not the Federal Register (FR) Citation. Consult the DoD Component Privacy Office for additional information or http://dpdod.defense.gov/Privacy/SORNS/ or

If a SORN has not yet been published in the Federal Register, enter date of submission for approval to Defense Privacy, Civil Liberties, and Transparency Division (DPCLTD). Consult the DoD Component Privacy Office for this date

If "No," explain why the SORN is not required in accordance with DoD Regulation 5400.11-R: Department of Defense Privacy Program.

Note: An altered SORN request has been submitted.

l. What is the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) approved, pending or general records schedule (GRS) disposition authority for the system or for the records maintained in the system?

(1) NARA Job Number or General Records Schedule Authority.

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(2) If pending, provide the date the SF-115 was submitted to NARA.

(3) Retention Instructions.

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m. What is the authority to collect information? A Federal law or Executive Order must authorize the collection and maintenance of a system of records. For PII not collected or maintained in a system of records, the collection or maintenance of the PII must be necessary to discharge the requirements of a statute or Executive Order.

(1) If this system has a Privacy Act SORN, the authorities in this PIA and the existing Privacy Act SORN should be similar.

(2) If a SORN does not exist, cite the authority for this DoD information system or electronic collection to collect, use, maintain and/or disseminate PII.

(a) Cite the specific provisions of the statute and/or EO that authorizes the operation of the system and the collection of PII.

(b) If direct statutory authority or an Executive Order does not exist, indirect statutory authority may be cited if the authority requires the operation or administration of a program, the execution of which will require the collection and maintenance of a system of records.

(c) If direct or indirect authority does not exist, DoD Components can use their general statutory grants of authority ("internal housekeeping") as the primary authority. The requirement, directive, or instruction implementing the statute within the DoD Component must be identified.


n. Does this DoD Information system or electronic collection have an active and approved Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Control Number?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☑ Pending

Contact the Component Information Management Control Officer or DoD Clearance Officer for this information. This number indicates OMB approval to collect data from 10 or more members of the public in a 12-month period regardless of form or format.
(1) If "Yes," list all applicable OMB Control Numbers, collection titles, and expiration dates.
(2) If "No," explain why OMB approval is not required in accordance with DoD Manual 8910.01, Volume 2, "DoD Information Collections Manual: Procedures for DoD Public Information Collections."
(3) If "Pending," provide the date for the 60 and/or 30 day notice and the Federal Register citation.

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