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System of Records Notice
U.S. RAILROAD RETIREMENT BOARD

<i>Name</i>	RRB-27: Railroad Retirement Board-Social Security Administration Financial Interchange System
<i>Federal Register</i>	12-27-2007 Vol. 72, No. 247. pp. 73519-20
<i>Effective Date</i>	2-5-2008
<i>System Location</i>	U.S. Railroad Retirement Board, 844 North Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611-2092.
<i>Security Classification</i>	None.
<i>Categories of Individuals Covered by the System</i>	One-percent sample of former railroad employees and members of their families who would have been eligible for social security benefits if railroad employment had been covered by the social security system.
<i>Categories of Records in the System</i>	Claim number, social security number, date of birth, and administrative cost and payment data on imputed and actual social security benefits.
<i>Authority for Maintenance of the System</i>	Section 7(c)(2) of the Railroad Retirement Act of 1974 (45 U.S.C. 231f(c)(2))
<i>Purpose(s)</i>	The purpose of this system is to calculate benefit amounts required to determine the financial interchange transfer amounts each year.
<i>Routine Uses of Records Maintained in the System, Including Categories of Users and Purposes of Such Uses</i>	a. Findings, including individual records, may be released to the Social Security Administration, determining amounts which, if added to or subtracted from the OASDI Trust Funds, would place the Social Security Administration in the position it would have been if employment covered by the Railroad Retirement Act had been covered by the Social Security and Federal Insurance Contributions Acts. b. Information may be released to the General Accountability Office for auditing purposes. c. (Standard Disclosure 3.)
<i>Disclosure to Consumer Reporting Agencies</i>	None.
<i>Policies and Practices for Storing, Retrieving, Accessing, Retaining, and Disposing of Records in the System</i>	
<i>Storage</i>	Magnetic media, paper and computer hard disk.
<i>Retrievability</i>	Claim and social security account numbers.
<i>Safeguards</i>	Records are maintained in areas not accessible to the public and are



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<i>Retention and Disposal</i>	Retained indefinitely, except that periodically, inactive materials are sent to the Federal Records Center to be retained for ten years, then destroyed by the General Services Administration.
<i>System Manager(s) and Address</i>	Chief of Financial Interchange, Bureau of the Actuary, U.S. Railroad Retirement Board, 844 North Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611-2092
<i>Notification Procedure</i>	Requests for information regarding an individual's record should be in writing addressed to the System Manager identified above, including the full name and social security account number and claim number of the individual. Before information about any record will be released, the System Manager may require the individual to provide proof of identity or require the requester to furnish an authorization from the individual to permit release of information.
<i>Record Access Procedure</i>	See Notification section above.
<i>Contesting Record Procedure</i>	See Notification section above.
<i>Record Source Categories</i>	The Social Security Administration and other Railroad Retirement Board files.
<i>Exemptions Claimed for the System</i>	None.