

Disclosure Review Board Minutes

1/14/08

1. (b) (6) request for MEPS special tabs

This was approved. There must be at least 6 different plans and at least 3 different companies contributing to each estimate.

2. Paper: Characteristics of Workers Retiring Early

This was approved.

3. (b) (6) --- sub-contracted out data collections

This was approved. No cross roads will be identified. Area code may be left on, but the remainder of the phone number will be removed. Zipcode will not be asked. Age will be topcoded at 90. The number of people in the household will be topcoded at 20. The four languages identified will be English, Spanish, Asian/Pacific Islander, and Other.

4. (b) (6) --- short form mail response rates by tract

This was approved.

5. ACS 2006 for Katrina affected areas

This was approved. The data will be rounded as all ACS special tabulations. There must be at least 250 observed people in a given county in 2006 for the data to be shown.

6. ACS tabulation for (b) (6) Healthcare

This was approved. The data will be rounded as all ACS special tabulations. Values based on unweighted counts of 1 or 2 will be suppressed. If a value in the category AGE 85+ in a given geographic area is based on an unweighted count of 1 or 2, that category should be combined with the category AGE 75-84 to produce the category AGE 75+.

7. 0524 (b) (6) 1/3/08 request

This was approved. (b) (6) will tell (b) (6) that, in the future, work should be done outside of the RDC if it is possible to do with public use files.

8. PRB subcontractor for Census 2010 communications project

This was approved.

9. 0524 (b) (6) 1/7/08 request

This was approved.