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Pursuant to OMB's April 21, 2010, Directive establishing policy for the Research Performance Progress Report (RPPR), the Department of Commerce (DOC) shall adopt the use of the RPPR in research related awards no later than October 1, 2013. DOC implementation will be in electronic format and consistent with the components established by OMB/OSTP and the guidance provided by the Research Business Models (RBM) Subcommittee of the Committee or Science of the National Science and Technology Council.