

Disclosure Review Board Minutes
7/25/05

1. NYC ACS PUMS

We approved identifying New York City and Rest of State on the PUMS file. This still adheres to the 100,000 population cutoff. (b) (6) will contact (b) (6) and make sure that he understands that this cannot be approved for all places because sometimes (for example in Detroit), place boundaries overlap PUMA boundaries and if both were identified, that could create slivers in geography.

2. Swapped versus unswapped data at the RDCs

The Board wants the swapped data at the RDCs. The unswapped data should remain in DSCMO.

3. RDC request from (b) (6)

Again, the Board wants the swapped data at the RDCs. This should not affect the results of this analysis.

4. Disclosure and the M3

Our first thought is to apply the P% rule to each month=s estimate. If the estimate is a primary suppression, the ratio used to get that estimate should also be suppressed. This is not our final decision. We have some questions about the survey and the data, so (b) (6) will come to our next meeting to provide answers.

5. ACS ST048

This was approved. The data will be rounded as all ACS special tabulations.

6. ACS repeat requests for subsequent years

Repeat requests should be sent in each year.

7. ACS ST009

This was approved. The data will be rounded as all ACS special tabulations.

8. 0196_ (b) (6)

This was approved.