From: Ajit Zacharias
To: Harris-Kojetin, Brian
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Dear Dr. Harris-Kojetin,

I understand that you are considering to drop the "number of times married" question from the future rounds of the American Community Survey. The information collected via this question is very important for the study of the economics of marriage and family formation. By collecting this information, ACS had really broken new ground and I hope that you would retain the question. This would greatly facilitate my own planned future research on family dynamics.

Sincerely,
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