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Dr. Brian Harris-Kojetin:

It has come to my attention that the Census Bureau is planning to drop the question on “number of times married” from the American Community Survey. This is a request not to drop the question. Times married is an important statistic for our understanding of the family, particularly in the areas of divorce, nuptiality, marital instability and the construction of life tables for first marriages. I urge you to keep the question “number of times married” in the American Community Survey.

Sincerely.

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