Office of the United States Trade Representative

§ 2011.110 Execution and issuance of certificates by the certifying authority.

(a) Execution. The certificate of quota eligibility shall be executed by the certifying authority by:

1. Entering on the certificate the information required under § 2011.105 of this subpart; and

2. Affixing a seal or other form of authentication to the certificate.

(b) Issuance. The executed certificate shall be issued by the certifying authority to the shipper or consignee specified on the certificate.

(c) Modifications by the certifying authority. The terms and conditions set forth in the certificate may not be modified, added to, or deleted by the certifying authority without the prior written approval of the Secretary.

(d) A certificate shall not be considered valid unless it is executed and issued in accordance with this section.

§ 2011.109 Suspension or revocation of individual certificates.

(a) Suspension or revocation. The Secretary may suspend, revoke, modify or add further limitations to any certificate if the Secretary determines that such action or actions is necessary to ensure the effective operation of the import quota system for sugar and that such suspension, revocation, modification or addition of further limitations will not have the effect of modifying the allocation of sugar made pursuant to the provisions of subdivision (b) of additional U.S. Note 5.

(b) Reinstatement. The Secretary may reinstate or reissue any certificate which was previously suspended, revoked, modified, or otherwise limited under the authority of this section.

§ 2011.110 Suspension of certificate system.

(a) Suspension. The U.S. Trade Representative may suspend the provisions of this subpart whenever he or she determines that such action gives due consideration to the interests in the U.S. sugar market of domestic producers and materially affected contracting parties to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade. Notice of