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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Authority:** Executive Order 11651 of March 3, 1972, as amended; section 204 of the Agricultural Act of 1956, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1854).

The current limits for certain categories are being adjusted, variously, for swing, special shift, carryover and carryforward.

A description of the textile and apparel categories in terms of HTS numbers is available in the CORRELATION: Textile and Apparel Categories with the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (see **Federal Register** notice 59 FR 65531, published on December 20, 1994). Also see 60 FR 17334, published on April 5, 1995.

The letter to the Commissioner of Customs and the actions taken pursuant to it are not designed to implement all of the provisions of the Uruguay Round Agreements Act and the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing, but are designed to assist only in the implementation of certain of their provisions.

**Rita D. Hayes,**

*Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.*

**Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements**

August 2, 1995.

Commissioner of Customs,  
*Department of the Treasury, Washington, DC 20229.*

Dear Commissioner: This directive amends, but does not cancel, the directive issued to you on March 30, 1995, by the Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements. That directive concerns imports of certain cotton, wool and man-made fiber textiles and textile products and silk blend and other vegetable fiber apparel, produced or manufactured in the Philippines and exported during the twelve-month period beginning on January 1, 1995 and extending through December 31, 1995.

Effective on August 9, 1995, you are directed to adjust the limits for the following categories, as provided under the Uruguay Round Agreements Act and the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing:

Category	Adjusted limit <sup>1</sup>
333/334 .....	229,988 dozen of which not more than 32,166 dozen shall be in Category 333.
335 .....	134,745 dozen.
336 .....	705,875 dozen.
338/339 .....	2,436,881 dozen.
340/640 .....	983,118 dozen.
341/641 .....	823,900 dozen.
342/642 .....	541,688 dozen.
345 .....	161,313 dozen.
347/348 .....	1,968,385 dozen.
350 .....	84,523 dozen.
351/651 .....	615,853 dozen.
352/652 .....	2,202,316 dozen.
359-C/659-C <sup>2</sup> .....	755,095 kilograms.
361 .....	665,830 numbers.
369-S <sup>3</sup> .....	47,853 kilograms.
431 .....	182,387 dozen pairs.
433 .....	3,269 dozen.
443 .....	39,541 numbers.
445/446 .....	31,530 dozen.
447 .....	7,950 dozen.
611 .....	5,413,520 square meters.
633 .....	44,608 dozen.
634 .....	408,802 dozen.
635 .....	326,008 dozen.
636 .....	1,525,939 dozen.
638/639 .....	2,022,195 dozen.
643 .....	642,936 numbers.
645/646 .....	638,694 dozen.
647/648 .....	915,277 dozen.
649 .....	7,041,781 dozen.
650 .....	92,682 dozen.
659-H <sup>4</sup> .....	1,155,522 kilograms.
847 .....	678,250 dozen.
Group II	
200-229, 300-326, 330, 332, 349, 353, 354, 359-O <sup>5</sup> , 360, 362, 363, 369-O <sup>6</sup> , 400-414, 432, 434-442, 444, 448, 459, 464-469, 600-607, 613-629, 630, 632, 644, 653, 654, 659-O <sup>7</sup> , 665, 666, 669-O <sup>8</sup> , 670-O <sup>9</sup> , 831-846 and 850-859, as a group.	112,952,469 square meters equivalent.

<sup>1</sup> The limits have not been adjusted to account for any imports exported after December 31, 1994.

<sup>2</sup> Category 359-C: only HTS numbers 6103.42.2025, 6103.49.8034, 6104.62.1020, 6104.69.8010, 6114.20.0048, 6114.20.0052, 6203.42.2010, 6203.42.2090, 6204.62.2010, 6211.32.0010, 6211.32.0025 and 6211.42.0010; Category 659-C: only HTS numbers 6103.23.0055, 6103.43.2020, 6103.43.2025, 6103.49.2000, 6103.49.8038, 6104.63.1020, 6104.63.1030, 6104.69.1000, 6104.69.8014, 6114.30.3044, 6114.30.3054, 6203.43.2010, 6203.43.2090, 6203.49.1010, 6203.49.1090, 6204.63.1510, 6204.69.1010, 6210.10.9010, 6211.33.0010, 6211.33.0017 and 6211.43.0010.

<sup>3</sup> Category 369-S: only HTS number 6307.10.2005.

<sup>4</sup> Category 659-H: only HTS numbers 6502.00.9030, 6504.00.9015, 6504.00.9060, 6505.90.5090, 6505.90.6090, 6505.90.7090 and 6505.90.8090.

<sup>5</sup> Category 359-O: all HTS numbers except 6103.42.2025, 6103.49.8034, 6104.62.1020, 6104.69.8010, 6114.20.0048, 6114.20.0052, 6203.42.2010, 6203.42.2090, 6204.62.2010, 6211.32.0010, 6211.32.0025, 6211.42.0010 (Category 359-C).

<sup>6</sup> Category 369-O: all HTS numbers except 6307.10.2005 (Category 369-S).

<sup>7</sup> Category 659-O: all HTS numbers except 6103.23.0055, 6103.43.2020, 6103.43.2025, 6103.49.2000, 6103.49.8038, 6104.63.1020, 6104.63.1030, 6104.69.1000, 6104.69.8014, 6114.30.3044, 6114.30.3054, 6203.43.2010, 6203.43.2090, 6203.49.1010, 6203.49.1090, 6204.63.1510, 6204.69.1010, 6210.10.9010, 6211.33.0010, 6211.33.0017, 6211.43.0010 (Category 659-C); 6502.00.9030, 6504.00.9015, 6504.00.9060, 6505.90.5090, 6505.90.6090, 6505.90.7090, 6505.90.8090 (Category 659-H).

<sup>8</sup> Category 669-O: all HTS numbers except 6305.31.0010, 6305.31.0020 and 6305.39.0000 (Category 669-P).

<sup>9</sup> Category 670-O: all HTS numbers except 4202.12.8030, 4202.12.8070, 4202.92.3020, 4202.92.3030 and 4202.92.9025 (Category 670-L).

The Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements has determined that these actions fall within the foreign affairs exception of the rulemaking provisions of 5 U.S.C. 553(a)(1).

Sincerely,

Rita D. Hayes,

*Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

**Department of the Navy**

**Notice of Postponement of Public Hearing and Extension of the Comment Period for the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for Construction and Operation of a Relocatable Over the Horizon Radar, Puerto Rico**

Pursuant to Section 102(2)(C) of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as implemented by the Council on Environmental Quality Regulations (40 CFR Parts 1500-1508), and the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico Public Law Number Nine, Section 4(c), the Department of Navy, has prepared and filed with the US Environmental Protection Agency the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) for the construction and operation of a Relocatable Over the Horizon Radar (ROTHR) system in Puerto Rico.

On July 24, 1995, the Navy announced in the **Federal Register** that public hearings would be held on August 8, 1995 in Lajas, PR and on

Category	Adjusted limit <sup>1</sup>
Levels in Group I	
237 .....	1,121,432 dozen.
239 .....	10,962,326 kilograms.
331/631 .....	4,974,169 dozen pairs.

August 10, 1995 in Vieques, PR to solicit public comment on the DEIS for ROTH. In order to allow additional time for public review, the public hearings have been postponed and the public comment period has been extended to September 29, 1995. Notice of the revised hearing dates will be published in local newspapers at least 15 days prior to the hearings.

The DEIS has been distributed to various federal, Commonwealth, and local agencies, elected officials, special interest groups, and libraries. The DEIS is available for review at the following locations: Town Hall, Municipality of Vieques, Vieques Island, PR; Public Library, Municipality of Lajas, PR; and Mayor's Office, Lajas, PR. A limited number of copies of the DEIS are available by contacting Ms. Linda Blount, (804) 322-4892 or Sr. Jose Negron, Commander Fleet Air, Caribbean, (809) 965-4429.

Written statements and/or comments regarding the DEIS should be mailed to: Department of the Navy, Commander, Atlantic Division, Naval Facilities Engineering Command, 1510 Gilbert Street, Norfolk, VA 23511-2699 (Attn. Ms. Linda Blount, Code 2032LB). Questions may be directed to Ms. Linda Blount, (804) 322-4892 or Sr. Jose Negron, Commander Fleet Air, Caribbean, (809) 865-4429. All comments must be postmarked no later than September 29, 1995 to become part of the official record.

Dated: August 19, 1995.

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement for a Geologic Repository for the Disposal of Spent Nuclear Fuel and High-Level Radioactive Waste at Yucca Mountain, Nye County, Nevada

**AGENCY:** Department of Energy.

**ACTION:** Notice of intent.

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) announces its intent to prepare an environmental impact statement (EIS) for a geologic repository at Yucca Mountain, Nye County, Nevada, for the disposal of spent nuclear fuel and high-level radioactive waste, in accordance with the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982, as amended (NWP) (42 U.S.C. § 10101 *et seq.*), the National Environmental Policy Act

(NEPA) of 1969 (42 U.S.C. § 4321 *et seq.*), the Council on Environmental Quality regulations that implement the procedural provisions of NEPA (40 CFR Parts 1500-1508), and the DOE procedures for implementing NEPA (10 CFR Part 1021). DOE invites Federal, State, and local agencies, Native American tribal organizations, and other interested parties to participate in determining the scope and content of the EIS.

The NWP directs DOE to evaluate the suitability of the Yucca Mountain site in southern Nevada as a potential site for a geologic repository for the disposal of spent nuclear fuel and high-level radioactive waste. If the Secretary of Energy determines that the Yucca Mountain site is suitable, the Secretary may then recommend that the President approve the site for development of a repository. Under the NWP, any such recommendation shall be considered a major Federal action and must be accompanied by a final environmental impact statement. Accordingly, DOE is preparing this EIS in conjunction with any potential DOE recommendation regarding the development of a repository at Yucca Mountain.

The NWP provides that the environmental impact statement need not consider the need for a repository, the alternatives to geologic disposal, or alternative sites to the Yucca Mountain site. Therefore, this environmental impact statement will evaluate a proposal to construct, operate, and eventually close a repository at Yucca Mountain. The EIS will evaluate reasonable alternatives for implementing such a proposal in accordance with the NWP.

The NWP also provides that the Nuclear Regulatory Commission shall, to the extent practicable, adopt DOE's EIS in connection with any subsequent construction authorization and license that the Commission issues to DOE for a repository. The EIS process is scheduled to be completed in September 2000 and is separate from the licensing process that would be initiated by any submission of a license application by DOE to the Commission in June 2001.

The EIS will be prepared over a five-year period in conjunction with DOE's separate but parallel site suitability evaluation and potential license application. DOE is beginning the EIS process early to ensure that the appropriate data gathering and tests are performed to adequately assess potential environmental impacts, and to allow the public sufficient time to consider this complex program and to provide input.

**DATES:** DOE invites and encourages comments and suggestions on the scope of the EIS to ensure that all relevant environmental issues and reasonable alternatives are addressed. Public scoping meetings are discussed below in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section. DOE will carefully consider all comments and suggestions received during the 120-day public scoping period that ends on December 5, 1995. Comments and suggestions received after the close of the public scoping period will be considered to the extent practicable.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments on the scope of this EIS, requests to pre-register to speak at any of the public scoping meetings, questions concerning the proposed action and EIS, or requests for additional information on the EIS, should be directed to: Wendy R. Dixon, EIS Project Manager, Yucca Mountain Site Characterization Office, Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management, U.S. Department of Energy, 101 Convention Center Drive Suite P-110, MS 010, Las Vegas, NV 89109, Telephone: 1-800-967-3477, Facsimile: 1-800-967-0739.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For more information about this EIS, please contact Wendy R. Dixon at the address, above. For information on DOE's NEPA process, please contact: Carol M. Borgstrom, Director, Office of NEPA Policy and Assistance (EH-42), U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20585, Telephone: 1-202-586-4600 or leave a message at 1-800-472-2756.

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

### Public Participation

All interested persons, including Federal agencies, Native American tribal organizations, State and local government agencies, public interest groups, transportation interests, industry and utility organizations, regulators, and the general public are encouraged to take part in the EIS scoping process. Because of the anticipated public interest and national scope of the program, DOE will provide several methods for people to express their views and provide comments, request additional information and copies of the EIS, or pre-register to speak at the scoping meetings. Comments submitted by any of these means will become part of the official record for scoping.