public service list containing the names and addresses of all persons, or their representatives, who are parties to the investigation.

Limited disclosure of business proprietary information (BPI) under an administrative protective order (APO) and BPI service list.—Pursuant to section 207.7(a) of the Commission's rules, the Secretary will make BPI gathered in the final phase of this investigation available to authorized applicants under the APO issued in the investigation, provided that the application is made no later than 21 days prior to the hearing date specified in this notice. Authorized applicants must represent interested parties, as defined by 19 U.S.C. § 1677(9), who are parties to the investigation. A party granted access to BPI in the preliminary phase of the investigation need not reapply for such access. A separate service list will be maintained by the Secretary for those parties authorized to receive BPI under the APO.

Staff report.—The prehearing staff report in the final phase of this investigation will be placed in the nonpublic record on July 28, 1997, and a public version will be issued thereafter, pursuant to section 207.22 of the Commission's rules.

Hearing.—The Commission will hold a hearing in connection with the final phase of this investigation beginning at 9:30 a.m. on August 12, 1997, at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building. Requests to appear at the hearing should be filed in writing with the Secretary to the Commission on or before August 5, 1997. A nonparty who has testimony that may aid the Commission's deliberations may request permission to present a short statement at the hearing. All parties and nonparties desiring to appear at the hearing and make oral presentations should attend a prehearing conference to be held at 9:30 a.m. on August 7, 1997, at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building. Oral testimony and written materials to be submitted at the public hearing are governed by sections 201.6(b)(2), 201.13(f), and 207.24 of the Commission's rules. Parties must submit any request to present a portion of their hearing testimony *in camera* no later than 7 days prior to the date of the hearing.

Written submissions.—Each party who is an interested party shall submit a prehearing brief to the Commission. Prehearing briefs must conform with the provisions of section 207.23 of the Commission's rules; the deadline for filing is August 5, 1997. Parties may also file written testimony in connection with their presentation at the hearing, as provided in section 207.24 of the Commission's rules, and posthearing briefs, which must conform with the provisions of section 207.25 of the Commission's rules. The deadline for filing posthearing briefs is August 20, 1997; witness testimony must be filed no later than three days before the hearing. In addition, any person who has not entered an appearance as a party to the investigation may submit a written statement of information pertinent to the subject of the investigation on or before August 20, 1997. On September 5, 1997, the Commission will make available to parties all information on which they have not had an opportunity to comment. Parties may submit final comments on this information on or before September 9, 1997, but such final comments must not contain new factual information and must otherwise comply with section 207.30 of the Commission's rules. All written submissions must conform with the provisions of section 201.8 of the Commission's rules; any submissions that contain BPI must also conform with the requirements of sections 201.6, 207.3, and 207.7 of the Commission's rules.

In accordance with sections 201.16(c) and 207.3 of the Commission's rules, each document filed by a party to the investigation must be served on all other parties to the investigation (as identified by either the public or BPI service list), and a certificate of service must be timely filed. The Secretary will not accept a document for filing without a certificate of service.

Authority: This investigation is being conducted under authority of title VII of the Tariff Act of 1930; this notice is published pursuant to section 207.21 of the Commission's rules.

By order of the Commission.

Issued: March 31, 1997.

Donna R. Koehnke,

Secretary.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation No. 731–TA–767 (Preliminary)]

Ultra High Temperature Milk From Canada

AGENCY: United States International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Notice of withdrawal of petition in antidumping investigation.

SUMMARY: On March 28 1997, the Department of Commerce and the Commission received a letter from petitioner in the subject investigation (Industria Lechera de Puerto Rico, Inc., San Juan, PR) withdrawing its petition. Commerce has not initiated an investigation as provided for in section 732(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. § 1673a(c)). Accordingly, the Commission gives notice that its antidumping investigation concerning ultra high temperature milk from Canada (investigation No. 731–TA–767 (Preliminary)) is discontinued.

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 28, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Brad Hudgens (202–205–3189), Office of Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW., Washington, DC 20436. Hearing-impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter can be obtained by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on 202–205–1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at 202–205–2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its internet server (http://www.usitc.gov or ftp://ftp.usitc.gov).

By order of the Commission.

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Donna R. Koehnke,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Immigration and Naturalization Service

[INS No. 1842–97]

RIN 1115–AE77

Direct Mail Program; Form I–360

AGENCY: Immigration and Naturalization Service, Justice.

ACTION: Notice of Expansion of the Direct Mail Program.

SUMMARY: This notice announces the Immigration and Naturalization Service's (Service) plan to expand the Direct Mail Program to include the filing of self-petitions by a battered spouse or child on Form I–360, Petition for Amerasian, Widow(er), or Special Immigrant. The Service will now require that all Forms I–360, filed by a self-petitioning battered spouse, child, or by the parent of a battered child, be mailed directly to the Vermont Service Center. This change will enable the Service to expedite the processing of these petitions.

DATES: This notice is effective May 7, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Karen FitzGerald, Staff Officer, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Adjudications and Nationality Division, 425 I Street, NW., Room 3214, Washington, DC 20536, telephone (202) 514–5014.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

Under 8 CFR 103.2(a), applications submitted to the Service must be executed and filed in accordance with the instructions on the application form. By eliminating specific reference to filing location, this regulation provides service center directors with the authority to accept and process applications designated for Direct Mail. It also provides the Service with the flexibility to shift filings to the service centers as the Direct Mail Program continues to expand.

Recent legislation and the publication of an interim rule on March 26, 1996, at 59 FR 13061 have led the Service to conclude that expansion of the use of the direct mail program to include I–360 petitions filed in accordance with the provisions of the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) is warranted.

It is the intent of the Service to ensure sensitive and expeditious processing of the petitions filed by this class of at-risk applicants. Institution of a centralized direct mail filing process enables the Service to accomplish this and engenders uniformity in the adjudication of all applications of this type. This modification also enhances the Service's ability to be more responsive to inquiries from applicants, their representatives, and benefit-granting agencies.

Where to File

Effective May 7, 1997, Form I–360 for self-petitioning battered spouses and children residing within the United States must be mailed, with all supporting documentation, directly to the following address: USINS Vermont Service Center, 75 Lower Weldon Street, St. Albans, VT 05479. Applicants may obtain the Form I–360 by telephoning the toll-free INS Forms Request Line, 1–800–870–3676.

Special Note

This notice does not apply to I–360 petitions filed by Amerasians, widow(er)s, or special immigrants.

Transition

During the first 30 days following the effective date of this notice, district offices and service centers will forward to the Vermont Service Center, in a timely manner, any Form I–360 filed by a self-petitioning battered spouse or child, which has been inadvertently mailed to an office other than the Vermont Service Center. Petitions filed prior to the effective date of this notice will be adjudicated at the place of initial filing.

Appeals or motions to reopen or reconsider denied I–360 petitions submitted to the Service prior to May 7, 1997 will be processed by the office where the I–360 was originally filed and adjudicated. Appeals and motions filed during the transition period, and after this notice goes into effect, should be filed with the Vermont Service Center and will be processed by that office.

During the transition period, the Service intends to work closely with community organizations and advocacy groups to provide information and assistance to the public regarding this change.

After the 30-day transition period, self-petitioning battered spouses and children will be directed to mail the Form I–360 to the Vermont Service Center for processing.

Dated: March 22, 1997.

Doris Meissner,

Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Immigration and Naturalization Service

[INS No. 1832–97; AG Order No. 2076–97]

RIN 1115–AE26

Extension of Designation and Redesignation of Liberia Under Temporary Protected Status Program

AGENCY: Immigration and Naturalization Service, Justice.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice extends the designation of Liberia under the Temporary Protected Status (''TPS'') program for an additional 12 months (until March 28, 1998) in accordance with sections 244(b)(3)(A) and (C) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, as amended (''the Act'' or ''INA''). This notice also describes the procedures with which eligible aliens, who are nationals of Liberia (or who have no nationality and who last habitually resided in Liberia), must comply to re-register for TPS. Re-registration for the TPS extension period is limited to persons who already have registered for the initial period of TPS, which ended on March 27, 1992.

Pursuant to section 244(b)(1) of the Act, this notice concurrently designates Liberia anew (''redesignates'') under the TPS program. This redesignation of Liberia makes TPS available to eligible Liberian TPS applicants who have ''continuously resided in the United States'' since June 1, 1996, and who have been ''continuously physically present in the United States'' since April 7, 1997.

EFFECTIVE DATES:

1. Extension of Designation and Re-registration

The extension of designation is effective on March 29, 1997, and will remain in effect until March 28, 1998. The primary re-registration procedures become effective on April 7, 1997, and will remain in effect until May 6, 1997.

2. Redesignation

The Liberian TPS redesignation is effective concurrently with the extension from March 29, 1997, until March 28, 1998. The registration period for the Liberian TPS redesignation program begins on April 7, 1997 and will remain in effect until October 6, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ronald Chirlin, Adjudications Officer, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Room 3214, 425 I Street, NW., Washington, DC 20536, telephone (202) 514–5014.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

Statutory Provisions for TPS

1. Designation and Extension Under the TPS Program

Section 308(a)(7) of Public Law 104–132 renumbered section 244A of the Act. Under this section renumbered as INA 244 (8 U.S.C. 1254), the Attorney General is authorized to grant Temporary Protected Status in the United States to eligible aliens who are nationals of a foreign state designated by the Attorney General (or who have no nationality and last habitually resided in that state). The Attorney General may designate a state upon finding that the state is experiencing ongoing armed conflict, environmental disaster, or extraordinary and temporary conditions that prevent nationals or residents of the country from returning in safety.

At least 60 days before the end of a designation or extension of designation, the Attorney General, after consultation with appropriate agencies of the