

conferences to be held at 9:30 a.m. on December 9, 1997 and February 3, 1998, respectively, at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building. Oral testimony and written materials to be submitted at the hearing are governed by sections 201.6(b)(2) and 201.13(f) 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 is encouraged to submit a prehearing brief to the Commission. The deadline for filing prehearing briefs on injury is December 10, 1997; that for filing prehearing briefs on remedy, including any commitments pursuant to 19 U.S.C. § 2252(a)(6)(B), is February 3, 1998. Parties may also file posthearing briefs. The deadline for filing posthearing briefs on injury is December 23, 1997; that for filing posthearing briefs on remedy is February 18, 1998. 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 consideration of injury on or before December 23, 1997, and pertinent to the consideration of remedy on or before February 18, 1998. All written submissions must conform with the provisions of section 201.8 of the Commission's rules; any submissions that contain confidential business information must also conform with the requirements of section 201.6 of the Commission's rules.

In accordance with section 201.16(c) 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 the 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 the authority of section 202 of the Trade Act of 1974; this notice is published pursuant to section 206.3 of the Commission's rules.

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By order of the Commission.

Donna R. Koehnke,

Secretary.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

Temporary Relocation of the Office of the Secretary

AGENCY: United States International Trade Commission.

ACTION: The Office of the Secretary will be relocating beginning Monday, October 20, 1997, for approximately 2 to 3 weeks, to room 317, 500 E Street SW., Washington, DC, 20436. Hours of operation and filing hours will remain 8:45 a.m.-5:15 p.m.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Secretary Donna R. Koehnke (202-205-2000), Assistant Secretary Ruby J. Dionne (202-205-2799), or William R. Bishop (202-205-2000), Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW., Washington, DC 20436. Members of the media should contact Margaret O'Laughlin, Office of External Relations, at 202-205-1819. Hearing-impaired persons can obtain information on this matter 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.

AVAILABILITY OF OFFICIAL FILES:

The following services will be available during the temporary relocation:

- The Electronic Document Imaging System (EDIS)
- In-house duplication services (EDIS documents and new petitions/complaints only)
- Fax-on-demand services
- Paper copies of Commission publications.

The following services will not be available during the temporary relocation:

- Paper copies of investigative files
- Microfiche files.

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Donna R. Koehnke,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree

Under 28 C.F.R. § 50.7, notice is hereby given that on September 12, 1997, a proposed Consent Decree in *United States v. Marine Shale Processors, Inc.*, Civ. No. CV90-1240,

was lodged with the United States District Court for the Western District of Louisiana.

In this action against Marine Shale Processors, Inc., ("MSP") the United States sought to recover civil penalties and enjoin violations of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act ("RCRA"), 42 U.S.C. § 6901 *et seq.*, the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. § 1251 *et seq.*, the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. § 7413. The United States also sought relief under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. §§ 9604, 9606, and 9607. MSP operated a facility in Morgan City, Louisiana that treated hazardous waste by combustion.

This settlement resolves civil claims pending against MSP, as well as the civil claims against Southern Wood Piedmont, one of MSP's customers, and Recycling Park, Inc., an intervenor. The Proposed Decree also settles the claims of the State of Louisiana, co-Plaintiff in a number of the claims.

Under the proposed Decree, a new company, GTX, Inc. will purchase the assets and liabilities of MSP if and when GTX obtains certain environmental permits. MSP will pay a total penalty in excess of \$10 million. GTX will dispose of the incinerator ash produced by MSP in a RCRA Subtitle C landfill. Further, GTX will upgrade the pollution control devices and hazardous waste storage tanks at the Facility.

The Department of Justice will receive for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication comments relating to the Consent Decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General of the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530, and should refer to *United States v. Marine Shale Processors, Inc.*, D.J. Ref. 90-11-2-204.

The consent decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, Hale Boggs Federal Building, 501 Magazine Street, New Orleans, LA 70130, at U.S. EPA Region VI, 1445 Ross Avenue Dallas, TX 75202-2733, and at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, NW., 4th Floor, Washington, DC 20005. In requesting a copy, please enclose a check in the amount of \$30.00 (25 cents per page reproduction cost) payable to the Consent Decree Library.

Joel Gross,

Chief, Environmental Enforcement Section, Environment and Natural Resources Division.

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