

Respondent's Obligation: Mandatory.
Legal Authority: Title 13 USC, Sections 131, 182, 224, and 225.
OMB Desk Officer: Jerry Coffey, (202) 395-7314.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Linda Engelmeier, DOC Forms Clearance Officer, (202) 482-3272, Department of Commerce, room 5327, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to Jerry Coffey, OMB Desk Officer, room 10201, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: October 8, 1997.

Linda Engelmeier,

Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of Management and Organization.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-301-602]

Certain Fresh Cut Flowers From Colombia: Extension of Time Limit of Antidumping Administrative Review

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce is extending the time limit for the preliminary results in the administrative review of the antidumping order on certain fresh cut flowers from Colombia, covering the period March 1, 1996, through February 28, 1997, since it is not practicable to complete the review within the time limits mandated by section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. 1675 (a)(3)(A).

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 15, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Marian Wells or Rosa Jeong, Import Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Room 3099, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230; telephone (202) 482-6309 or 482-1278, respectively.

Applicable Statute and Regulations

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Act by the Uruguay Round

Agreements Act (URAA). In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department of Commerce's (the Department's) regulations are to the regulations codified at 19 CFR part 353 (April 1997).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On April 15, 1997, the Department initiated an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on Fresh Cut Flowers from Colombia (Flowers), covering the period March 1, 1996, through February 28, 1997 (62 FR 18312). In our notice of initiation, we stated that we intended to issue the final results of this review no later than March 31, 1998.

Postponement of the Preliminary Results

Section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act requires the Department to make a preliminary determination within 245 days after the last day of the anniversary month of an order for which a review is requested. However, if it is not practicable to issue the preliminary results in 245 days, section 751(a)(3)(A) allows the Department to extend this time period to 365 days.

We determine that it is not practicable to issue the preliminary results within 245 days because of the large number of respondents and the complexity of the legal and methodological issues in this review.

Accordingly, the deadline for issuing the preliminary results of this review is now no later than January 26, 1998. The deadline for issuing the final results of this review will be 120 days from the publication of the preliminary results.

This extension is in accordance with section 751 (a)(3)(A) of the Act.

Dated: October 8, 1997.

Richard W. Moreland,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary AD/CVD Enforcement.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-301-602]

Certain Fresh Cut Flowers From Colombia: Initiation of a Changed Circumstances Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce is initiating a changed circumstance review to determine whether Flores El Talle Ltda. is covered under the revocation granted to the Flores Colombianas Group.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 15, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Jennifer Yeske or Beth Graham, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone (202) 482-0189 or 482-4105, respectively.

Applicable Statute and Regulations

The Department is conducting this administrative review in accordance with section 751(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act). Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the statute are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Act by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act (URAA). In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department's regulations are those codified at 19 CFR Part 353 (April 1997).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On March 18, 1987, the Department published in the **Federal Register** (52 FR 8492) an antidumping duty order on certain fresh cut flowers from Colombia. On March 31, 1994, the antidumping order was revoked in the fourth administrative review as it applied to the Flores Colombianas Group. In a letter dated August 23, 1996, Flores El Talle Ltda. (Flores El Talle) notified the Department that the company shares the same ownership and management with the other Flores Colombianas Group companies, and that Flores El Talle should receive the same antidumping duty treatment that is accorded the Flores Colombianas Group.

Initiation of Review

The Department is initiating this review to determine whether Flores El Talle is a member of the Flores Colombianas Group and, if so, whether the revocation applicable to the Flores Colombianas Group also applies to Flores El Talle. If we determine that the revocation is applicable to Flores El Talle, we will instruct U.S. Customs officials to liquidate all entries of Colombian fresh flowers from Flores El Talle without regard to antidumping duties.

We are hereby notifying the public that we are initiating a changed

circumstances antidumping duty administrative review on certain fresh cut flowers from Colombia. We are also inviting interested parties to comment on the above and on any other relevant issue(s) associated with the foregoing.

This notice is published in accordance with section 751(b) of the Act and section 353.22(f)(1)(i) of the Department regulations.

Dated: October 7, 1997.

Robert S. LaRussa,

Assistant Secretary, Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Applications for Duty-Free Entry of Scientific Instruments

Pursuant to Section 6(c) of the Educational, Scientific and Cultural Materials Importation Act of 1966 (Pub. L. 89-651; 80 Stat. 897; 15 CFR part 301), we invite comments on the question of whether instruments of equivalent scientific value, for the purposes for which the instruments shown below are intended to be used, are being manufactured in the United States.

Comments must comply with 15 CFR 301.5(a)(3) and (4) of the regulations and be filed within 20 days with the Statutory Import Programs Staff, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C. 20230. Applications may be examined between 8:30 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. in Room 4211, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C.

Docket Number: 97-086. Applicant: University of Texas at Austin, Bellmont 222, Austin, TX 78712. *Instrument:* 3-D Motion Analysis System, Model Vicon 140. *Manufacturer:* Oxford Metrics, Ltd., United Kingdom. *Intended Use:* The instrument will be used to record and quantify an individual's movement performance during a series of experiments on the stability of standing balance, control of standing balance during threats to balance and the stability and variability of kinematic and kinetic variables during walking. These kinds of experiments are done with infants and young children, young adults and older adults. In addition, the instrument will be used for educational purposes in the courses KIN 388 Motor Control Laboratory Techniques and KIN 382 Motor Development Assessment in which students will learn the technical skills necessary to collect their own data

and perform subsequent processing and data interpretation. *Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs:* September 19, 1997.

Docket Number: 97-087. Applicant: Research Foundation of CUNY, 79 Fifth Avenue, New York, NY 10003.

Instrument: Stopped-Flow Rapid Kinetics Accessory, Model SFA-20. *Manufacturer:* Hi-Tech Scientific, United Kingdom. *Intended Use:* The instrument is an accessory used as a complement to existing instrumentation, i.e. temperature-jump, spectrophotometers and fluorimeters. The phenomena to be investigated are rapid substitution reactions of trigonal boron acids. Studies will then be extended to complexation reactions of a variety of bidentate chelating ligands. *Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs:* September 22, 1997.

Frank W. Creel

Director, Statutory Import Programs Staff.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Institute of Standards and Technology

Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award's Board of Overseers

AGENCY: National Institute of Standards and Technology, DOC.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. app. 2, notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Board of Overseers of the Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award on Friday, November 7, 1997, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The Board of Overseers consists of nine members prominent in the field of quality management and appointed by the Secretary of Commerce, assembled to advise the Secretary of Commerce on the conduct of the Baldrige Award. The purpose of the meeting on November 7, 1997, will be for the Board of Overseers to receive and then discuss reports from the National Institute of Standards and Technology with the chairman of the Judges Panel of the Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award. These reports will cover the following topics: Overview of the 1997 award cycle; discussion of applicant related proposals and program status, issues and plans; develop recommendations and report same to the Director of the National Institute of Standards and Technology.

DATES: The meeting will convene November 7, 1997 at 8:30 a.m., and adjourn at 3:30 p.m. on November 7, 1997.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the National Institute of Standards and Technology, Administration Building, Gaithersburg, Maryland 20899.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Dr. Harry Hertz, Director, National Quality Program, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, Maryland 20899, telephone number (301) 975-2361.

Dated: October 7, 1997.

Elaine Buntin-Mines,

Director, Program Office.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 100697A]

Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council; Meetings

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council and its Information & Education Committee, Comprehensive Management Committee, Surfclam & Ocean Quahog Committee, Habitat Committee, Large Pelagics Committee, and Executive Committee will hold a public meeting.

DATES: The meetings will be held on October 28-30, 1997. See

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION for specific dates and times.

ADDRESSES: The meetings will be held at the Holiday Inn SunSpree, 39th Street & Atlantic Ocean, Virginia Beach, VA 23351; telephone: 757-428-1711.

Council address: Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council, 300 S. New Street, Dover, DE 19904; telephone: 302-674-2331.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David R. Keifer, Executive Director, Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council; telephone: 302-674-2331.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On Tuesday, October 28, 1997, the Information & Education Committee will meet from 8:00-10:00 a.m. The Comprehensive Management Committee will meet from 10:00 a.m. to noon. The Committee Chairmen will meet from