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Dated: December 2, 1999.

Lucy Querques Denett,

Associate Director for Royalty Management.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation No. 731-TA-811 (Final)]

Drams of One Megabit and Above From Taiwan

Determination

On the basis of the record¹ developed in the subject investigation, the United States International Trade Commission determines, pursuant to section 735(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1673d(b)) (the Act), that an industry in the United States is not materially injured or threatened with material injury, and the establishment of an industry in the United States is not materially retarded, by reason of imports from Taiwan of dynamic random access memory semiconductors (DRAMs) of one megabit and above, provided for in subheadings 8542.13.80 and 8473.30.10 through 8473.30.90 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, that have been found by the Department of Commerce to be sold in the United States at less than fair value (LTFV).²

Background

The Commission instituted this investigation effective October 22, 1998, following receipt of a petition filed with the Commission and the Department of Commerce by Micron Technology, Boise, ID. The final phase of the

investigation was scheduled by the Commission following notification of a preliminary determination by the Department of Commerce that imports of DRAMs of one megabit and above from Taiwan were being sold at LTFV within the meaning of section 733(b) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1673b(b)). Notice of the scheduling of the Commission's investigation and of a public hearing to be held in connection therewith was given by posting copies of the notice in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, Washington, DC, and by publishing the notice in the **Federal Register** of June 17, 1999 (64 FR 32521). The hearing was held in Washington, DC, on October 19, 1999, and all persons who requested the opportunity were permitted to appear in person or by counsel.

The Commission transmitted its determination in this investigation to the Secretary of Commerce on December 2, 1999. The views of the Commission are contained in USITC Publication 3256 (December 1999), entitled Dynamic Random Access Memory Semiconductors of One Megabit and Above from Taiwan: Investigation No. 731-TA-811 (Final).

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By order of the Commission.

Donna R. Koehnke,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Extension of Time for Comments Relating to the Lodging of a Consent Decree Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act

Notice is hereby given of an extension of time under which the Department of Justice will receive comments relating to the proposed Consent Decree in *United States v. Bay Chemical Company, et al.*, Civil Action No. C99-5521RJB. The proposed Consent Decree was lodged with the United States District Court for the Western District of Washington on October 5, 1999 and previously noticed in the **Federal Register** on October 26, 1999. The earlier noticed comment period would have expired on November 25, 1999, but comments will now be considered if received by December 9, 1999.

The complaint in this action seeks to recover, pursuant to Section 107 of the Comprehensive Environmental

Response, Compensation, and Liability Act ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9607 response costs incurred and to be incurred by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") in the Hylebos Waterway Problem Areas in Operable Unit 1 ("OU1") of the Commencement Bay Nearshore/Tideflats Superfund Site (hereinafter "the Site") located in Tacoma, Washington. The defendants include owners and operators of properties within two problem areas of one of the nine operable units at the Site.

The proposed Consent Decree embodies an agreement with seventeen potentially responsible parties ("PRPs") pursuant to Section 107 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9607, to pay approximately \$762,880 in past and future response costs associated with the Hylebos Waterway Problem Areas of OU1 of the Site. The above-described payments include a premium to be paid by each settling party to offset the risks that actual future response costs will exceed current estimates.

The Consent Decree provides the settling defendants with releases for civil liability for response costs under Sections 106 and 107 of CERCLA relating to the Hylebos Waterway Problem Areas of OU1 of the Site. The Consent Decree explicitly reserves the United States' claims for response costs associated with other operable units and problem areas of the Site, natural resource damages, and other potential United States' claims.

Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General for the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, P.O. Box 7611, Washington, D.C. 20044-7611, should refer to *United States v. Bay Chemical Company, et al.*, DOJ Ref. No. 90-11-2-06010, and should be received by December 9, 1999.

The proposed consent decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, 3600 Seafirst Plaza, 800 5th Avenue, Room 3601, Seattle, WA 98104, and the Region X Office of the Environmental Protection Agency, Region X Records Center, 1200 Sixth Avenue, Seattle, Washington 98101. A copy of the proposed consent decree may be obtained by mail from the Consent Decree Library, U.S. Department of Justice, Environmental Enforcement Section, Post Office Box 7611, Washington, D.C. 20044. In requesting a copy, please refer to the referenced case and enclose a check in the amount of \$175.00 (25 cents per

¹ The record is defined in sec. 207.2(f) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR 207.2(f)).

² Chairman Bragg dissenting. Commissioners Crawford and Askey did not participate.