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Dated: June 15, 2000.

Lawrence E. Clark,

*Deputy Chief for Science and Technology,
Natural Resources Conservation Service.*
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Application for Designation of a Fair

ACTION: Proposed collection; comment request.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(C)(2)(A)).

DATES: Written comments must be submitted on or before August 21, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Linda Engelmeier, Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, (202) 482-3272, Email Lengelme@doc.gov, Department of Commerce, Room 6086, 14th & Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument and instructions should be directed to: Linda Harbaugh, ITA's Tourism Industries, Room 2073, 1400 Constitution Ave, NW, Washington, DC 20230; phone: (202) 482-4601, and fax: (202) 482-2887.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

The International Trade Administration, Tourism Industries office offers trade fair guidance and assistance to trade fair organizers, trade fair operators, and other travel and trade oriented groups. These fairs open doors to promising travel markets around the world. These trade fairs provide an opportunity for showcasing quality exhibits and products from around the world. The "Application for Designation of a Fair" is a questionnaire that is prepared and signed by an organizer to begin the certification process. It asks the fair organizer to provide details as to the date, place, and sponsor of the fair, as well as license, permit, and corporate backers, and countries participating. To apply for the U.S. Department of Commerce sponsorship, the fair organizer must have all of the components of the application in order. Then, with the approval, the organizer is able to bring in their products in accordance with Customs laws. Articles which may be brought in, include, but are not limited to, actual exhibit items, pamphlets, brochures, and explanatory material in reasonable quantities relating to the foreign exhibits at a fair, and material for use in constructing, installing, or maintaining foreign exhibits at a fair.

II. Method of Collection

The request is sent to the Department of Commerce, Tourism Industries, to the Trade Fair Chairperson.

III. Data

OMB Number: 0625-0228.
Form Number: ITA-4135P.
Type of Review: Regular submission.
Affected Public: Business or other for-profit.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 200.

Estimated Time Per Response: 30 minutes.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 100 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Cost: \$6,000 (Government \$2,500, Respondents \$3,500).

IV. Requested for Comments

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (c)

ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: June 15, 2000.

Madeleine Clayton,

Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation; Opportunity To Request Administrative Review

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

ACTION: Notice of Opportunity to Request Administrative Review of Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation.

Background

Each year during the anniversary month of the publication of an antidumping or countervailing duty order, finding, or suspension of investigation, an interested party, as defined in section 771(9) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), may request, in accordance with § 351.213 (1999) of the Department of Commerce (the Department) Regulations, that the Department conduct an administrative review of that antidumping or countervailing duty order, finding, or suspended investigation.

Opportunity To Request a Review

Not later than the last day of June 2000, interested parties may request administrative review of the following orders, findings, or suspended investigations, with anniversary dates in June for the following periods:

| | Period |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Antidumping Duty Proceedings | |
| Belgium: Sugar A-423-077 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Canada: | |
| Oil Country Tubular Goods A-122-506 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Red Raspberries* A-122-401 | 6/1/99-12/31/99 |
| France: | |
| Large Power Transformers* A-427-030 | 6/1/99-12/31/99 |
| Sugar A-427-078 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Germany: | |
| Industrial Belts, Except Synchronous & V belts A-428-802 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Precipitated Barium Carbonate* A-428-061 | 6/1/99-12/31/99 |
| Sugar A-428-082 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Hungary: Tapered Roller Bearings A-437-601 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Italy: | |
| Large Power Transformers* A-475-031 | 6/1/99-12/31/99 |
| Synchronous and V-Belts A-475-802 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Japan: | |
| Certain Hot-Rolled Carbon Steel Flat Products A-588-846 | 2/19/99-5/31/00 |
| Engineered Process Gas Turbo-Compressor Systems A-588-840 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Fishnetting of Man-Made Fibers* A-588-029 | 6/1/99-12/31/99 |
| Forklift Trucks A-588-703 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Grain-Oriented Electrical Steel A-588-831 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Industrial Belts A-588-807 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Large Power Transformers* A-588-032 | 6/1/99-12/31/99 |
| Nitrile Rubber* A-588-706 | 6/1/99-12/31/99 |
| Republic of Korea: PET Film A-580-807 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Romania: Tapered Roller Bearings A-485-602 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Singapore: V-Belts A-559-803 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Sweden: Stainless Steel Plate* A-401-040 | 6/1/99-12/31/99 |
| Taiwan: | |
| Carbon Steel Plate A-583-080 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Oil Country Tubular Goods A-583-505 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings A-583-816 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Certain Helical Spring Lock Washers A-583-820 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| The Netherlands: Aramid Fiber A-421-805 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| The People's Republic of China: | |
| Furfuryl Alcohol** A-570-835 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Silicon Metal A-570-806 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Sparklers A-570-804 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Tapered Roller Bearings A-570-601 | 6/1/99-5/31/00 |
| Countervailing Duty Proceedings | |
| Italy: Grain-Oriented Electrical Steel C-475-812 | 1/1/99-12/31/99 |
| Suspension Agreements | |
| None. | |

*-1AOrder revoked effective 01/01/2000 as a result of sunset review.

**-1AThis order is currently undergoing a "sunset" review pursuant to section 751(c) of the Act. If, subsequent to publication of this opportunity notice the order should be revoked pursuant to "sunset," any review (if requested) or automatic liquidation instruction (if no review is requested) will only cover through the last day prior to the effective date of revocation.

In accordance with § 351.213(b) of the regulations, an interested party as defined by section 771(9) of the Act may request in writing that the Secretary conduct an administrative review. For both antidumping and countervailing duty reviews, the interested party must specify for which individual producers or exporters covered by an antidumping finding or an antidumping or countervailing duty order or suspension agreement it is requesting a review, and the requesting party must state why it desires the Secretary to review those particular producers or exporters. If the interested party intends for the Secretary to review sales of merchandise by an exporter (or a producer if that producer also exports merchandise from

other suppliers) which were produced in more than one country of origin and each country of origin is subject to a separate order, then the interested party must state specifically, on an order-by-order basis, which exporter(s) the request is intended to cover.

Seven copies of the request should be submitted to the Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Room 1870, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street & Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230. The Department also asks parties to serve a copy of their requests to the Office of Antidumping/Countervailing Enforcement, Attention: Sheila Forbes, in room 3065 of the main Commerce Building. Further, in

accordance with § 351.303(f)(1)(i) of the regulations, a copy of each request must be served on every party on the Department's service list.

The Department will publish in the **Federal Register** a notice of "Initiation of Administrative Review of Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation" for requests received by the last day of June 2000. If the Department does not receive, by the last day of June 2000, a request for review of entries covered by an order, finding, or suspended investigation listed in this notice and for the period identified above, the Department will instruct the Customs Service to assess antidumping or countervailing duties on those entries

at a rate equal to the cash deposit of (or bond for) estimated antidumping or countervailing duties required on those entries at the time of entry, or withdrawal from warehouse, for consumption and to continue to collect the cash deposit previously ordered.

This notice is not required by statute but is published as a service to the international trading community.

Dated: June 14, 2000.

Holly A. Kuga,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, Group II, for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Allegheny-Singer Research Institute; Notice of Decision on Application for Duty-Free Entry of Scientific Instrument

This decision is made 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). Related records can be viewed between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. in Room 4211, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC.

Docket Number: 00-013. Applicant: Allegheny-Singer Research Institute, Pittsburgh, PA 15212-4772. Instrument: Robot and Microplate Manipulator, Model Q-Bot. Manufacturer: Genetix Limited, United Kingdom. Intended Use: See notice at 65 FR 26583, May 8, 2000.

Comments: None received. Decision: Approved. No instrument of equivalent scientific value to the foreign instrument, for such purposes as it is intended to be used, is being manufactured in the United States. Reasons: The foreign instrument provides a unique multi-tasking robotic system for the production, gridding and regridding of DNA arrays with: (1) A pneumatic picking head for sampling 3500 colonies per hour, (2) ability to create high density arrays on nylon filters, (3) replication of plates (96 or 384 wells) for distributing clones and (4) picking of both colonies or plaques. The National Institutes of Health advised in its memorandum of May 5, 2000 that (1) these capabilities are pertinent to the applicant's intended purpose and (2) it knows of no domestic instrument or apparatus of equivalent scientific value to the foreign instrument for the applicant's intended use.

We know of no other instrument or apparatus of equivalent scientific value to the foreign instrument which is being manufactured in the United States.

Frank W. Creel,

Director, Statutory Import Programs Staff.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

University of Michigan; Notice of Decision on Application for Duty-Free Entry of Scientific Instrument

This decision is made 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). Related records can be viewed between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. in Room 4211, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC.

Docket Number: 00-011. Applicant: University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI 48109-1055. Instrument: Electron Beam Evaporator, Model EGN4. Manufacturer: Oxford Applied Research, United Kingdom. Intended Use: See notice at 65 FR 26583, May 8, 2000.

Comments: None received. Decision: Approved. No instrument of equivalent scientific value to the foreign instrument, for such purposes as it is intended to be used, is being manufactured in the United States. Reasons: The foreign instrument provides: (1) Capability to evaporate four different materials and (2) an interface to a vacuum chamber via a 2³/₄ inch CF flange. Two domestic manufacturers of similar equipment advise that (1) These capabilities are pertinent to the applicant's intended purpose and (2) they know of no domestic instrument or apparatus of equivalent scientific value to the foreign instrument for the applicant's intended use.

We know of no other instrument or apparatus of equivalent scientific value to the foreign instrument which is being manufactured in the United States.

Frank W. Creel,

Director, Statutory Import Programs Staff.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Institute of Standards and Technology

Notice of Prospective Grant of Exclusive Patent License

AGENCY: National Institute of Standards and Technology Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of Prospective Grant of Exclusive Patent License.

SUMMARY: This is a notice in accordance with 35 U.S.C. 209(c)(1) and 37 CFR 404.7(a)(1)(i) that the National Institute of Standards and Technology ("NIST"), U.S. Department of Commerce, is contemplating the grant of an exclusive license in the United States of America, its territories, possessions and commonwealths, to NIST's interest in the invention embodied in U.S. Patent Application 09/016,668, titled, "Temperature Calibration Wafer For Rapid Thermal Processing Using Thin-Film Thermocouples", filed January 27, 1998; NIST Docket No. 97-021US to Claud S. Gordon Co., having a place of business at 5710 Kenosha St., Richmond, IL. The grant of the license would be for the field of use of Semiconductor Manufacturing.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: J. Terry Lynch, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Office of Technology Partnerships, Building 820, Room 213, Gaithersburg, MD 20899.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The prospective exclusive license will be royalty-bearing and will comply with the terms and conditions of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7. The prospective exclusive license may be granted unless, within sixty days from the date of this published Notice, NIST receives written evidence and argument which establish that the grant of the license would not be consistent with the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 209 and 37 CFR 404.7. The availability of the invention for licensing was published in the **Federal Register**, Vol. 63, No. 42 (March 4, 1998).

U.S. Patent application 09/016,668 is owned by the U.S. Government, as represented by the Secretary of Commerce. The present invention enables the measurement of temperature and the calibration of temperature measurements in rapid thermal processing tools for silicon wafer processing to a greater accuracy than previously possible. The invention is a device which is a calibration wafer of novel construction and capabilities. The calibration wafer is comprised of an array of junctions of thin film thermocouples which traverse the