

1999, the Department published its initiation of this new shipper review covering the period September 1, 1998 through February 28, 1999 (64 FR 24328). On March 15, 2000, the Department published the preliminary results of review (65 FR 13939). On May 1, 2000, the Department extended the time limits for the final results of this new shipper review (65 FR 25309).

Extension of Time Limits for Final Results

Because of the complexities described in the *Memorandum from Edward C. Yang to Joseph A. Spetrini, Extension of Time Limit for the Final Results of New Shipper Review of Freshwater Crawfish Tail Meat from the People's Republic of China*, dated June 19, 2000, we find that this case is extraordinarily complicated and we are unable to complete this review within the time limits mandated by section 351.214(i)(2) of the Department's regulations.

Therefore, in accordance with section 351.214(i)(2) of the Department's regulations, the Department is extending the time period for issuing the final results of review until July 14, 2000.

Dated: June 19, 2000.

Edward C. Yang,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, AD/CVD Enforcement Group III.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

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Certain Pasta From Italy and Turkey: Extension of Time Limit for Preliminary Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Reviews

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 28, 2000.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Russell Morris at (202) 482-1775, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Ave, NW., Washington, DC 20230.

Time Limits

Statutory Time Limits

Section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), requires the Department to make a preliminary determination within 245 days after the last day of the anniversary month of an order/finding for which a review is

requested and a final determination within 120 days after the date on which the preliminary determination is published. However, if it is not practicable to complete the review within these time periods, section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act allows the Department to extend the time limit for the preliminary determination to a maximum of 365 days and for the final determination to 180 days (or 300 days if the Department does not extend the time limit for the preliminary determination) from the date of publication of the preliminary determination.

Background

On August 30, 1999, the Department published a notice of initiation of administrative reviews of the antidumping duty orders on certain pasta from Italy and Turkey, covering the period July 1, 1998, through June 30, 1999 (64 FR 47167). On February 4, 2000, the Department extended the time limit for completion of the preliminary results of these administrative reviews by 90 days (65 FR 5591). The preliminary results are currently due no later than June 30, 2000.

Extension of Time Limit for Preliminary Results of Review

We determine that it is not practicable to complete the preliminary results of these reviews within the extended 90 day time limit. Therefore the Department is extending the time limit for completion of these preliminary results for the full 120 days, until no later than July 31, 2000. See Decision Memorandum from Melissa Skinner to Holly Kuga, dated June 14, 2000, which is on file in the Central Records Unit, Room B-099 of the main Commerce building. We intend to issue the final results no later than 120 days after the publication of the preliminary results notice.

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

Dated: June 16, 2000.

Holly A. Kuga,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, Import Administration, Group II.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[C-401-401]

Certain Carbon Steel Products From Sweden: Extension of Preliminary Results of Countervailing Duty Administrative Review

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

ACTION: Notice of extension of time limit for preliminary results of Countervailing Duty Administrative Review.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 28, 2000.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Tipten Troidl at (202) 482-1767 or Gayle Longest at (202) 482-3338, Office of AD/CVD Enforcement VI, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230.

Statutory Time Limits

Section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), requires the Department to make a preliminary determination within 245 days after the last day of the anniversary month of an order/finding for which a review is requested and a final determination within 120 days after the date on which the preliminary determination is published. However, if it is not practicable to complete the review within the time period, section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act allows the Department to extend the time limit for the preliminary determination to a maximum of 365 days and for the final determination to 180 days (or 300 days if the Department does not extend the time limit for the preliminary determination) from the Date of publication of the preliminary determination.

Background

On December 3, 1999, the Department published a notice of initiation of administrative review of the countervailing duty on certain carbon steel products from Sweden, covering the period January 1, 1998 through December 31, 1998 (64 FR 56485). The preliminary results are currently due no later than July 2, 2000.

Extension of Preliminary Results of Review

We determine that it is not practicable to complete the preliminary results of this review within the original time limit. Therefore, the Department is extending the time limits for completion

of the preliminary results until no later than October 31, 2000. See Decision Memorandum from Melissa G. Skinner, Office Director for AD/CVD Office VI, to Holly A. Kuga, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, dated June 21, 2000, which is on public file in the Central Records Unit, Room B-099 of the Department of Commerce. We intend to issue the final results no later than 120 days after the publication of the preliminary results.

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

Dated: June 22, 2000.

Holly A. Kuga,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

2000 Overseas Trade Missions Private Sector Participants Recruitment and Selection

AGENCY: International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce invites U.S. companies to participate in the following overseas trade missions. For a more complete description of the trade mission, obtain a copy of the mission statement from the Project Officer indicated below. The recruitment and selection of private sector participants for these missions will be conducted according to the Statement of Policy Governing Department of Commerce Overseas Trade Missions announced by Secretary Daley on March 3, 1997.

Clean Energy Trade Mission
Poland, Hungary and the Czech Republic

September 28–October 5, 2000
Recruitment closes August 5, 2000

For further information contact: Andy Collier, U.S. Department of Commerce, Tel: 202-482-0680, Fax: 202-482-3352, E-Mail: Andrew_Collier@ita.doc.gov.

Franchising Trade Mission
Malaysia, the Philippines, and South Korea

September 28–October 6, 2000
Recruitment closes August 15, 2000

For further information contact: Raj Dwivedy, U.S. Department of Commerce, Tel: 202-482-1135, Fax: 202-482-2669, E-Mail: Raj_Dwivedy@ita.doc.gov.

Medical Device Trade Mission to India

New Delhi, Chennai and Mumbai
February 4–11, 2001
Recruitment closes December 15, 2000

For further information contact: Michael Andrews, U.S. Department of Commerce Tel: 202-482-2795, Fax: 202-482-0975, E-Mail: Michael_Andrews@ita.doc.gov.

For further information contact Reginald Beckham, U.S. Department of Commerce. Tel: 202-482-5478, Fax: 202-482-1999.

Dated: June 22, 2000.

Tom Nisbet,

Director, Promotion Planning and Support Division, Office of Export Promotion Coordination.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 061900D]

Notice of Decision and Availability of Decision Documents on the Issuance of a Permit for Incidental Takes of Threatened and Endangered Species (1233); Issuance of Modifications to Existing Permits (988, 1030); and Receipt of Application for Scientific Research (1254)

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

ACTION: Notice of decision and availability of decision documents on the issuance of a permit (1233) for incidental takes of endangered and threatened species; issuance of modification number 3 to permit 1030; issuance of modification number 1 to permit 988; receipt of an application for a scientific research permit (1254).

SUMMARY: This notice advises the public that a decision on the application for an incidental take permit by the State of Idaho Department of Fish and Game (IDFG), pursuant to section 10(a)(1)(B) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (ESA), has been made and that the decision documents are available upon request. Notice is also given of the following actions regarding permits for takes of endangered and threatened species for the purposes of scientific research and/or enhancement: NMFS has issued modification number 1 to permit 988 to Dr. Peter Dutton of NMFS—Southwest Fisheries Science Center (SWFSC) (988) and NMFS has issued modification number 3 to permit

1030 to Mr. Reed Bohne, of NOAA—Gray's Reef NMS (GRNMS) (1030); and NMFS has received an application for a scientific research permit from Mr. Martin Daley, of Central Hudson Gas & Electric Corporation (CHPG) (1254).

ADDRESSES: Written comments on any of the new applications or modification requests should be sent to the appropriate office as indicated here. Comments may also be sent via fax to the number indicated for the application or modification request. Comments will not be accepted if submitted via e-mail or the internet. The applications and related documents are available for review in the indicated office, by appointment:

For permits 1030, 988 and 1254, Endangered Species Division, Office of Protected Resources, NMFS, 1315 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, MD, 20910 (Ph: 301-713-1401).

For permit 1233, Hatcheries and Inland Fisheries Branch, Sustainable Fisheries Division, F/NW03, NMFS, 525 NE Oregon Street, Suite 510, Portland, OR 97232-2737 (503-230-5407).

Documents may also be reviewed by appointment in the Office of Protected Resources, F/PR3, NMFS, 1315 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, MD 20910-3226 (301-713-1401).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For permit 1233: Herbert Pollard, Portland, OR (208) 378-5614, fax: (208) 378-5699, or e-mail: Herbert.Pollard@noaa.gov

For permits 988, 1030, and 1254: Terri Jordan, Silver Spring, MD, (301-713-1401 x148).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Authority

Issuance of permits and permit modifications, as required by the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1531-1543) (ESA), is based on a finding that such permits/modifications: (1) are applied for in good faith; (2) would not operate to the disadvantage of the listed species which are the subject of the permits; and (3) are consistent with the purposes and policies set forth in section 2 of the ESA. Authority to take listed species is subject to conditions set forth in the permits. Permits and modifications are issued in accordance with and are subject to the ESA and NMFS regulations governing listed fish and wildlife permits (50 CFR parts 222-226).

Those individuals requesting a hearing on an application listed in this notice should set out the specific reasons why a hearing on that application would be appropriate (see **ADDRESSES**). The holding of such