when it can meaningfully consider and respond to them in the Final EIS.

To assist the Forest Service in identifying and considering comments, comments on the Draft EIS should be as specific as possible. It is also helpful if comments refer to specific pages or chapters of the Draft EIS. Comments may address the adequacy of the Draft EIS or the merits of the alternatives formulated and discussed in EIS. Reviewers may wish to refer to the Council on Environmental Quality Regulations for implementing the procedural provisions of the National Environmental Policy Act at 40 CFR 1503.3 in addressing these points.

After the 45 day comment period ends on the Draft EIS, comment will be considered and analyzed by the Agency in preparing the Final EIS. The Final EIS is scheduled for completion by October 2001. In the Final EIS, the Forest Service is required to respond to comments and responses received during the comment period that pertain to the environmental consequences discussed in the Draft EIS, applicable laws, regulations, and policies considered in making the decision regarding the proposal.

The Forest Service Responsible Official is Jack Williams, Forest Supervisor, of the Siskiyou National Forest. The Responsible Official will consider the Final EIS, applicable laws, regulations, policies, and analysis files in making a decision. The Responsible Official will document the decision and rationale in the Record of Decision. The decision will be subject to appeal by the general public under regulation 36 CFR 215.


Jack E. Williams,
Forest Supervisor.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Bureau of Export Administration

Materials Technical Advisory Committee; Notice of Partially Closed Meeting

The Materials Technical Advisory Committee will meet on June 13, 2001, 10:30 a.m., Herbert C. Hoover Building, Room 3884, 14th Street between Constitution & Pennsylvania Avenues, NW., Washington, DC. The Committee advises the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Export Administration with respect to technical questions that affect the level of export controls applicable to materials and related technology.

Agenda

Public Session

1. Opening remarks and introductions.
2. Presentation of papers and comments by the public.
3. Status report on proposed revision to missile technology controls for composites and composite production equipment: relationship of cure temperature and glass transition temperature after curing.

Closed Session

4. Discussion of matters properly classified under Executive Order 12958, dealing with U.S. export control programs and strategic criteria related thereto.

A limited number of seats will be available during the public session of the meeting. Reservations are not accepted. To the extent time permits, members of the public may present oral statements to the Committee. Written statements may be submitted at any time before or after the meeting.

However, to facilitate distribution of public presentation materials to Committee members, the materials should be forwarded prior to the meeting to the address below: Ms. Lee Ann Carpenter, OSIES/E/A/BXA MS: 3876, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14 St. & Constitution Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20230.

The Assistant Secretary for Administration, with the concurrence of the delegate of the General Counsel, formally determined on March 7, 2000, pursuant to section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, that the series of meetings or portions of meetings of the Committee and of any Subcommittee thereof dealing with the classified materials listed in 5 U.S.C. 552(c)(1) shall be exempt from the provisions relating to public meetings found in section 10(a)(1) and (a)(3) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act. The remaining series of meetings or portions thereof will be open to the public. A copy of the Notice of Determination to close meetings or portions of meetings of the Committee is available for public inspection and copying in the Central Reference and Records Inspection Facility, Room 6202, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC. For more information or copies of the minutes call Ms. Lee Ann Carpenter at (202) 482–2583.


Lee Ann Carpenter,
Committee Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Export Administration

Regulations and Procedures Technical Advisory Committee; Notice of Partially Closed Meeting

The Regulations and Procedures Technical Advisory Committee (RPTAC) will meet June 12, 2001, 9 a.m., Room 3884, in the Herbert C. Hoover Building, 14th Street between Constitution and Pennsylvania Avenues, NW., Washington, DC. The Committee advises the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Export Administration on implantation of the Export Administration Regulations (EAR) and provides for continuing review to update the EAR as needed.

Agenda

Public Session

1. Opening remarks by the Chairman.
2. Presentation of papers or comments by the public.
3. Update on pending regulations.
4. Work group activity reports and discussion.
5. Update on Bureau of Export Administration initiatives.

Closed Session

6. Discussion of matters properly classified under Executive Order 12958, dealing with U.S. export control programs and strategic criteria related thereto.

A limited number of seats will be available for the public session. Reservations are not accepted. To the extent that time permits, members of the public may present oral statements to the Committee. The public may submit written statements at any time before or after the meeting. However, to facilitate the distribution of public presentation materials to Committee members, the Committee suggests that presenters forward the public presentation materials prior to the meeting to the following address: Ms. Lee Ann Carpenter, OSIES/E/A/BXA MS: 3876, 14th St. & Constitution Ave., NW., U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20230.

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Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, that the series of meetings or portions of meetings of the Committee and of any Subcommittees thereof, dealing with the classified materials listed in 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(1) shall be exempt from the provisions relating to public meetings found in sections 10(a)(1) and 10(a)(3) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act. The remaining series of meetings or portions thereof will be open to the public.

A copy of the Notice of Determination to close meetings or portions of meetings of the Committee is available for public inspection and copying in the Central Reference and Records Inspection Facility, Room 6020, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC. For more information, call Lee Ann Carpenter at (202) 482–2583.


Lee Ann Carpenter, Committee Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
International Trade Administration

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Brake Rotors From the People’s Republic of China: Preliminary Results and Partial Rescission of Fifth New Shipper Review

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

ACTION: Notice of preliminary results and partial rescission of fifth new shipper review.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce is currently conducting the fifth new shipper review of the antidumping duty order on brake rotors from the People’s Republic of China covering the period April 1, 2000, through September 30, 2000. This review covers three exporters. We have preliminarily determined that two exporters have made sales at not less than normal value. For the other exporter, we have preliminarily determined that it failed to demonstrate its entitlement to a separate rate and thus are preliminarily rescinding the review with respect to it. If these preliminary results are adopted in our final results of this review, we will instruct the Customs Service to assess no antidumping duties on entries of subject merchandise during the period of review from the two exporters, for which the importer-specific assessment rates are zero or de minimis (i.e., less than 0.50 percent), and to assess duties on all entries of subject merchandise made during the period of review by the other exporter at the country-wide rate. Furthermore, we will instruct the Customs Service to require a cash deposit on all future entries of the subject merchandise from that exporter at the country-wide rate.

We will issue the final results no later than 90 days from the date of issuance of this notice.


FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Brian Smith or Brian Ledgerwood, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–1766 or (202) 482–3836, respectively.

The Applicable Statute

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. In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department’s regulations are to 19 CFR Part 351 (2000).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On October 31, 2000, the Department received timely requests from Beijing Concord Auto Technology Inc. (“Concord”), Qingdao Meita Automotive Industry Co., Ltd. (“Meita”), and Shandong Laizhou Huanri General Group Co. (“Huanri General”) for a new shipper review of this antidumping duty order in accordance with 19 CFR 351.214(c). In their requests for a new shipper review and in accordance with 19 CFR 351.214(b)(2)(i) and (iii)(A), Concord, Huanri General, and Meita each certified that it did not export the subject merchandise to the United States during the period covered by the original less-than-fair-value (“LTFV”) investigation and that it is not affiliated with any company which exported the subject merchandise to the United States during the period of investigation (“POI”). Concord, Huanri General, and Meita also certified that their export activities are not controlled by the central government of the People’s Republic of China (“PRC”). Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.214(b)(2)(iv), Concord, Huanri General, and Meita submitted documentation establishing the date on which the merchandise was first entered for consumption in the United States, the volume of that first shipment, and the date of the first sale to an unaffiliated customer in the United States.


On November 28, 2000, we issued a questionnaire to each PRC company listed in the brake rotor initiation notice. On December 5, 2000, the Department provided the parties an opportunity to submit publicly available information for consideration in these preliminary results. On December 28, 2000, Concord, Huanri General, and Meita requested an extension of time until January 19, 2001, to file their responses to the antidumping duty questionnaire, which the Department subsequently granted on December 29, 2000. On January 9, 2001, the petitioner requested an extension of time until February 20, 2001, to submit publicly available information for consideration in the preliminary results, which the Department subsequently granted to all parties on January 18, 2001.

On January 25, 2001, the Department notified the respondents that it intended to conduct a verification of their responses to the antidumping duty questionnaire in this review and provided each respondent with a sample verification outline for purposes of familiarizing each company with the verification process. On January 19, 2001, each respondent submitted its questionnaire response.

Also on January 25, 2001, the Department issued supplemental questionnaires to each respondent. On February 5, 2001, each respondent requested an extension of time until February 23, 2001, to file its response to the supplemental questionnaire, which the Department subsequently granted on February 7, 2001. On February 23, 2001, each respondent submitted its supplemental questionnaire response.

On February 20, 2001, the respondents and the petitioner submitted publicly available information. On February 27, 2001, the respondents and the petitioner provided rebuttal comments on the publicly available information submitted by the other.

On March 2, 2001, the Department provided a verification outline to each

1 The petitioner is the Coalition for the Preservation of American Brake Drum and Rotor Aftermarket Manufacturers.