

DATE AND TIME: Monday, October 31, 2005, 2 p.m.

PLACE: U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, 624 9th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20425, Via Teleconference, Public Call-In number: 1-800-377-4872, Access Code Number: 45318301, Federal Relay Service: 1-800-877-8339.

STATUS:

Agenda

- I. Approval of Agenda
- II. Approval of Minutes of October 7, 2005, Meeting
- III. State Advisory Committees Issues
 - Working Group on SAC Reform
- IV. Future Agenda Items

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Commerce has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Agency: National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

Title: NMFS Alaska Region Observer Providers.

Form Number(s): None.

OMB Approval Number: 0648-0318.

Type of Request: Regular submission.

Burden Hours: 1,959.

Number of Respondents: 205.

Average Hours Per Response: 30 minutes for industry request for assistance in improving observer data quality issues; 60 hr for new permit application for observer provider; 15 minutes for update to provider information; 15 minutes for observer candidates college transcripts and disclosure statements, observer candidate; 15 minutes for observer candidates college transcripts and disclosure statements, observer provider; 5 minutes for notification of observer physical examination, observer provider; 2 hours for observer physical examination; 7 minutes for projected observer assignment; 7 minutes for briefing registration; 12 minutes for certificate of insurance; 15 minutes for copies of contracts; 7 minutes for weekly deployment/logistics reports; 7 minutes for debriefing registration; 2

hours for reports of problems; 40 hours for observer provider permit expiration or denial of permit appeals; and 20 hours for appeals for denial of observer certification, certification suspension, or decertification.

Needs and Uses: NMFS North Pacific Groundfish Observer Program was implemented in early 1990. Observers in this Program collect and disseminate catch, bycatch, and biological data necessary to support in-season monitoring and stock assessment. Alaska Fisheries Science Center in Seattle, Washington, provides the operational oversight of the program, certification training, definition of observer sampling duties and methods, debriefing of observers, and management of the data. Owners of vessels, shoreside processors, or stationary floating processors required to carry observers must arrange for observer services from an observer provider. A list of observer providers is available at http://www.afsc.noaa.gov/refm/observers/observer_providers.htm.

The name of this collection is changed from "Observer Providers of the North Pacific" to read "NMFS Alaska Region Observer Providers."

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit organizations; individuals or households.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Required to obtain or retain benefits.

OMB Desk Officer: David Rostker, (202) 395-3897.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Diana Hynek, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, (202) 482-0266, Department of Commerce, Room 6625, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at dHynek@doc.gov).

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to David Rostker, OMB Desk Officer, FAX number (202) 395-7285, or David_Rostker@omb.eop.gov.

Dated: October 17, 2005.

Gwellnar Banks,

Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Commerce has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Agency: National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

Title: Knowledge, Attitudes, and Perceptions of Management Strategies and Regulations in the Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary.

Form Number(s): None.

OMB Approval Number: None.

Type of Request: Regular submission.

Burden Hours: 490.

Number of Respondents: 245.

Average Hours Per Response: 2.

Needs and Uses: This is a ten-year replication of the Knowledge, Attitudes, and Perceptions of the management strategies and regulations of the Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary (FKNMS) for three user groups; commercial fishermen, dive shop owners/operators, and members of local environmental groups. The original study was done in 1995-96 and was adopted as providing baselines for the Socioeconomic Research and Monitoring Program for the FKNMS. Since 1995-96 much has happened, so the study will also provide new baselines for new management strategies and regulations. The most important management strategies and regulations assessed in both the baseline and replication are those related to the special zones created in the FKNMS, especially the no-take areas. The information is important to support the "adaptive management" process in the FKNMS and to support education and outreach efforts.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit organizations; individuals or households.

Frequency: One time only.

Respondent's Obligation: Voluntary.

OMB Desk Officer: David Rostker, (202) 395-3897.

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Dated: October 17, 2005.

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Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Industry and Security

Materials Processing Equipment Technical Advisory Committee; Notice of Open Meeting

The Materials Processing Equipment Technical Advisory Committee (MPETAC) will meet on November 3, 2005 at 9 a.m. in Room 3884 of the Herbert C. Hoover Building, 14th Street between Pennsylvania and Constitution 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 processing equipment and related technology.

Agenda

1. Opening Remarks and Introductions.
2. Presentation of Papers and Comments by the Public.
3. Report on September Wassenaar Experts Meeting.
4. Report on proposed changes to the Export Administration Regulation.
5. Comments on Machine Tool Export.
6. Other Business.

The meeting will be open to the public and a limited number of seats will be available. Reservations are not accepted. To the extent that 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 Committee suggests that presenters forward the public presentation materials two weeks prior to Yvette Springer at Yspringer@bis.doc.gov.

For more information, please contact Ms. Springer at 202-482-4814.

Dated: October 14, 2005.

Yvette Springer,

Committee Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

A-427-801, A-559-801, A 412-801, A-588-804

Antifriction Bearings and Parts Thereof from France, Singapore, the United Kingdom, and Japan: Notice of Rescission and Partial Rescission of Antidumping Duty Administrative Reviews

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

SUMMARY: On June 30, 2005, the Department of Commerce published a notice of initiation of antidumping and countervailing duty administrative reviews. The notice covered ball bearings and spherical plain bearings (SPBs) and parts thereof from France, Singapore, the United Kingdom, and Japan for the period May 1, 2004, through April 30, 2005. The Department is now rescinding the review of the orders on SPBs from France and ball bearings from Singapore and partially rescinding the review of the orders on ball bearings from the United Kingdom and Japan.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 21, 2005.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Lyn Johnson at (202) 482-5287 or Richard Rimlinger at (202) 482-4477, AD/CVD Operations, Office 5, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S., Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On May 15, 1989, the Department published in the **Federal Register** the antidumping duty orders on ball bearings and SPBs and parts thereof from France (54 FR 20902), ball bearings and parts thereof from Singapore (54 FR 20907), ball bearings and parts thereof from the United Kingdom (54 FR 20910), and ball bearings and parts thereof from Japan (54 FR 20904). On May 2, 2005, the Department published a notice of opportunity to request a review of these orders for the period May 1, 2004, through April 30, 2005. See *Notice of Opportunity to Request Administrative Review of Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation*, 70 FR 22631 (May 2, 2005). On May 25, 2005, NSK Europe, Ltd., NSK Bearings Europe Ltd. and NSK Corporation (collectively, NSK), requested an administrative review of its exports of ball bearings from the United Kingdom. On May 26,

2005, Asahi Seiko Co., Ltd. (Asahi), requested an administrative review of its exports of ball bearings from Japan. On May 27, 2005, NMB Singapore Ltd., Pelmec Industries (Pte.) Ltd. and NMB Technologies Corporation (collectively, NMB/Pelmec), requested an administrative review of their exports of ball bearings from Singapore. On May 31, 2005, SKF USA Inc., a domestic producer and importer of the subject merchandise and SKF France S.A. and Sarma, producers and exporters of the subject merchandise (collectively, SKF), requested an administrative review of SKF's exports of ball bearings and SPBs from France. Accordingly, the Department published a notice of initiation of these antidumping duty administrative reviews on June 30, 2005, in accordance with section 751(a) of the Tariff Act of 1930 as amended (the Act). See *Notice of Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative Reviews*, 70 FR 37749 (June 30, 2005).

NSK submitted a letter to the Department on July 27, 2005, withdrawing its request for a review of its exports of ball bearings from the United Kingdom. NMB/Pelmec submitted a letter to the Department on September 23, 2005, withdrawing its request for a review of its exports of ball bearings from Singapore. Asahi submitted a letter to the Department on September 26, 2005, withdrawing its request for a review of its exports of ball bearings from Japan. Finally, SKF submitted a letter to the Department on August 22, 2005, withdrawing its request for a review of its exports of SPBs from France.

Rescission of Administrative Reviews

Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), the Department will rescind an administrative review, in whole or in part, if the party withdraws its request for a review within 90 days of the date of publication of the notice of initiation of the requested review. NSK, NMB/Pelmec, Asahi, and SKF withdrew their requests for review within 90 days of the date the initiation notice was published and no other party requested a review of these companies. There were no other requests for review of the orders on SPBs from France and ball bearings from Singapore. Therefore, pursuant to 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), the Department is rescinding the reviews of the orders on SPBs from France and ball bearings from Singapore for the period May 1, 2004, through May 30, 2005. Because there are still ongoing reviews of the orders on ball bearings from the United Kingdom and ball bearings from Japan, the Department is rescinding