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This section of the FEDERAL REGISTER contains documents other than rules or proposed rules that are applicable to the public. Notices of hearings and investigations, committee meetings, agency decisions and rulings, delegations of authority, filing of petitions and applications and agency statements of organization and functions are examples of documents appearing in this section.

AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Bureau for Democracy, Conflict and Humanitarian Assistance; Office of Food for Peace; Announcement of Draft Food for Peace Act Title II Program Policies and Proposal Guidelines for Prevention of Malnutrition in Children Under Two Approach (PM2A) Initiatives in Burundi and Guatemala; Notice

Notice is hereby given that Draft Food for Peace Act Title II Program Policies and Proposal Guidelines for Prevention of Malnutrition in Children Under Two Approach (PM2A) Initiatives in Burundi and Guatemala are available to interested parties for general viewing. Comments should be submitted to *FACG@amexdc.com* by January 15, 2009.

Individuals who wish to access the current Public Law 480 Title II guidelines including the draft PM2A guidelines, should visit the Food for Peace Web site at *http://www.usaid.gov/our_work/humanitarian_assistance/ffp/*, or contact the Office of Food for Peace, U.S. Agency for International Development, RRB 7.06–102, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20523–7600.

Juli Majernik,

Grants Manager, Policy and Technical Division, Office of Food for Peace, Bureau for Democracy, Conflict and Humanitarian Assistance.

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AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Renewal of the Advisory Committee on Voluntary Foreign Aid

AGENCY: United States Agency for International Development.

ACTION: Notice of renewal of advisory committee.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the Administrator has determined that renewal of the Advisory Committee on Voluntary Foreign Aid for a two-year period beginning January 15, 2009 is necessary and in the public interest.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jocelyn Rowe, 202–712–4002.

Dated: December 17, 2008.

Jocelyn M. Rowe,

Executive Director, Advisory Committee on Voluntary Foreign Aid (ACVFA), U.S. Agency for International Development.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Black Hills National Forest Advisory Board Public Meeting Dates Announced

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meetings.

SUMMARY: The Black Hills National Forest Advisory Board (NFAB) has announced its meeting dates for 2009. These meetings are open to the public, and public comment is accepted at any time in writing, at the pleasure of the Chair, and during the last 15 minutes of each meeting, limited to three (3) minutes per person for oral comments. Meeting dates are the third Wednesday of each month unless otherwise indicated:

January 7 (Previously announced);
February 18;
March 18;
April 15;
May 20;
June 17;
July 15;
August 19 (Summer Field Trip—TBA);
September 16;
October 21;
November 18;
December No meeting;
January 6, 2010 (Tentative).

ADDRESSES: Meetings will be begin at 1 PM and end no later than 5 PM at the Forest Service Center, 8221 S. Highway 16, Rapid City, SD 57731.

Agendas: The Board will consider a variety of issues related to national forest management. Agendas will be announced in advance but principally concern implementing phase two of the forest land and resource management plan. The Board will consider such topics as integrated vegetation management (wild and prescribed fire, fuels reduction, controlling insect epidemics, invasive species), travel management (off highway vehicles, the new OHV rule, and related topics), and continuing access to multiple-use management of public lands, among others.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Frank Carroll, Committee Management Officer, Black Hills National Forest, 25041 North Highway 16, Custer, SD, 57730, (605) 673–9200.

Dated: December 15, 2008.

Craig Bobzien,

Forest Supervisor.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

A–570–941

Certain Kitchen Appliance Shelving and Racks from the People's Republic of China: Postponement of the Preliminary Determination of the Antidumping Duty Investigation

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 23, 2008.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Julia Hancock, AD/CVD Operations, Office 9, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–1394.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On August 27, 2008, the Department of Commerce (''Department'') published the initiation of the antidumping duty investigation of imports of certain kitchen appliance shelving and racks from the People's Republic of China (''PRC'') covering the period January 1, 2008, through June 30, 2008. *See*

Certain Kitchen Appliance Shelving and Racks from the People's Republic of China: Initiation of Antidumping Duty Investigation, 73 FR 50596 (August 27, 2008).

On October 8, 2008, the Department selected two mandatory respondents in the above referenced investigation based on section 777(c)(2)(B) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (''Act''), and determined that it had the resources to fully investigate only the two largest companies, Guandong Wireking Housewares & Hardware Co., Ltd. (''Guandong Wireking'') and Asber Enterprises Co., Ltd. (China) (''Asber''), of the six exporters that filed quantity and value responses. *See* Memorandum to Stephen J. Claeys, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, from Julia C. Hancock, Senior International Trade Analyst, Office 9, Subject: Selection of Respondents for the Antidumping Duty Investigation of Certain Kitchen Appliance Shelving and Racks from the People's Republic of China (October 8, 2008). Additionally, on October 8, 2008, the Department sent its antidumping duty questionnaire to Asber and Guandong Wireking.[1]

On October 23, 2008, one of the two mandatory respondents, Asber, filed a letter stating that it will not participate as a mandatory respondent in this investigation. On October 31, 2008, in light of Asber's refusal to participate, Petitioners[2] submitted comments requesting that the Department select an additional mandatory respondent. Additionally, on November 7, 2008, and on November 10, 2008, Marmon Retail Services Asia Corporation and New King Shan (Zhu Hai) Co., Ltd. (''New King Shan'') submitted rebuttal comments arguing that the Department must maintain a consistent position with previous additional respondent selection decisions.

On November 19, 2008, the Department selected an additional mandatory respondent, New King Shan, pursuant to section 777(c) of the Act. *See* Memorandum to James C. Doyle, Office Director, through Catherine Bertrand, Program Manager, from Blaine Wiltse, Case Analyst, and Julia Hancock, Senior Case Analyst, Subject: Antidumping Duty Investigation: Certain Kitchen Appliance Shelving and Racks from the People's Republic of China (''the PRC''): Selection of an Additional Mandatory Respondent (November 19, 2008).[3] Additionally, on November 21, 2008, the Department sent its antidumping duty questionnaire to New King Shan. The preliminary determination of this antidumping duty investigation is currently due on January 7, 2009.

Statutory Time Limits

Pursuant to section 733(c)(1)(B) of the Act, the Department can extend the period for a preliminary determination until not later than 190 days after the date on which the administrative authority initiates an investigation if the Department concludes that the parties concerned are cooperating and determines that:

> The case is extraordinarily complicated by the reason of (I) the number and complexity of the transactions to be investigated or adjustments to be considered, (II) the novelty of the issues presented, or (III) the number of firms whose activities must be investigated, and (ii) additional time is necessary to make the preliminary determination.

Extension of Time Limit of Preliminary Determination

The Department finds that all concerned parties, with the exception of Asber, are cooperating in this case, pursuant to section 733(c)(1)(B) of the Act. Additionally, the Department finds that this investigation is extraordinarily complicated, pursuant to section 733(c)(1)(B)(i) of the Act. Specifically, as requested by Petitioners, the Department selected an additional mandatory respondent and the Department requires additional time to gather information from this additional mandatory respondent. Further, the Department requires additional time to gather more information from all mandatory respondents regarding the sales process, affiliations, establishing the proper date of sale, surrogate values for all factors of production, and the methodology used to report factors of production. Moreover, the Department requires additional time to evaluate the separate rate applications. Finally, the Department has not yet received all responses to its initial questionnaire and supplemental questionnaires, and thus requires more time to analyze the responses and issue any additional supplemental questionnaires, as needed.

Therefore, for the reasons identified above, we are postponing the preliminary determination under section 733(c)(1)(B) of the Act by fifty days from January 7, 2009, to February 26, 2009.

This notice is published pursuant to sections 733(c)(2) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.205(f)(1).

Dated: December 3, 2008.

David M. Spooner,

Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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[1] *See* Letter to Asber from Catherine Bertrand, Program Manager, AD/CVD Operations, Office 9, Import Administration regarding the Antidumping Duty Investigation of Certain Kitchen Appliance Shelving and Racks from the People's Republic of China: Non-Market Economy Questionnaire, dated October 8, 2008.

[2] Nashville Wire Products, Inc., SSW Holding Company, Inc., the United Steel, Paper and Forestry, Rubber, Manufacturing, Energy, Allied-Industrial and Service Workers International Union and the International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers, District Lodge 6 (Clinton, IA), collectively known as ''Petitioners''.

[3] Although Petitioners submitted surrebuttal comments regarding the selection of an additional mandatory respondent on November 19, 2008, the Department did not consider these comments because they were submitted after the Department had selected the additional mandatory respondent.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

A–583–833

Certain Polyester Staple Fiber From Taiwan: Correction to the Final Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

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

SUMMARY: On October 21, 2008, the Department of Commerce (the Department) published in the **Federal Register** the final results of its administrative review of the antidumping duty order on polyester staple fiber from Taiwan. Our notice of final results stated erroneously that the margin we found for the respondent was 1.72 percent, however, the correct margin is 1.74 percent. No other changes have been made to the final results.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 21, 2008

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Thomas Schauer or Richard Rimlinger, AD/CVD Operations, Office 5, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–0410 and (202) 482–4477, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On October 21, 2008, the Department of Commerce (the Department) published in the **Federal Register** the final results of its administrative review of the antidumping duty order on polyester staple fiber from Taiwan. See *Certain Polyester Staple Fiber From*