

of a petition, for trade adjustment assistance by three fresh blue crab fishermen in the state of Georgia. The Administrator will determine within 40 days whether or not increasing imports of blue crabs contributed importantly to a greater than 15 percent decrease in the quantity of production of fresh blue crabs compared to the average of the 3 preceding marketing years. If a determination is affirmative, commercial fishermen who land and market fresh blue crabs in Georgia will be eligible to apply to the Farm Service Agency for technical assistance at no cost and cash benefits.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Trade Adjustment Assistance Staff, FAS, USDA, at (202) 720-0638, or by e-mail at: [tradeadjustment@fas.usda.gov](mailto:tradeadjustment@fas.usda.gov). Additional program information can be obtained at the Web site for the Trade Adjustment Assistance for Farmers program. The URL is <http://www.fas.usda.gov/itp/taa>.

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Foreign Agricultural Service

#### Trade Adjustment Assistance for Farmers

**AGENCY:** Foreign Agricultural Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

The Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service (FAS), today accepted a petition, and began a review of a petition, for trade adjustment assistance by the Maine Lobstermen's Association on behalf of U.S. fishermen who catch and market live lobsters (*Homarus americanus*). The Administrator will determine within 40 days whether or not increasing imports of live lobsters (*Homarus americanus*) contributed importantly to a greater than 15 percent decrease in the value of production of lobsters compared to the average of the 3 preceding marketing years. If a determination is affirmative, U.S. fishermen who catch and market live lobsters (*Homarus americanus*) will be eligible to apply to the Farm Service Agency for technical assistance at no cost and cash benefits.

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Foreign Agricultural Service

#### Trade Adjustment Assistance for Farmers

**AGENCY:** Foreign Agricultural Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

The Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service (FAS), today accepted a petition, and began a review of a petition, for trade adjustment assistance by the Louisiana Crawfish Farmers Association on behalf of farm-raised crawfish producers in Louisiana. The Administrator will determine within 40 days whether or not increasing imports of crawfish contributed importantly to a greater than 15 percent decrease in the national average price of crawfish compared to the average of the 3 preceding marketing years. If a determination is affirmative, producers who produce and market farm-raised crawfish in Louisiana will be eligible to apply to the Farm Service Agency for technical assistance at no cost and cash benefits.

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Foreign Agricultural Service

#### Trade Adjustment Assistance for Farmers

**AGENCY:** Foreign Agricultural Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

The Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service (FAS), today accepted a petition, and began a review of a petition, for trade adjustment assistance by the Catfish Farmers of America on behalf of U.S. farm-raised catfish producers. The Administrator will determine within 40 days whether or not increasing imports of catfish contributed importantly to a greater than 15 percent decrease in the national average price of catfish compared to the average of the 3 preceding marketing years. If a determination is affirmative, U.S. producers who produce and market farm-raised catfish will be eligible to apply to the Farm Service Agency for technical assistance at no cost and cash benefits.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Trade Adjustment Assistance Staff, FAS, USDA, at (202) 720-0638, or by e-mail at: [tradeadjustment@fas.usda.gov](mailto:tradeadjustment@fas.usda.gov). Additional program information can be obtained at the Web site for the Trade Adjustment Assistance for Farmers program. The URL is <http://www.fas.usda.gov/itp/taa>.

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Foreign Agricultural Service

#### Trade Adjustment Assistance for Farmers

**AGENCY:** Foreign Agricultural Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

The Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service (FAS), today accepted a petition, and began a review of a petition, for trade adjustment assistance by the National Asparagus Council on behalf of asparagus producers in California, Michigan, and Washington. The Administrator will determine within 40 days whether or not increasing imports of asparagus contributed importantly to a greater than 15 percent decrease in the quantity of production of asparagus compared to the average of the 3 preceding marketing years. If a determination is affirmative, producers who produce and market asparagus in California, Michigan, and Washington, will be eligible to apply to the Farm Service Agency for technical assistance at no cost and cash benefits.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Trade Adjustment Assistance Staff, FAS, USDA, at (202) 720-0638, or by e-