Any party having a substantial interest in these proceedings may request a public hearing on the matter. A written request for a hearing must be submitted to the Trade Adjustment Assistance for Firms Division, Room 7106, Economic Development Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20230, no later than ten (10) calendar days following publication of this notice. Please follow the requirements set forth in EDA’s regulations at 13 CFR 315.9 for procedures to request a public hearing. The Catalog of Federal Assistance for Firms Division, Room 7106, Economic Development Assistance for Firms Division, Room 5154 South Delaware Drive, Apache Junction, AZ 85220.

The Department received a notice of intent to participate from domestic interested party Aqualon Company (Aqualon) within the deadline specified in 19 CFR 351.218(d)(1)(i). The domestic interested party claimed interested party status under section 771(9)(C) of the Act, as the sole manufacturer of a domestic–like product in the United States. The Department received complete substantive responses to the Notice of Initiation from the domestic interested party and respondent interested party, Quimica Antex S.A. de C.V. (Quimica Antex), within the 30-day deadline specified in 19 CFR 351.218(d)(3)(i). The Department did not receive any rebuttal comments from the domestic interested party or respondent interested party.


Scope of the Order

The merchandise covered by the order is all purified CMC, sometimes also referred to as purified sodium CMC, polyanionic cellulose, or cellulose gum, which is a white to off-white, non-toxic, odorless, biodegradable powder, comprising sodium CMC that has been refined and purified to a minimum assay of 90 percent. Purified CMC does not include unpurified or crude CMC, CMC Fluidized Polymer Suspensions, and CMC that is cross-linked through CMC Fluidized Polymer Suspensions, or cellulose gum, referred to as purified sodium CMC, is all purified CMC, sometimes also referred to as purified sodium CMC.

Analysis of Comments Received

All issues raised in this review are addressed in the “Issues and Decision Memorandum for the Preliminary Results of First Sunset Review of the Antidumping Duty Order on Purified Carboxymethylcellulose from Mexico,” from Susan H. Kuhbach, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations, to Ronald K. Lorentzen, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Import Administration (Decision Memo), which is hereby adopted by, and issued concurrently with, this notice. The issues discussed in the Decision Memo include the likelihood of continuation or recurrence of dumping and the magnitude of the margins likely to prevail if the order were revoked. Parties can find a complete discussion of all issues raised in this review and the corresponding recommendations in this public memorandum which is on file in the Central Records Unit, room 7046 of the main Commerce Department building. In addition, a complete version of the Decision Memo can be accessed directly on the Web at http://ia.ita.doc.gov/fm/ index.html. The paper copy and electronic version of the Decision Memo are identical in content.

Preliminary Results

The Department preliminarily determines that revocation of the antidumping order on CMC from Mexico is likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of dumping at the following weighted-average margins:

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Public Comment

Any interested party may request a hearing within 30 days of publication of this notice in accordance with 19 CFR 351.310(c). Consistent with 19 CFR 351.309(c)(1)(i), interested parties may submit case briefs no later than 30 days after the date of publication of this notice. Rebuttal briefs, which must be limited to issues raised in the case briefs, may be filed no later than 5 days after the time limit for filing the case briefs, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.309(d)(1). Any hearing, if requested will be held two days after rebuttal briefs are due, unless the Department alters the date, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.310(d)(1). The Department intends to issue a notice of final results of the first sunset review, which will include the results of its analysis of issues raised in any such briefs, no later than January 28, 2011.

This five-year (“sunset”) review and notice are in accordance with sections 751(c), 752(c), and 777(i)(1) of the Act.


Ronald K. Lorentzen, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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NOAA Proposed Policy on Prohibited and Authorized Uses of the Asset Forfeiture Fund

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

ACTION: Notice; request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act authorizes the Secretary of Commerce through NOAA to pay certain enforcement related costs from sums received as fines, penalties, and forfeitures of property for violations of any marine resource law enforced by the Secretary. Fines, penalties, and forfeitures of property received by NOAA are deposited in an enforcement asset forfeiture fund. The Secretary is proposing a new policy to clearly articulate prohibited and authorized uses of these funds to ensure no conflict of interest— either real or perceived— associated with its use while continuing to promote a sound enforcement program dedicated to conserving and protecting our nation’s marine resources. The Secretary requests comments from the public on listed prohibited and authorized uses of the funding and, in particular, expenditures for activities that would promote compliance with regulations promulgated by NOAA.

DATES: Written comments must be received on or before 5 p.m., EST, on November 29, 2010.

ADDRESSES: Written comments may be sent by any of the following methods:

E-mail to the following address: DraftAFFPolicy@noaa.gov. Please note on your correspondence and in the subject line of e-mail comments the following identifier: “Draft Asset Forfeiture Fund Policy Comments.”

Mail or hand deliver to Mr. Mark Paterni, Assistant Director, Office of

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2 Although HTSUS number 3912.31.00.10 may be more specific to subject merchandise, it was not created until 2005. As such, we are relying on HTSUS number 3912.31.00 for purposes of this sunset review because in determining whether revocation of an order would likely lead to continuation or recurrence of dumping, the Department considers the margins established in the investigation and/or reviews conducted during the sunset review period as well as the volume of imports for the periods before and after the issuance of the order. See section 752(c)(1) of the Act.