

and loss-of-productivity costs. It does not include pain and suffering costs.

The Agency's analysis suggests that the new sampling will reduce the number of illnesses by an average of 90 cases per year (with a range of 3 to 134).¹² This number does not include the reduced illnesses from reduced cross-contamination at retail, so the number could be higher. Multiplying the average number of reduced illnesses by the average cost per case results in reduced illness benefits of about \$117 million annually.

The Agency also expects that with the increased sampling, the establishments will strengthen their own *L. monocytogenes* control measures, which will further reduce the number of illnesses. However, FSIS cannot quantify this impact with any precision.

Net Benefits

As explained in the Expected Costs and Expected Benefits Sections, there are uncertainties in the Agency's cost and benefit estimates. Consequently, it is very difficult to arrive at a concrete estimate of net benefits. The biggest uncertainty is that FSIS cannot accurately predict the amount of adulterated product that will be detected as a result of increasing the sampling numbers. The Agency can only estimate the amount with some strong assumptions. The Agency believes that it can have a reasonable net benefit estimate by adding the estimated benefits from reduced illnesses (\$117 million), then subtracting the cost to the industry (\$58.6 million). The result is a net benefit of about \$58.33 million annually.

The changes in FSIS's sampling procedures do not impose a testing requirement on official establishments. Therefore, these changes will not have a negative effect on small or very small establishments.¹³

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¹² Analysis results are from the Risk Assessment Division, OPHS.

¹³ Based on FSIS's HACCP (Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Points) size definition: Very small establishments have fewer than 10 employees or generate less than \$2.5 million in annual sales; and small establishments have 10 or more but fewer than 500 employees and generate more than \$2.5 million in annual sales.

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Done in Washington, DC, on: September 18, 2012.

Alfred V. Almanza,
Administrator.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Huron-Manistee National Forests, Michigan, USA and State South Branch 1-8 Well

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Withdrawal of notice of intent to prepare an environmental impact statement.

Authority: 36 CFR 220.5(c)

SUMMARY: The Huron-Manistee National Forests (Forest Service) and the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), as a Cooperating Agency, proposed to prepare an environmental impact statement (EIS) to assess the environmental impacts of an industry proposal to drill one exploratory natural gas well, the USA & State South Branch 1-8 (SB 1-8) well, on National Forest System lands. The leaseholder has withdrawn their application for permit to drill therefore this project has been cancelled. This notice cancels the notice of intent to prepare and environmental impact statement.

DATES: The Notice of Intent to prepare and environmental impact statement for the USA and State South Branch 1-8 Well was published on February 24, 2010 with a corrected notice published on March 12, 2010. A revised Notice of Intent was published on January 11, 2012. The Draft was expected in November 2012 and the Final EIS was expected by June 2013.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ken Arbogast, Huron-Manistee National Forests; telephone: 231-775-2421; fax: 231-775-5551. See address above under Addresses. Copies of documents may be requested at the same address. Another means of obtaining information is to visit the Forest Web page at www.fs.fed.us/r9/hmnf then click on "NEPA Projects and Planning", then "Old Project page", then "Mio projects", and then "USA and State South Branch 1-8".

Individuals who use telecommunication devices for the deaf (TTY) may call 1-231-775-3183.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The original notice of intent to prepare the environmental impact statement for the USA and State South Branch Well was published on February 24, 2010 (Vol. 75, No. 36, pages 8297-8299) with a corrected notice published on March 12, 2010 (Vol. 75, No. 48, pages 11838-11839). A revised Notice of Intent was published on January 11, 2012 (Vol 77, No. 7, page 1665).

Responsible Official for Lead Agency

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Responsible Official for Cooperating Agency

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Dated: September 18, 2012.

Barry Paulson,

Forest Supervisor.

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STOP 0781 (Room 1263-S), USDA Rural Development, 1400 Independence Avenue SW., Washington, DC 20250-0781, telephone: (202) 720-1753 (this is not a toll free number.), or via email: *Mirna.ReyesBible@wdc.usda.gov.*

Correction

In the Notice, beginning on page 42258 in the issue of July 18, 2012 (77 FR 42258-65), make the following corrections:

In the second column of page 42258, correct the **DATES** section to read:

DATES: The deadline for receipt of all applications in response to this Notice is 5 p.m. local time to the appropriate Rural Development State Office on October 31, 2012. * * *

In the first column on page 42259, delete the following:

Once the Agency has committed 70 percent of the available FY 2012 program funds to new construction applications, no further funding will be available for new construction applications until after August 31, 2012. If funding is available after August 31, 2012, then new construction applications will be considered and compete for funding using this NOFA's scoring criteria without regard to the aforementioned funding limitations.

In the first column on page 42259, correct the two sentences before the first full paragraph to read:

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If leveraged funds are in the form of tax credits, the applicant must include in its pre-application written evidence that a tax credit application has been submitted and accepted by the Housing Finance Agency (HFA), if such written evidence is available at the time of the pre-application. All applications that will receive leveraged funding must have firm commitments in place for all of the leveraged funding within 18

months of the issuance of a "Notice of Preapplication Review Action" (Handbook Letter 103 (3560)). Applicants without written evidence that a tax credit application has been submitted and accepted by the HFA must certify in writing they will apply for tax credits to the HFA within 18 months of the issuance of a "Notice of Preapplication Review Action." * * *

Dated: September 17, 2012.

Tammye Treviño,

Administrator, Rural Housing Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Rural Housing Service

Notice of Funds Availability for Section 514 Farm Labor Housing Loans and Section 516 Farm Labor Housing Grants for Off-Farm Housing for Fiscal Year (FY) 2012

AGENCY: Rural Housing Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice; correction.

SUMMARY: The Rural Housing Services published a document in the **Federal Register** on July 18, 2012, (77 FR 42258) concerning the availability of funds in the Agency's Farm Labor Housing Program. The document contained a deadline date of September 17, 2012, that the Agency is extending to October 31, 2012, and a funding restriction that is no longer applicable. The document also contained a documentation requirement concerning tax credits that the Agency is loosening and clarifying.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mirna Reyes-Bible, Finance and Loan Analyst, Multi-Family Housing Preservation and Direct Loan Division,

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Economic Development Administration

Notice of Petitions by Firms for Determination of Eligibility To Apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance

AGENCY: Economic Development Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice and Opportunity for Public Comment.

Pursuant to Section 251 of the Trade Act 1974, as amended (19 U.S.C. 2341 *et seq.*), the Economic Development Administration (EDA) has received petitions for certification of eligibility to apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance from the firms listed below. Accordingly, EDA has initiated investigations to determine whether increased imports into the United States of articles like or directly competitive with those produced by each of these firms contributed importantly to the total or partial separation of the firm's workers, or threat thereof, and to a decrease in sales or production of each petitioning firm.

LIST OF PETITIONS RECEIVED BY EDA FOR CERTIFICATION ELIGIBILITY TO APPLY FOR TRADE ADJUSTMENT ASSISTANCE

[09/01/2012 through 09/07/2012]

| Firm name | Firm address | Date accepted for investigation | Product(s) |
|-------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|---|
| Windo-Therm, LLC | P.O. Box 405, Hoosick Falls, NY 12090. | 9/6/2012 | Manufactures aluminum frame panels with a clear film for windows and other structures. |
| Marsh Furniture Company | 1001 S. Centennial Street, High Point, NC 27260. | 9/4/2012 | Manufactures kitchen and bathroom cabinets; primarily manufacturing materials including wood. |

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 Domestic Assistance official number and title for the program under which