

addition, a complete version of the Issues and Decision Memorandum can be accessed directly at <http://enforcement.trade.gov/frn/>. The signed and electronic versions of the Issues and Decision Memorandum are identical in content.

Methodology

The Department conducted this review in accordance with section 751(a)(1)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act). For each of the subsidy programs found countervailable, we find that there is a subsidy, *i.e.*, a government-provided financial contribution that gives rise to a benefit to the recipient, and that the subsidy is specific.⁴ For a full description of the methodology underlying the Department's conclusions, including any determination that relied upon the use of adverse facts available pursuant to sections 776(a) and (b) of the Act, *see* the Issues and Decision Memorandum.

Rate for Non-Selected Companies Under Review

In this review, and in addition to the two selected mandatory respondents, there are 16 companies for which a review was requested and not rescinded (non-selected companies). For these non-selected companies, we could not calculate a rate by averaging Changzhou Jinxi's and tenKsolar's individual rates, as the rates for both companies are based entirely on adverse facts available.⁵ Instead, for these final results, we based the non-selected companies' rates on the subsidy rate calculated for non-selected companies in the prior administrative review. For further information on the calculation of the non-selected companies' rates, refer to the section in the Issues and Decision Memorandum entitled, "Final *Ad Valorem* Rate for Non-Selected Companies Under Review."

Final Results of Administrative Review

In accordance with 19 CFR 351.221(b)(5), we determine the following final net subsidy rates for the 2015 administrative review:

| Company | Ad valorem rate (Percent) |
|--|---------------------------|
| tenKsolar (Shanghai) Co., Ltd | 198.61 |
| Changzhou Jinxi Machinery Co., Ltd | 198.61 |

⁴ See sections 771(5)(B) and (D) of the Act regarding financial contribution; section 771(5)(E) of the Act regarding benefit; and section 771(5A) of the Act regarding specificity.

⁵ See sections 703(d) and 705(c)(5)(A) of the Act.

| Company | Ad valorem rate (Percent) |
|--|---------------------------|
| Classic & Contemporary Inc | 16.08 |
| Daya Hardware Co., LTD | 16.08 |
| Dongguan Golden Tiger Hardware Industrial Co., Ltd | 16.08 |
| ETLA Technology (Wuxi) Co., Ltd | 16.08 |
| Global Hi-Tek Precision Limited | 16.08 |
| Jiangsu Zhenhexiang New Material Technology Co., Ltd | 16.08 |
| Johnson Precision Engineering (Suzhou) Co Ltd | 16.08 |
| Kam Kiu Aluminum Products Sdn Bhd | 16.08 |
| Ningbo Haina Machine Co., Ltd | 16.08 |
| Ningbo Innopower Tengda Machinery Co., Ltd | 16.08 |
| Ningbo Yinzhou Sanhua Electric Machine Factory | 16.08 |
| Precision Metal Works LTD | 16.08 |
| Summit Heat Sinks Metal Co., Ltd | 16.08 |
| Suzhou New Hongji Precision Parts Co Ltd | 16.08 |
| Taishan City Kam Kiu Aluminium Extrusion Co., Ltd | 16.08 |
| Wuxi Huida Aluminum Co., Ltd .. | 16.08 |

Assessment Rates

The Department intends to issue appropriate assessment instructions directly to CBP, 15 days after publication of these final results of review, to liquidate shipments of subject merchandise entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after January 1, 2015, through December 31, 2015, at the *ad valorem* rates listed above.

Cash Deposit Requirements

The Department also intends to instruct CBP to collect cash deposits of estimated countervailing duties in the amounts indicated above for each company listed on shipments of subject merchandise entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after the date of publication of the final results of this administrative review. For all non-reviewed firms, we will instruct CBP to collect cash deposits of estimated countervailing duties at the most recent company-specific or all-others rate applicable to the company, as appropriate. Accordingly, the cash deposit requirements that will be applied to companies covered by this order, but not examined in this administrative review, are those established in the most recently completed segment of the proceeding for each company. These cash deposit requirements, when imposed, shall remain in effect until further notice.

Administrative Protective Order

This notice serves as a reminder to parties subject to administrative protective order (APO) of their responsibility concerning the disposition of proprietary information disclosed under APO in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305(a)(3). Timely written notification of return or destruction of APO materials or conversion to judicial protective order is hereby requested. Failure to comply with the regulations and the terms of an APO is a sanctionable violation.

We are issuing and publishing these results in accordance with sections 751(a)(1) and 777(i)(1) of the Act.

Dated: December 4, 2017.

Gary Taverman,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations, performing the non-exclusive functions and duties of the Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Compliance.

APPENDIX

List of Topics Discussed in the Final Decision Memorandum

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-357-820, A-560-830]

Biodiesel From Argentina and Indonesia: Postponement of Final Determinations of Sales in Less Than Fair Value Investigations and Extension of Provisional Measures

AGENCY: Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (the Department) is postponing the

deadline for issuing the final determinations in the less-than-fair-value (LTFV) investigations of biodiesel from Argentina and Indonesia until February 15, 2018, and is extending the provisional measures from a four-month period to a period of not more than six months.

DATES: Applicable December 8, 2017.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On April 12, 2017, the Department initiated LTFV investigations of imports of biodiesel from Argentina and Indonesia.¹ The period of investigation for each investigation is January 1, 2016, through December 31, 2016. On October 31, 2017, the Department published its *Preliminary Determination* in each of these LTFV investigations.²

Postponement of Final Determinations

Section 735(a)(2) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), and 19 CFR 351.210(b)(2) provide that a final determination may be postponed until not later than 135 days after the date of the publication of the preliminary determination if, in the event of an affirmative preliminary determination, a request for such postponement is made by the exporters or producers who account for a significant proportion of exports of the subject merchandise, or in the event of a negative preliminary determination, a request for such postponement is made by the petitioners. Further, 19 CFR 351.210(e)(2) requires that such postponement requests by exporters be accompanied by a request for extension of provisional measures from a four-month period to a period of not more than six months, in accordance with section 733(d) of the Act.

In September 2017, P.T. Musim Mas (Musim Mas) and Wilmar Trading PTE Ltd. (Wilmar), the mandatory

respondents in the Indonesia investigation, requested that the Department postpone the deadline for the final determination until no later than 135 days from the publication of the *Indonesia Preliminary Determination*, and extend the application of the provisional measures from a four-month period to a period of not more than six months.³ In November 2017, Camara Argentina de Biocombustibles (CARBIO) and LDC Argentina S.A. (LDC), the mandatory respondents in the Argentina investigation, requested that the Department postpone the deadline for the final determination until no later than 135 days from the publication of the *Argentina Preliminary Determination*, and extend the application of the provisional measures from a four-month period to a period of not more than six months.⁴

In accordance with section 735(a)(2)(A) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.210(b)(2)(ii), because (1) each preliminary determination was affirmative; (2) the requests in each investigation were made by the exporters and producers who account for a significant proportion of exports of the subject merchandise from the country at issue; and (3) no compelling reasons for denials exist, the Department is postponing the final determination in each investigation until no later than 107 days after the date of the publication of the relevant preliminary determination, and extending the provisional measures from a four-month period to a period of not more than six months. Accordingly, the Department will issue its final determination in each investigation no later than February 15, 2018.

This notice is issued and published pursuant to 19 CFR 351.210(g).

Dated: December 4, 2017.

Gary Taverman,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations, performing the non-exclusive functions and duties of the Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Compliance.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Commerce will submit 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: Alaska License Limitation Program for Groundfish, Crab, and Scallops.

OMB Control Number: 0648-0334.

Form Number(s): None.

Type of Request: Regular (revision and extension of a currently approved information collection).

Number of Respondents: 49.

Average Hours per Response:

Transfers, 1 hour; appeals, 4 hours.

Burden Hours: 52.

Needs and Uses: This request is for extension of a current information collection.

The License Limitation Program (LLP) restricts access to the commercial groundfish fisheries, commercial crab fisheries, and commercial scallop fisheries in the Exclusive Economic Zone off Alaska except for certain areas where alternative programs exist. The intended effect of the LLP is to limit the number of participants and reduce fishing capacity in fisheries off Alaska.

For a vessel designated on an LLP license, the LLP license authorizes the type of fishing gear that may be used by the vessel, the maximum size of the vessel, an area endorsement, and whether the vessel may catch and process fish at sea or if it is limited to delivering catch without at-sea processing. LLP licenses that allow vessels to catch and process at-sea are assigned a catcher/processor endorsement. LLP licenses specify the maximum length overall (MLOA) of the vessel to which that LLP license may be assigned. The LLP may also include a species endorsement for Pacific cod in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands management area (BSAI) and Gulf of Alaska (GOA).

An LLP license is required for vessels participating in directed fishing for LLP groundfish species in the BSAI or GOA, or fishing in any BSAI LLP crab fisheries. An LLP license is also required for any vessel deployed in scallop fisheries in Federal waters off Alaska (except for some diving operations).

¹ See *Biodiesel from Argentina and Indonesia: Initiation of Less-Than-Fair-Value Investigations*, 82 FR 18428 (April 19, 2017).

² See *Biodiesel from Argentina: Preliminary Affirmative Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value, Preliminary Determination of Critical Circumstances, In Part*, 82 FR 50391 (October 31, 2017) (*Argentina Preliminary Determination*); see also *Biodiesel from Indonesia: Preliminary Affirmative Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value*, 82 FR 50379 (*Indonesia Preliminary Determination*).

³ See Musim Mas' Letter, "Biodiesel from Indonesia: Request to Extend Final Determination," dated September 19, 2017; see also Wilmar's Letter, "Biodiesel from Indonesia: Request for Extension of Final Determination," dated September 19, 2017.

⁴ See CARBIO's Letter, "CARBIO's Request for Postponement of the Final Determination *Biodiesel from Argentina (A-357-820)*," dated November 10, 2017; see also LDC's Letter, "Biodiesel from Argentina: Request for Postponement of the Final Determination," dated November 16, 2017.