INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Sodium Nitrite From India and Russia Determinations]

On the basis of the record 1 developed in the subject investigations, the United States International Trade Commission ("Commission") determines, pursuant to the Tariff Act of 1930 ("the Act"), that there is a reasonable indication that an industry in the United States is materially injured by reason of imports of sodium nitrite from India and Russia, provided for in subheading 2834.10.10 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, that are allegedly to be sold in the United States at less than fair value ("LTFV") and to be subsidized by the governments of India and Russia.2

Comencement of Final Phase Investigations

Pursuant to section 207.18 of the Commission’s rules, the Commission also gives notice of the commencement of the final phase of its investigations. The Commission will issue a final phase notice of scheduling, which will be published in the Federal Register as provided in §207.21 of the Commission’s rules, upon notice from the U.S. Department of Commerce ("Commerce") of affirmative preliminary determinations in the investigations under §§703(b) or 733(b) of the Act, or, if the preliminary determinations are negative, upon notice of affirmative final determinations in those investigations under §§705(a) or 735(a) of the Act. Parties that filed entries of appearance in the preliminary phase of the investigations need not enter a separate appearance for the final phase of the investigations. Industrial users, and, if the merchandise under investigation is sold at the retail level, representative consumer organizations have the right to appear as parties in Commission antidumping and countervailing duty investigations. The Secretary will prepare a public service list containing the names and addresses of all persons, or their representatives, who are parties to the investigations.

Background


Notice of the institution of the Commission’s investigations and of a public conference to be held in connection therewith was given by posting copies of the notice in the Office of the Secretary. U.S. International Trade Commission, Washington, DC, and by publishing the notice in the Federal Register of January 21, 2022 (87 FR 3333). The Commission conducted its conference on February 3, 2022. All persons who requested the opportunity were permitted to participate.

The Commission made these determinations pursuant to §§703(a) and 733(a) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1671b(a) and 1673b(a)). It completed and filed its determinations in these investigations on February 28, 2022. The views of the Commission are contained in USITC Publication 5294 (March 2022), entitled Sodium Nitrite from India and Russia: Investigation Nos. 701–TA–679–680 and 731–TA–1585–1586 (Preliminary).


Lisa Barton.
Secretary to the Commission.

Addresses: You may submit comments identified by Docket No. MSHA–2022–0007 by any of the following methods:
2. Fax: 202–693–9441.
3. Email: petitionsformodification@dol.gov.
Attention: S. Aromie Noe, Acting Director, Office of Standards, Regulations, and Variances.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: S. Aromie Noe, Office of Standards, Regulations, and Variances at 202–693–9440 (voice), petitionsformodification@dol.gov (email), or 202–693–9441 (facsimile). [These are not toll-free numbers.]

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 101(c) of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977 and Title 30 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) part 44 govern the application, processing, and disposition of petitions for modification.

I. Background

Section 101(c) of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977 (Mine Act) allows the mine operator or representative of miners to file a petition to modify the application of any mandatory safety standard to a coal or other mine if the Secretary of Labor (Secretary) determines that:

1. An alternative method of achieving the result of such standard exists which will at all times guarantee no less than the same measure of protection afforded the miners of such mine by such standard; or
2. The application of such standard to such mine will result in a diminution of safety to the miners in such mine.

3. In addition, sections 44.10 and 44.11 of 30 CFR establish the

requirements for filing petitions for modification.

II. Petition for Modification

Docket Number: M–2022–001–M.

Petitioner: American Mine Services, LLC, 11808 Highway 93, Boulder, CO 80303.

Mine: Joliet Mine, MSHA ID No. 11–03153, located in Will County, Illinois.

Regulation Affected: 30 CFR 49.6(1)(a), Equipment and Maintenance Requirements.

Modification Request: The petitioner requests a modification of the existing standard, 30 CFR 49.6(1)(a), as it relates to equipment and maintenance requirements. The request for modification applies to the application of the standard to allow American Mine Services, LLC (AMS) to continue to provide a rescue station at the mine with only six self-contained breathing apparatuses instead of the twelve prescribed in the standard and continue the contract with the Lafarge Mine Rescue Team that has twelve apparatuses.

The petitioner states:

(a) The primary mine rescue team consists of AMS, 150 Union members, and Bluff City personnel, and the Lafarge Aggregates Illinois, Inc. team serves as the backup. The mine currently has a mine rescue station with 6 readily available self-contained apparatuses. The onsite mine rescue station contains all other required equipment and meets all other requirements of 30 CFR 49.6. The Joliet mine has and will continue to maintain a written contract with Lafarge Aggregates Illinois to serve as the second rescue team for the mine.

(b) Lafarge Aggregates Illinois has 12 readily available self-contained apparatuses at the mine rescue station where that rescue team is stationed.

(c) The availability of 18 self-contained breathing apparatuses with the onsite mine rescue team and station will at all times guarantee no less than the same measure of protection afforded the miners under the applicable standard.

Song-ae Aromie Nee, Acting Director, Office of Standards, Regulations, and Variances.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[NRC–2022–0001]

Sunshine Act Meetings


PLACE: Commissioners’ Conference Room, 11555 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Maryland.

STATUS: Public.

Week of March 7, 2022
There are no meetings scheduled for the week of March 7, 2022.

Week of March 14, 2022—Tentative
There are no meetings scheduled for the week of March 14, 2022.

Week of March 21, 2022—Tentative
There are no meetings scheduled for the week of March 21, 2022.

Week of March 28, 2022—Tentative
There are no meetings scheduled for the week of March 28, 2022.

Week of April 4, 2022—Tentative
There are no meetings scheduled for the week of April 4, 2022.

Week of April 11, 2022—Tentative
There are no meetings scheduled for the week of April 11, 2022.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:
For more information or to verify the status of meetings, contact Wesley Held at 301–287–3591 or via email at Wesley.Held@nrc.gov. The schedule for Commission meetings is subject to change on short notice.

The NRC Commission Meeting Schedule can be found on the internet at: https://www.nrc.gov/public-involve/public-meetings/schedule.html.

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Members of the public may request to receive this information electronically. If you would like to be added to the distribution, please contact the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Office of the Secretary, Washington, DC 20555, at 301–415–1969, or by email at Wendy.Moore@nrc.gov or Betty.Thweatt@nrc.gov.

The NRC is holding the meetings under the authority of the Government in the Sunshine Act, 5 U.S.C. 552b.

Dated: March 2, 2022.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Wesley W. Held,
Policy Coordinator Office of the Secretary.

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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

[NRC–2022–0042]

Service Contract Inventory

AGENCY: Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is publishing this notice to advise the public of the availability of its Fiscal Year (FY) 2020 Service Contract Inventory and FY 2019 Service Contract Inventory Analysis. The NRC’s FY 2020 Service Contract Inventory is included as part of a Government-wide service contract inventory. The inventory includes covered service contracts that were awarded in FY 2020. The FY 2019 Inventory Analysis provides information on specific contract actions that were analyzed as part of the NRC’s FY 2019 Service Contract Inventory.

DATES: March 4, 2022.

ADDRESSES: Please refer to Docket ID NRC–2022–0042 when contacting the NRC about the availability of information regarding this document. You may obtain publicly available information related to this document using any of the following methods:

• Federal Rulemaking website: Go to https://www.regulations.gov and search for Docket ID NRC–2022–0042. Address questions about Docket IDs in Regulations.gov to Stacy Schumann; telephone: 301–415–0624; email: Stacy.Schumann@nrc.gov. For technical questions, contact the individual listed in the “For Further Information Contact” section of this document.