

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Delta Region Preservation Commission was established pursuant to Section 907 of Public Law 95-625 (16 U.S.C. 230f), as amended, to advise the Secretary of the Interior in the selection of sites for inclusion in the Jean Lafitte National Historical Park and Preserve, and in the implementation and development of a general management plan and of a comprehensive interpretive program of natural, historic and cultural resources of the Region.

The purpose of the meeting is to afford Superintendent Smith an opportunity to update the Commission on park issues such as visitation and to open the floor for any questions concerning park issues. The meeting will be open to the public. However, facilities and space for accommodating members of the public are limited. Any member of the public may file with the Commission a written statement concerning the matters to be discussed. Written statements may also be submitted to the Superintendent at the address above. Minutes of the meeting will be available at Park Headquarters for public inspection approximately 4 weeks after the meeting.

Dated: October 10, 1996.

Stuart Johnson,

Acting Superintendent, Gulf Coast System Support Office.

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Bureau of Reclamation

Colorado River Basin Salinity Control Advisory Council, Public Meeting

AGENCY: Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, announcement is made of a meeting of the Colorado River Basin Salinity Control Advisory Council (Council).

DATES: The meeting is scheduled to begin at about 8:00 a.m., Tuesday, October 22, 1996, and recess at about 12:00 m. (noon). The council will briefly reconvene at about 11:00 a.m. the following day after the Colorado River Basin Salinity Control Forum meeting.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Doubletree Resort, Palm Desert, California. Call (800) 637-0577 for reservation information.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. David Trueman, Colorado River Salinity Control Program Manager, Bureau of Reclamation, UC-228, Mail Room 6107,

125 South State Street, Salt Lake City, Utah, 84138-1102; Telephone: (801) 524-6292, ext. 1.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Council members will be briefed on the status of salinity control activities and receive input for drafting the Council's annual report. The Department of the Interior, the Department of Agriculture, and the Environmental Protection Agency will each present a progress report and a schedule of activities on salinity control in the Colorado River Basin. The Council will discuss salinity control activities and the content of their report.

The meeting of the Council is open to the public. Any member of the public may file written statements with the Council before, during, or after the meeting, in person or by mail. To the extent that time permits, the Council chairman may allow public presentation of oral statements at the meeting.

Dated: September 30, 1996.

Charles A. Calhoun,

Regional Director.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation No. 332-370]

Advice on Providing Additional GSP Benefits for Least-Developed Countries

AGENCY: United States International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Institution of investigation and scheduling of public hearing.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 11, 1996.

SUMMARY: Following receipt on September 17, 1996, of a letter from the United States Trade Representative (USTR), the Commission instituted investigation No. 332-370, Advice on Providing Additional GSP Benefits for Least-Developed Countries, under section 332(g) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1332(g)) in order that it might—

(1) In accordance with sections 503(a)(1)(B), 503(e), and 131(a) of the Trade Act of 1974 (1974 Act), with respect to each article listed in Part A of the attached annex, provide advice as to the probable economic effect on U.S. industries producing like or directly competitive articles and on consumers of the elimination of U.S. import duties under the Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) and, to the extent possible, the level of U.S. import sensitivity of such articles in the context

of imports from the least-developed beneficiary developing countries (LDBC); and

(2) In accordance with section 503(a)(1)(B), 503(b)(1)(B), 503(e), and 131(a) of the 1974 Act, with respect to the watches identified in Part B of the attached annex, provide advice as to the probable economic effect on watch or watch band, strap, or bracelet manufacturing and assembly operations in the United States or the U.S. insular possessions and on consumers of the elimination of U.S. import duties under the GSP and, to the extent possible, the level of U.S. import sensitivity of such watches in the context of imports from the LDBCs.

USTR also requested that the Commission, with respect to the watches identified in Part B of the attached annex, (1) in order to form a basis for the material injury determination required by section 503(b)(1)(B) of the 1974 Act, provide, to the degree possible, data on the following factors for the most recent 3-year period for the watch and watch band, strap, and bracelet manufacturing and assembly operations in the United States or U.S. insular possessions: annual production, capacity, capacity utilization, domestic shipments, exports, inventories, employment, wages, and financial experience (including prices); and (2) provide data for the most recent 3-year period, to the extent possible, on the following factors for current and potential LDBCs: current and potential production capacity and capacity utilization, domestic shipments, and exports to U.S. and other markets.

As requested by USTR, the Commission will assume that the benefits of the GSP would continue to apply to imports that would be normally excluded from receiving such benefits by virtue of the competitive need limits specified in section 503(c)(2)(A) of the 1974 Act (an exemption from the application of the competitive need limits for the LDBCs is provided for in section 503(c)(2)(D) of the 1974 Act).

As requested by USTR, the Commission expects to submit its report by March 3, 1997. The Commission will publish shortly thereafter a public version of the report, deleting information that has been classified by USTR or which the Commission considers to be confidential business information.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Information on general topics may be obtained from Robert Wallace (202-205-3458) of the Office of Industries and on legal aspects, from William