

alternatives formulated and discussed in the statement. Reviewers may wish to refer to the Council on Environmental Quality Regulations for implementing the procedural provisions of the National Environmental Policy Act at 40 CFR 1503.3 in addressing these points. Comments received in response to this solicitation, including names and addresses of those who comment, will be considered part of the public record on this proposed action and will be available for public inspection. Comments submitted anonymously will be accepted and considered; however, those who submit anonymous comments will not have standing to appeal the subsequent decision under 36 CFR Parts 215 or 217. Additionally, pursuant to 7 CFR 1.27(d), any person may request the agency to withhold a submission from the public record by showing how the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) permits such confidentiality. Requesters should be aware that, under FOIA, confidentiality may be granted in only very limited circumstances, such as to protect trade secrets. The Forest Service will inform the requester of the agency's decision regarding the request for confidentiality, and where the request is denied, the agency will return the submission and notify the requester that the comments may be resubmitted with or without name and address within 7 days.

Permits: Permits required for implementation include the following:

1. U.S. Army Corp of Engineers
  - Approval of discharge of dredged or fill material into the waters of the United States under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act;
  - Approval of the construction of structures or work in navigable waters of the United States under Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899;
2. Environmental Protection Agency
  - National Pollutant Discharge Elimination system (402) Permit;
  - Review Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasure Plan;
3. State of Alaska, Department of Natural Resources
  - Tideland Permit and Lease or Easement;
4. State of Alaska, Department of Environmental Conservation
  - Solid Waste Disposal Permit;
  - Certification of Compliance with Alaska Water Quality Standards (401 Certification)

*Responsibile Official:* Carol J. Jorgensen, Assistant Forest Supervisor, Stikine Area, Tongass National Forest,

P.O. box 309, Petersburg, Alaska 99833, is the responsible official. The responsible official will consider the comments, response, disclosure of environmental consequences, and applicable laws, regulations, and policies in making the decision and stating the rationale in the Record of Decision.

Dated: October 10, 1998.

**Carol J. Jorgensen,**

*Assistant Forest Supervisor.*

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## U.S. ARCTIC RESEARCH COMMISSION

### U.S. Arctic Research Commission

October 15, 1998.

Notice is hereby given that the U.S. Arctic Research Commission will hold its 52nd Meeting in Fairbanks, AK on October 29, and 30, 1998.

The Meeting will be held in the Globe Room of the University of Alaska and will convene at 8:45 AM on Thursday the 29th and 8:30 AM on Friday the 30th. Parking on the University Campus is restricted.

Topics for the meeting include Federal and State Agency reports, Congressional liaison reports and a series of briefings on various aspects of research in Alaska.

Any person planning to attend the Tuesday meeting who requires special accessibility features and/or auxiliary aids, such as sign language interpreters must inform the Commission in advance of those needs.

Contact Person for More Information: Dr. Garrett W. Brass, Executive Director, Arctic Research Commission, 703-525-0111 or TDD 703-306-0090.

**Garrett W. Brass,**

*Executive Director.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

#### September 1998 Sunset Reviews: Final Results and Revocations

**AGENCY:** Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of Final Results of Sunset Reviews and Revocation of Antidumping Findings and Countervailing Duty Orders:

Cotton Yarn from Brazil (C-351-037)

Animal Glue from Germany (A-428-062)  
Railway Track Equipment from Austria (A-433-064)

Impression Fabric from Japan (A-588-066)  
Rayon Staple Fiber from Finland (A-405-071)

Rayon Staple Fiber from Sweden (C-401-056)

**SUMMARY:** On September 1, 1998, the Department of Commerce ("the Department") initiated sunset reviews of the antidumping findings of animal glue from Germany, railway track equipment from Austria, impression fabric from Japan, and rayon staple fiber from Finland. On this date, the Department also initiated sunset reviews of the countervailing duty orders on cotton yarn from Brazil and rayon staple fiber from Sweden. Because no domestic interested party responded to the sunset review notice of initiation by the applicable deadline, the Department is revoking these findings and orders.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** January 1, 2000.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Martha V. Douthit, Scott E. Smith, or Melissa G. Skinner, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Pennsylvania Avenue and 14th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone: (202) 482-3207, (202) 482-6397, or (202) 482-1560 respectively.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

#### Background

The Treasury Department issued antidumping findings on animal glue from Germany (42 FR 64116, December 22, 1977), railway track equipment from Austria (43 FR 6937, February 17, 1978), impression fabric from Japan (43 FR 22344, May 25, 1978), and rayon staple fiber from Finland (44 FR 17156, March 21, 1979). In addition, the Treasury Department issued countervailing duty orders on cotton yarn from Brazil (42 FR 14089, March 15, 1977) and rayon staple fiber from Sweden (44 FR 28319, May 15, 1979). Pursuant to section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended ("the Act"), the Department initiated sunset reviews of these findings and orders by publishing notice of the initiation in the **Federal Register** (63 FR 46410, September 1, 1998). In addition, as a courtesy to interested parties, the Department sent letters, via certified and registered mail, to each party listed on the Department's most current service list for these proceedings to inform them of the automatic initiation of a sunset review on these findings and orders.

No domestic interested parties in any of the sunset reviews of these findings

and orders responded to the notice of initiation by the September 16, 1998, deadline (see section 351.218(d)(1)(i) of *Procedures for Conducting Five-year ("Sunset") Reviews of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Orders*, 63 FR 13520 (March 20, 1998) ("*Sunset Regulations*").

#### Determination To Revoke

Pursuant to section 752(c)(3)(A) of the Act and section 351.218(d)(1)(iii)(B)(3) of the *Sunset Regulations*, if no interest party responds to the notice of initiation, the Department of Commerce shall issue a final determination, within 90 days after the initiation of the review, revoking the finding or order of terminating the suspended investigation. Because no domestic interested party responded to the notice of initiation by the applicable deadline, September 16, 1998 see section 351.218(d)(1)(i) of the *Sunset Regulations*, we are revoking these antidumping findings and countervailing duty orders.

#### Effective Date of Revocation

Pursuant to section 751(c)(6)(A)(iv) of the Act, the Department will instruct the United States Customs Service to terminate the suspension of liquidation of the merchandise subject to these findings and orders entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, on or after January 1, 2000. Entries of subject merchandise prior to the effective date of revocation will continue to be subject to suspension of liquidation and duty deposit requirements. The Department will complete any pending administrative reviews of these findings and orders and will conduct administrative reviews of all entries prior to the effective date of revocation in response to appropriately filed requests for review.

Dated: October 15, 1998.

**Robert S. LaRussa,**

*Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

#### August 1998 Sunset Reviews: Final Results and Revocations

**AGENCY:** Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of Final Results of Sunset Reviews and Revocation of Antidumping Duty Findings for: Racing

Plates from Canada (A-122-050), Acrylic Sheet from Japan (A-588-055).

**SUMMARY:** On August 3, 1998, the Department of Commerce ("the Department") initiated sunset reviews of the antidumping findings on racing plates from Canada and acrylic sheet from Japan. Because no domestic interested party responded to the sunset review notice of initiation by the applicable deadline, the Department is revoking these findings.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** January 1, 2000.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Martha V. Douthit, Scott E. Smith, or Melissa G. Skinner, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Pennsylvania Avenue and 14th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482-3207, (202) 482-6397, or (202) 482-1560, respectively.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### Background

The Treasury Department issued antidumping findings on racing plates from Canada (37 FR 11772, June 14, 1972), and acrylic sheet from Japan (37 FR 11772, June 14, 1972). Pursuant to section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended ("the Act"), the Department initiated sunset reviews of these findings by publishing notice of the initiation in the **Federal Register** (63 FR 41227). In addition, as a courtesy to interested parties, the Department sent letters, via certified and registered mail, to each party listed on the Department's most current service list for these proceedings to inform them of the automatic initiation of a sunset review on these findings.

No domestic interested parties in any of these sunset reviews of these findings responded to the notice of initiation by the August 18, 1998, deadline (see section 351.218 (d)(1)(i) of *Procedures for Conducting Five-year ("Sunset") Reviews of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Orders*, 63 FR 13520 (March 20, 1998) ("*Sunset Regulations*").

#### Determination to Revoke

Pursuant to section 751(c)(3)(A) of the Act and section 351.218(d)(1)(iii)(B)(3) of the *Sunset Regulations*, if no interested party responds to the notice of initiation, the Department of Commerce shall issue a final determination, within 90 days after the initiation of the review, revoking the finding or terminating the suspended investigation. Because no domestic interested party responded to the notice of initiation by the applicable deadline of August 18, 1998 (see section

351.218(d)(1)(i) of the *Sunset Regulations*), we are revoking these antidumping findings.

#### Effective Date of Revocation

Pursuant to section 751(c)(6)(A)(iv) of the Act, the Department will instruct the United States Customs Service to terminate the suspension of liquidation of the merchandise subject to these findings entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, on or after January 1, 2000. Entries of subject merchandise prior to the effective date of revocation will continue to be subject to suspension of liquidation and duty deposit requirements. The Department will complete any pending administrative reviews of these findings and will conduct administrative reviews on all entries prior to the effective date of revocation in response to appropriately filed requests for review.

Dated: October 15, 1998.

**Robert S. LaRussa,**

*Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[A-570-836]

#### Glycine From the People's Republic of China; Notice of Rescission of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

**AGENCY:** Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of rescission of antidumping duty administrative review.

**SUMMARY:** On April 24, 1998, in response to a request by an exporter and a producer, the Department of Commerce initiated the first administrative review of the antidumping duty order on glycine from the People's Republic of China. The period of review was March 1, 1997, through February 28, 1998. The request was made by one exporter of subject merchandise, Sinochem Tianjin Chemicals Import and Export Corporation, and one producer of subject merchandise, Yotech Chemical Industrial Co. Ltd. This review has now been rescinded as a result of the withdrawal of the request for administrative review by the exporter and the producer, as no other interested party requested the review.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** October 22, 1998.