Notices

Federal Register
Vol. 66, No. 21
Wednesday, January 31, 2001

This section of the FEDERAL REGISTER contains documents other than rules or proposed rules that are applicable to the public. Notices of hearings and investigations, committee meetings, agency decisions and rulings, delegations of authority, filing of petitions and applications and agency statements of organization and functions are examples of documents appearing in this section.

BROADCASTING BOARD OF GOVERNORS

Meeting: Sunshine Act

DATE AND TIME: February 7, 2001; 8:00 a.m.–10:15 a.m.

PLACE: Office of Cuba Broadcasting, 4201 N.W. 77th Avenue, Miami, Florida 33166.

CLOSED MEETING: The members of the Broadcasting Board of Governors (BBG) will meet in closed session to review and discuss a number of issues relating to U.S. Government-funded non-military international broadcasting. They will address internal procedural, budgetary, and personnel issues, as well as sensitive foreign policy issues relating to potential options in the U.S. international broadcasting field. This meeting is closed because if open it likely would either disclose matters that would be properly classified to be kept secret in the interest of foreign policy under the appropriate executive order (5 U.S.C. 552b.(c)(1)) or would disclose information the premature disclosure of which would be likely to significantly frustrate implementation of a proposed agency action. (5 U.S.C. 552b.(c)(9)(B)). In addition, part of the discussion will relate solely to the internal personnel and organizational issues of the BBG or the International Broadcasting Bureau. (5 U.S.C. 552b.(c)(2) and (6)).

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Persons interested in obtaining more information should contact either Brenda Hardnett or Carol Booker at (202) 401–3736.

Dated: January 29, 2001.

Carol Booker,

Legal Counsel.

[FR Doc. 01–2769 Filed 1–29–01; 1:01 pm]

BILLING CODE 8230–01–M

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Order No. 1141]

Expansion of Foreign-Trade Zone 50 Long Beach, California, Area

Pursuant to its authority under the Foreign-Trade Zones Act of June 18, 1934, as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a–81u), the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) adopts the following Order:

Whereas the Board of Harbor Commissioners of the City of Long Beach, grantee of Foreign-Trade Zone 50, submitted an application to the Board for authority to expand FTZ 50 to include Site 5 on a permanent basis and to include two new sites in the San Gabriel Valley area, within the Los Angeles/Long Beach Customs port of entry area (FTZ Docket 27–2000; filed 6/5/00);

Whereas, notice inviting public comment was given in the **Federal Register** (65 FR 37113, 6/13/00) and the application has been processed pursuant to the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations; and,

Whereas, the Board adopts the findings and recommendations of the examiner's report, and finds that the requirements of the FTZ Act and the Board's regulations are satisfied, and that the proposal is in the public interest;

Now, Therefore, the Board hereby orders:

The application to expand FTZ 50 is approved, subject to the Act and the Board's regulations, including Section 400.28, and further subject to the Board's standard 2,000-acre activation limit for the overall zone project.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 16th day of January 2001.

Troy H. Cribb,

Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Import Administration, Alternate Chairman, Foreign-Trade Zones Board.

Dennis Puccinelli,

Executive Secretary.

[FR Doc. 01–2204 Filed 1–30–01; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 3510–DS–P

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 24–99]

Foreign-Trade Zone 76—Bridgeport, Connecticut; Withdrawal of Application for Subzone Status; Davidoff of Geneva (CT), Inc. Facility, Stamford, Connecticut

Notice is hereby given of the withdrawal of the application submitted by the City of Bridgeport, Connecticut, grantee of FTZ 76, requesting special-purpose subzone status at the Davidoff of Geneva (CT), Inc. facility in Stamford, Connecticut. The application was filed on May 12, 1999 (64 FR 27958, 5/24/99), and the case was closed on January 16, 2001.

Dated: January 17, 2001.

Dennis Puccinelli,

Executive Secretary.

[FR Doc. 01–2205 Filed 1–30–01; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 3510–DS–P

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative Reviews and Request for Revocation in Part

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

ACTION: Notice of initiation of antidumping and countervailing duty administrative reviews and request for revocation in part.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (the Department) has received requests to conduct administrative reviews of various antidumping and countervailing duty orders and findings with December anniversary dates. In accordance with our regulations, we are initiating those administrative reviews. The Department also received a request to revoke one antidumping duty order in part.

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 31, 2001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Holly A. Kuga, Office of AD/CVD Enforcement, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW.,

Washington, DC 20230, telephone: (202) 482–4737.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The Department has received timely requests, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(b)(2000), for administrative reviews of various antidumping and countervailing duty orders and findings with December anniversary dates. The Department also received a timely request to revoke in part the antidumping duty order on Porcelain-on-Steel Cooking Ware from the People's Republic of China.

Initiation of Reviews

In accordance with section 19 CFR 351.221(c)(1)(i), we are initiating administrative reviews of the following antidumping and countervailing duty orders and findings. We intend to issue the final results of these reviews not later than December 31, 2001.

	Period to be reviewed
Antidumping Duty Proceedings	
Chile: Certain Preserved Mushrooms, A–337–804	12/1/99–11/30/00
Nature's Farm Products	
Ravine Foods	
Compania Envasadora del Atlantico	
India: Stainless Steel Wire Rod, A–533–808	12/1/99–11/30/00
Viraj Group, Ltd.	
Japan: Polychloroprene Rubber, A–588–046	12/1/99–11/30/00
Denki Kagaku Kogyo Kabushiki Kaisha	
Tosoh Corporations	
Mexico:	
Circular Welded Non-Alloy Steel Pipe,[1] A–201–805	11/1/99–10/31/00
Tuberias Procarsa, S.A. de C.V.	
Tuberia Nacional S.A. de C.V.	
Porcelain-On-Steel Cooking Ware, A–201–504	12/1/99–11/30/00
Cinsa, S.A. de C.V.	
Esmaltaciones de Norte America, S.A. de C.V.	
The People's Republic of China:	
Certain Cased Pencils,[2] A–570–827	12/1/99–11/30/00
China First Pencil Company, Ltd.	
China Second Pencil Company, Ltd.	
Shanghai Three Star Stationery Company, Ltd.	
Beijing Pencil Factory	
Dalian Pencil Factory	
Donghua Pencil Factory	
Harbin Pencil Factory	
Jiangsu Pencil Factory	
Jinan Pencil Factory	
Juihai Pencil Factory	
Julong Pencil Factory	
Kaiyuan Group Corporation	
Qingdao Pencil Factory	
Shenyiang Pencil Factory	
Songnan Pencil Factory	
Tianjin Pencil Factory	
Xinbang Joint Venture Pencil Factory	
Anhui Bengbu Pencil Factory	
Anhui Stationery Company	
Anhui Import/Export Group Corporation	
Anhui Light Industrial Products I/E Corporation	
Anhui Provincial Imports & Exports Corporation	
Beijing Light Industrial Products I/E Corp.	
China National Light Industrial Products Import & Export Corporation (all branches)	
Dalian Light Industrial Products Import/Export Corporation	
Guangdong Provincial Stationery & Sporting Goods Import & Export Corporation	
Guangdong Textile Factory	
Jiangsu Light Industrial Products Import/Export Group Corp.	
Jilin Provincial Machinery & Equipment Import & Export Corporation	
Liaoning Light Industrial Products Import/Export Corporation	
New Century	
Qingdao Light Industrial Products Import/Export Corporation	
Shandong Light Industrial Products Import/Export Corporation	
Shanghai JV Stationery Co., Ltd./Shanghai Jay-Vee Stationery Co., Ltd.	
Shanghai Three Star Stationery Company, Ltd.	
Sichuan Light Industrial Products Import/Export Corporation	
Tianjin Stationery and Sporting Goods Import/Export Corporation	
Zhenjiang Foreign Trade Corporation	
Laizhou City Guangming Pencil-Making Lead Co., Ltd.	
Porcelain-on-Steel Cooking Ware,[3] A–570–506	12/1/99–11/30/00

	Period to be reviewed
Clover Enamelware Enterprise Ltd. Lucky Enamelware Factory, Ltd.	
Countervailing Duty Proceedings	
None.	
Suspension Agreements	
None.	

[1] Inadvertently omitted from previous initiation notice.
[2] If one of the above named companies does not qualify for a separate rate, all other exporters of certain cased pencils from the People's Republic of China who have not qualified for a separate rate are deemed to be covered by this review as part of the single PRC entity of which the named exporters are a part.
[3] If one of the above named companies does not qualify for a separate rate, all other exporters of porcelain-on-steel cooking ware from the People's Republic of China who have not qualified for a separate rate are deemed to be covered by this review as part of the single PRC entity of which the named exporters are a part.

During any administrative review covering all or part of a period falling between the first and second or third and fourth anniversary of the publication of an antidumping duty order under 351.211 or a determination under 351.218(f)(4) to continue an order or suspended investigation (after sunset review), the Secretary, if requested by a domestic interested party within 30 days of the date of publication of the notice of initiation of the review, will determine whether antidumping duties have been absorbed by an exporter or producer subject to the review if the subject merchandise is sold in the United States through an importer that is affiliated with such exporter or producer. The request must include the name(s) of the exporter or producer for which the inquiry is requested.

Interested parties must submit applications for disclosure under administrative protective orders in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305.

These initiations and this notice are in accordance with section 751(a) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (19 USC 1675(a)), and 19 CFR 351.221(c)(1)(i).

Dated: January 25, 2001.

Gary Taverman,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, Group II for Import Administration.

[FR Doc. 01–2685 Filed 1–30–01; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 3510–DS–P

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A–533–809]

Certain Forged Stainless Steel Flanges from India: Preliminary Results of New Shipper Review

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

ACTION: Notice of preliminary results of new shipper review: certain forged stainless steel flanges from India.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (the Department) is conducting a new shipper review of the antidumping duty order on certain forged stainless steel flanges from India in response to a request by an Indian exporter of subject merchandise, Snowdrop Trading PVT LTD (Snowdrop). As indicated in the Department's initiation of this review (65 FR 17485), the review covers sales of the subject merchandise to the United States during the period of review (POR), February 1, 1999 through February 29, 2000.

We have preliminarily determined that Snowdrop made sales below normal value (NV). If these preliminary results are adopted in our final results, we will instruct the U.S. Customs Service not to assess antidumping duties on entries subject to this review.

Interested parties are invited to comment on these preliminary results, and are requested to submit with the argument: (1) A statement of the issue; and (2) a brief summary of the argument.

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 31, 2001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Thomas Killiam or Robert James, Office 8, AD/CVD Enforcement Group III, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230, telephone: (202) 482–5222 or (202) 482–0649, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Applicable Statute and Regulations

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Tariff Act), are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Tariff Act by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act. In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all references to the Department's regulations are to 19 CFR part 351 (1999).

Background

The Department published an antidumping duty order on certain forged stainless steel flanges from India on February 9, 1994 (59 FR 5994). Having received a timely request for a new shipper review from Snowdrop, the Department initiated this review on March 28, 2000 (65 FR 17485 (April 3, 2000)), in accordance with section 751(a)(2)(B) of the Tariff Act and section 351.214(b) of the Department's regulations. Snowdrop provided responses to the Department's questionnaires on April 24, 2000 (Section A), May 15, 2000 (Sections B and C), and August 28, 2000 (supplemental). The Department's analysis of Snowdrop's data is presented in a Memorandum from Thomas Killiam to the file, dated January 19, 2001 (Analysis Memorandum).

Scope of Review

The products under review are certain forged stainless steel flanges both