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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Food Safety and Inspection Service

[Docket No. FSIS–2013–0045]

Codex Alimentarius Commission: Meeting of the Codex Committee on Fish and Fish Products

AGENCY: Office of the Under Secretary for Food Safety, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Office of the Under Secretary for Food Safety, U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), and the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), are sponsoring a public meeting scheduled to take place on February 6, 2014. The objective of the public meeting is to present information and receive public comments on agenda items and draft United States positions to be discussed at the 33rd Session of the Codex Committee on Fish and Fishery Products (CCFFP) of the Codex Alimentarius Commission (Codex), which will take place in Bergen, Norway, from February 17–21, 2014. The Acting Under Secretary for Food Safety, NOAA, and FDA recognize the importance of providing interested parties the opportunity to obtain background information on the 33rd Session of CCFFP and to address items on the agenda.

DATES: The public meeting is scheduled for February 6, 2014, from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The public meeting will take place at FDA, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition (CFSAN), Wiley Building, Room 1A–001, 5100 Paint Branch Parkway, College Park, MD 20740.

Documents related to the 33rd session of CCFFP will be accessible via the World Wide Web at the following

address: <http://www.codexalimentarius.org/meetings-reports/en/>.

Timothy Hansen and Dr. William Jones, U.S. Delegates to the 33rd session of CCFFP, invite U.S. interested parties to submit their comments electronically to the following email addresses:

Timothy.Hansen@noaa.gov and

William.Jones@fda.hhs.gov.

Call in Number:

If you wish to participate in the public meeting for the 33rd session of CCFFP by conference call, please use the call-in number and participant code listed below:

Call-in Number: 1–888–844–9904

Participant Code: 512–6092

For Further Information about the 33rd Session of CCFFP Contact:

Timothy Hansen, Director, Seafood Inspection Program, National Marine Fisheries Services, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, 1315 East West Highway SSMC #3, Silver Spring, MD 20910; Telephone: (301) 713–2355, Fax: (301) 713–1081, Email: Timothy.Hansen@noaa.gov.

Dr. William Jones, Director, Division of Seafood Safety, Office of Food Safety, (HFS–325), U.S. Food and Drug Administration, 5100 Paint Branch Parkway, College Park, MD, 20740; Phone: (240) 402–2300, Fax: (301) 436–2601, Email: William.Jones@fda.hhs.gov.

For Further Information About the Public Meeting Contact: Paulo Almeida, U.S. Codex Office, 1400 Independence Avenue SW., Room 4861, South Building, Washington, DC 20250; Telephone: (202) 205–7760, Fax: (202) 720–3157, Email: Paulo.Almeida@fsis.usda.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

Codex was established in 1963 by two United Nations organizations, the Food and Agriculture Organization and the World Health Organization. Through adoption of food standards, codes of practice, and other guidelines developed by its committees, and by promoting their adoption and implementation by governments, Codex seeks to protect the health of consumers and ensure that fair practices are used in the food trade.

The CCFFP is responsible for elaborating worldwide standards for fresh, frozen (including quick frozen) or

otherwise processed fish, crustaceans and mollusc. The Committee is hosted by Norway.

Issues To Be Discussed at the Public Meeting

The following items on the Agenda for the 33rd session of CCFFP will be discussed during the public meeting:

- Matters referred to the Committee by the Codex Alimentarius Commission and other Codex Committees

- Matters arising from the work of the Food and Agricultural Organization (FAO) and the World Health Organization (WHO)

- Matters arising from the work of the World Organization for Animal Health (OIE)

- Draft Performance Criteria for Reference and Confirmatory Methods for Marine Biotoxins (Section I–8.6 Determination of Biotoxins) in the Standard for Live and Raw Bivalve Molluscs

- Standard for Smoked Fish, Smoke-Flavoured Fish, and Smoke-Dried Fish (Section 4 Food Additives)

- Draft Standard for Raw, Fresh, and Quick Frozen Scallop Products

- Proposed Draft Code of Practice on the Processing of Scallop Meat

- Proposed Draft Code of Practice for Fish and Fishery Products (section on Sturgeon caviar)

- Proposed Draft Code of Practice for Processing of Fish Sauce

- Proposed Food Additive Provisions in Standards for Fish and Fishery Products (food additive provisions in adopted standards)

- Discussion Paper on Histamine

- Discussion Paper on Nitrogen

Factors

- Code of Practice for Fish and Fishery Products (optional final product requirements for commodities)

Each issue listed will be fully described in documents distributed, or to be distributed, by the Codex Secretariat before the Committee Meeting. Members of the public may access or request copies of these documents (see **ADDRESSES**).

Public Meeting

At the February 6, 2014, public meeting, draft U.S. positions on the agenda items will be described and discussed, and attendees will have the opportunity to pose questions and offer comments. Written comments may be offered at the meeting or sent to the U.S.

Delegates for the 33rd session of CCFFP, Timothy Hansen & Dr. William Jones (see **ADDRESSES**). Written comments should state that they relate to activities of the 33rd session of CCFFP.

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Done at Washington, DC on: January 9, 2014.

Mary Frances Lowe,

U.S. Manager for Codex Alimentarius.

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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Agenda and Notice of Public Meeting of the Massachusetts Advisory Committee

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights (Commission), and the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), that a planning meeting of the Massachusetts Advisory Committee to the Commission will convene at 12:00 p.m. (EST) on Friday, February 20, 2014, at McCarter & English, located at 265 Franklin St., Boston, MA 02110. The purpose of the meeting is for the committee to discuss its September briefing on the criminalization of school discipline, and to plan the next steps for its project on school disciplinary policies and if such policies have a disparate impact on students of color.

Members of the public are entitled to submit written comments. The comments must be received in the regional office by Thursday, March 20, 2014. Comments may be mailed to the Eastern Regional Office, U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, 1331 Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 1150, Washington, DC 20425, faxed to (202) 376-7548, or emailed to Barbara de La Viez at ero@usccr.gov. Persons who desire additional information may contact the Eastern Regional Office at 202-376-7533.

Persons needing accessibility services should contact the Eastern Regional Office at least 10 working days before the scheduled date of the meeting.

Records generated from this meeting may be inspected and reproduced at the Eastern Regional Office, as they become available, both before and after the meeting. Persons interested in the work of this advisory committee are advised to go to the Commission's Web site, www.usccr.gov, or to contact the Eastern Regional Office at the above phone number, email or street address.

The meetings will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the Commission and FACA.

Dated: January 22, 2013.

David Mussatt,

Acting Chief, Regional Programs Coordination Unit.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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: Bureau of Industry and Security (BIS).

Title: Voluntary Self-Disclosure of Violations of the Export Administration Regulations.

OMB Control Number: 0694-0058.

Form Number(s): N/A.

Type of Request: Regular submission (extension of a current information collection).

Number of Respondents: 180.

Average Hours per Response: 10 hours.

Burden Hours: 1,800.

Needs and Uses: This collection of information is needed to detect violations of the Export Administration Act and Regulations, and determine if an investigation or prosecution is necessary and to reach a settlement with violators. Voluntary self-disclosure of EAR violations strengthens BIS's enforcement efforts by allowing BIS to conduct investigations of the disclosed incidents faster than would be the case if BIS had to detect the violations without such disclosures. BIS evaluates the seriousness of the violation and either (1) informs the person making the disclosure that no action is warranted; (2) issues a warning letter; (3) issues a proposed charging letter and attempts to settle the matter; (4) issues a charging letter if settlement is not reached; and/or (5) refers the matter to the U.S. Department of Justice for criminal prosecution.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit institutions.

Frequency: On occasion.

Respondent's Obligation: Voluntary.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Jennifer Jessup, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, (202) 482-0336, Department of Commerce, Room 6616, 14th and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at JJessup@doc.gov).