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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: We are notifying the public that the 2002 revision of the Criteria is final. Section 3405(e) of the CVPIA (Title 34 Pub. L. 102-575), requires the Secretary of the Interior to establish and administer an office on Central Valley Project water conservation best management practices (BMPs) that shall develop Criteria for evaluating the adequacy of all Plans developed by project contractors, including those Plans required by section 210 of the RRA. Also, according to section 3405(e)(1), the Criteria must be developed “* * * with the purpose of promoting the highest level of water use efficiency reasonably achievable by project contractors using best available cost-effective technology and best management practices.”

The Criteria states that all parties (Contractors) that contract with Reclamation for water supplies (except any contractor who receives under 2,000 acre feet, municipal and industrial contracts under 3,300 people served, and agricultural contracts under 2,000 irrigable acres) must prepare Plans that contain the following information:

1. Description of the District
2. Inventory of Water Resources
3. BMPs for Agricultural Contractors
4. BMPs for Urban Contractors
5. Plan Implementation
6. Exemption Process
7. Regional Criteria
8. Five-Year Revisions

Reclamation will evaluate Plans based on the Criteria. The CVPIA requires Reclamation to evaluate, and revise if necessary, the Criteria every 3 years. The Criteria were previously revised in 1996 and 1999.

Public comment on revision of the 2002 Criteria was received and generally incorporated. No significant changes were made to the draft Criteria. A copy can be found at the following Web site: <http://www.mp.usbr.gov/watershare/documents/files/cvpia/final2002cvpiacriteria.pdf>. A copy can also be obtained by contacting persons at the address below. The 2002 Criteria will now be used to evaluate Plans submitted after the date of this publication

Dated: May 1, 2003.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Inv. No. 337-TA-492]

Certain Plastic Grocery and Retail Bags; Notice of Investigation

AGENCY: International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Institution of investigation pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 1337.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that a complaint was filed with the U.S. International Trade Commission on April 2, 2003, under section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. 1337, on behalf of Superbag Corp. of Houston, Texas. An amended complaint was filed on May 1, 2003. The complaint alleges violations of section 337 in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, and the sale within the United States after importation of certain plastic grocery and retail bags by reason of infringement of claims 1-8 and 15-19 of U.S. Patent No. 5,188,235. The complaint further alleges that an industry in the United States exists as required by subsection (a)(2) of section 337.

The complainant requests that the Commission institute an investigation and, after the investigation, issue a permanent general exclusion order and permanent cease and desist orders.

ADDRESSES: The amended complaint, except for any confidential information contained therein, is available for inspection during official business hours (8:45 a.m. to 5:15 p.m.) in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, SW., Room 112, Washington, DC 20436, telephone 202-205-2000. Hearing impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter can be obtained by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on 202-205-1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at 202-205-2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its internet server at <http://www.usitc.gov>. The public record for this investigation may be viewed on the Commission's electronic docket at <http://edis.usitc.gov>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

David H. Hollander, Jr., Esq., Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, telephone 202-205-2746.

Authority: The authority for institution of this investigation is contained in section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, and in §210.10 of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure, 19 CFR 210.10 (2002).

Scope of Investigation: Having considered the complaint, the U.S. International Trade Commission, on May 1, 2003, *ordered that—*

(1) Pursuant to subsection (b) of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, an investigation be instituted to determine whether there is a violation of subsection (a)(1)(B) of section 337 in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, or the sale within the United States after importation of certain plastic grocery or retail bags by reason of infringement of one or more of claims 1-8 and 15-19 of U.S. Patent No. 5,188,235, and whether an industry in the United States exists as required by subsection (a)(2) of section 337.

(2) For the purpose of the investigation so instituted, the following are hereby named as parties upon which this notice of investigation shall be served:

(a) The complainant is—
Superbag Corp., 9291 Baythorne Drive, Houston, Texas 77041.

(b) The respondents are the following companies alleged to be in violation of section 337, and are the parties upon which the complaint is to be served:

Thai Plastics Bags Industries Co., Ltd., 42/174 Moo 5, Soi Srisatian, Raiking, Sampran, Nakhon Pathom 73210, Thailand.

Hmong Industries, Inc., 700 Prior Avenue North, St. Paul, Minnesota 55104.

Spectrum Plastics, Inc., 12850 Midway Place, Cerritos, California 90703.

Pan Pacific Plastics Mfg., Inc., 33441 Central Avenue, Union City, California 94587.

(c) David H. Hollander, Jr., Esq., Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, SW., Suite 401, Washington, DC 20436, who shall be the Commission investigative attorney, party to this investigation; and

(3) For the investigation so instituted, the Honorable Paul J. Luckern is designated as the presiding administrative law judge.

Responses to the complaint and the notice of investigation must be submitted by the named respondents in accordance with §210.13 of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure, 19 CFR 210.13. Pursuant to 19 CFR 201.16(d) and 210.13(a), such responses will be considered by the

Commission if received no later than 20 days after the date of service by the Commission of the complaint and the notice of investigation. Extensions of time for submitting responses to the complaint will not be granted unless good cause therefor is shown.

Failure of a respondent to file a timely response to each allegation in the complaint and in this notice may be deemed to constitute a waiver of the right to appear and contest the allegations of the complaint and to authorize the administrative law judge and the Commission, without further notice to that respondent, to find the facts to be as alleged in the complaint and this notice and to enter both an initial determination and a final determination containing such findings, and may result in the issuance of a limited exclusion order or a cease and desist order or both directed against that respondent.

Issued: May 2, 2003.

By order of the Commission.

Marilyn R. Abbott,

Secretary to the Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Under the Safe Drinking Water Act

Notice is hereby given that on April 22, 2003, a proposed Consent Decree in *United States v. Syd H. Levine, et al.*, Civil No. 4:97CV-169-M, was lodged with the United States District Court for the Western District of Kentucky.

In this action the United States sought civil penalties and injunctive relief for numerous violations of Section 1423(b) of the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. 300h-2(b), and its implementing Underground Injection Control regulations for Kentucky, 40 CFR part 144. The alleged violations include [violations of an Administration Order on Consent entered into in] August 1990 by EPA and defendant Doofus Oil, doing business as Syd H. Levine and Associates, as the operator of underground injection wells owned by Hel-lewa, Poor Boy, and Levine Development. In settlement of these allegations, the defendants will conduct mechanical integrity tests on their 52 underground injection wells that are the subject of this action under a compliance schedule set forth in the Decree.

The Department of Justice will receive for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication, comments

relating to the Consent Decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, P.O. Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20044-7611, and should refer to *United States v. Syd H. Levine, et al.*, D.J. Ref. 90-5-1-1-4391.

The Consent Decree may be examined at the office of the United States Attorney, 510 W. Broadway, 10th Floor, Louisville, Kentucky, and at U.S. EPA Region 4, Atlanta Federal Center, 61 Forsyth Street, Atlanta, Georgia. During the public comment period, the Consent Decree may also be examined on the following Department of Justice Web site, <http://www.usdoj.gov/enrd/open.html>. A copy of the Consent Decree may also be obtained by mail from the Consent Decree Library, P.O. Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20044-7611, or by faxing or e-mailing a request to Tonia Fleetwood (tonia.fleetwood@usdoj.gov), fax no. (202) 514-0097, phone confirmation number (202) 514-1547. In requesting a copy, please enclose a check in the amount of \$10.25 (25 cents per page reproduction cost) payable to the U.S. Treasury.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice Lodging of Consent Decree Under the Clean Air Act, Clean Water Act, and Resource Conservation and Recovery Act

Under 28 CFR § 50.7, notice is hereby given that on April 23, 2003, a proposed Consent Decree in *United States v. Metal Management Midwest, Inc.*, Civil Action No. 01C-4551 was lodged with the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois.

In this action the United States sought civil penalties and injunctive relief relating to violations of the National Recycling and Emissions Reduction Program provisions of the Clean Air Act, as well as violations of the Clean Water Act and the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act ("RCRA") at three scrap yards located in Chicago, Illinois. The Consent Decree requires that Metal Management Midwest come into compliance with the applicable environmental laws and regulations, produce and distribute educational materials relating to proper recycling

and disposal of chlorofluorocarbons, conduct environmental compliance audits at four additional Illinois facilities, and pay a civil penalty in the form of a \$2,275,500 allowed claim in Metal Management's chapter 11 bankruptcy action (*In re: Metal Management, Inc.*, Case No. 00-4303 (Bankr. D. Del.)).

The Department of Justice will receive for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication comments relating to Consent Decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, P.O. Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20044-7611, and should refer to *United States v. Metal Management Midwest, Inc.*, D.J. Ref. #90-5-2-1-07207.

The Consent Decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, 219 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, IL 60604, and at U.S. EPA Region 5, 77 West Jackson Blvd., Chicago, IL 60604. During the public comment period, the consent Decree, may also be examined on the following Department of Justice Web site, <http://www.usdoj.gov/enrd/open.html>. A copy of the Consent Decree may also be obtained by mail from the Consent Decree Library, P.O. Box 7611, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20044-7611 or by faxing or e-mailing a request to Tonia Fleetwood (tonia.fleetwood@usdoj.gov), fax no. (202) 514-0097, phone confirmation number (202) 514-1547. In requesting a copy from the Consent Decree Library, please enclose a check in the amount of \$23.50 (25 cents per page reproduction cost) payable to the U.S. Treasury.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Under Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act

In accordance with Departmental policy, 28 CFR 50.7, notice is hereby given that on April 25, 2003, a proposed Consent Decree in *United States v. Morgantown Engineering and Construction, Inc.* (N.D.W.Va.), C.A. No. 1: 03CV56, was lodged with the United States District Court for the Northern District of West Virginia.