

considered the face and back veneers, in accordance with the descriptions above.

The core of hardwood and decorative plywood consists of the layer or layers of one or more material(s) that are situated between the face and back veneers. The core may be composed of a range of materials, including but not limited to veneers, particleboard, and medium-density fiberboard ("MDF").

All hardwood and decorative plywood is included within the scope of this investigation regardless of whether or not the face and/or back veneers are surface coated, unless the surface coating obscures the grain, texture or markings of the wood in a permanent manner. Examples of surface coatings which may not obscure the grain, texture or markings of the wood include, but are not limited to, ultra-violet light cured polyurethanes, oil or oil-modified or water based polyurethanes, wax, epoxy-ester finishes, and moisture-cured urethanes. Hardwood and decorative plywood that has face and/or back veneers which have a permanent and opaque surface coating which obscures the grain, texture or markings of the wood, are not included within the scope of this investigation. Examples of permanently affixed surface coatings which may obscure the grain, texture or markings of wood include, but are not limited to, paper, aluminum, high pressure laminate ("HPL"), MDF, medium density overlay ("MDO"), and phenolic film. Additionally, the face veneer of hardwood and decorative plywood may be sanded, smoothed or given a "distressed" appearance through such methods as hand-scraping or wire brushing. The face veneer may be stained.

The scope of the investigation excludes the following items: (1) structural plywood (also known as "industrial plywood" or "industrial panels") that is manufactured and stamped to meet U.S. Products Standard PS 1-09, PS 2-09, or PS 2-10 for Structural Plywood (including any revisions to that standard or any substantially equivalent international standard intended for structural plywood), including but not limited to the "bond performance" requirements set forth at paragraph 5.8.6.4 of that Standard and the performance criteria detailed at Table 4 through 10 of that Standard; (2) products which have a face and back veneer of cork; (3) multilayered wood flooring, as described in the antidumping duty and countervailing duty orders on Multilayered Wood Flooring from the People's Republic of China, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce Investigation Nos. A-570-970 and C-570-971 (published December 8, 2011), and additionally, multilayered wood flooring with a face veneer of bamboo or composed entirely of bamboo; (4) plywood which has a shape or design other than a flat panel; (5) products made entirely from bamboo and adhesives (also known as "solid bamboo").

Imports of the subject merchandise are provided for under the following subheadings of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States ("HTSUS"): 4412.10.0500; 4412.31.0520; 4412.31.0540; 4412.31.0560; 4412.31.2510; 4412.31.2520; 4412.31.4040; 4412.31.4050; 4412.31.4060; 4412.31.4070; 4412.31.5135; 4412.31.5155;

4412.31.5165; 4412.31.5175; 4412.31.6000; 4412.31.9100; 4412.32.0520; 4412.32.0540; 4412.32.0560; 4412.32.2510; 4412.32.2520; 4412.32.3135; 4412.32.3155; 4412.32.3165; 4412.32.3175; 4412.32.3185; 4412.32.5600; 4412.39.1000; 4412.39.3000; 4412.39.4011; 4412.39.4012; 4412.39.4019; 4412.39.4031; 4412.39.4032; 4412.39.4039; 4412.39.4051; 4412.39.4052; 4412.39.4059; 4412.39.4061; 4412.39.4062; 4412.39.4069; 4412.39.5010; 4412.39.5030; 4412.39.5050; 4412.94.1030; 4412.94.1050; 4412.94.3111; 4412.94.3121; 4412.94.3131; 4412.94.3141; 4412.94.3160; 4412.94.3171; 4412.94.4100; 4412.94.6000; 4412.94.7000; 4412.94.8000; 4412.94.9000; 4412.99.0600; 4412.99.1020; 4412.99.1030; 4412.99.1040; 4412.99.3110; 4412.99.3120; 4412.99.3130; 4412.99.3140; 4412.99.3150; 4412.99.3160; 4412.99.3170; 4412.99.4100; 4412.99.5710; 4412.99.6000; 4412.99.7000; 4412.99.8000; 4412.99.9000; 4412.10.9000; 4412.31.4080; 4412.32.0570; 4412.32.2530; 4412.94.5100; 4412.94.9500; 4412.99.5115; and 4412.99.9500.

While HTSUS subheadings are provided for convenience and customs purposes, the written description of the subject merchandise as set forth herein is dispositive.

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VII. Recommendation

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[Application No. 99-6A002]

Export Trade Certificate of Review

ACTION: Notice of issuance of an amended Export Trade Certificate of Review to California Almond Export Association, LLC ("CAEA") (Application #99-6A002).

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of Commerce issued an amended Export Trade Certificate of Review to California Almond Export Association, LLC on August 29, 2013.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Joseph E. Flynn, Director, Office of Competition and Economic Analysis, International Trade Administration, by telephone at (202) 482-5131 (this is not a toll-free number) or email at etca@trade.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Title III of the Export Trading Company Act of 1982 (15 U.S.C. Sections 4001-21) ("the Act") authorizes the Secretary of Commerce to issue Export Trade Certificates of Review. The regulations implementing Title III are found at 15 CFR Part 325 (2013).

The Office of Competition and Economic Analysis ("OCEA") is issuing this notice pursuant to 15 CFR 325.6(b), which requires the Secretary of Commerce to publish a summary of the certification in the **Federal Register**. Under Section 305(a) of the Act and 15 CFR 325.11(a), any person aggrieved by the Secretary's determination may, within 30 days of the date of this notice, bring an action in any appropriate district court of the United States to set aside the determination on the ground that the determination is erroneous.

Description of Amended Certificate

CAEA's Export Trade Certificate of Review has been amended to:

1. Delete the following company as a Member of CAEA's Certificate: North Valley Nut, Inc. (Orland, CA).
2. Change the name of the following Member: Roche Brothers International (Escalon, CA) to Roche Brothers International Family Nut Co. (Escalon, CA)

CAEA's Export Trade Certificate of Review complete amended membership is listed below:
Almonds California Pride, Inc.,
Caruthers, CA

Baldwin-Minkler Farms, Orland, CA
 Blue Diamond Growers, Sacramento, CA
 Campos Brothers, Caruthers, CA
 Chico Nut Company, Chico, CA
 Del Rio Nut Company, Inc., Livingston, CA
 Fair Trade Corner, Inc., Chico, CA
 Fisher Nut Company, Modesto, CA
 Hilltop Ranch, Inc., Ballico, CA
 Hughson Nut, Inc., Hughson, CA
 Mariani Nut Company, Winters, CA
 Minturn Nut Company, Inc., LeGrand, CA
 Nutco, LLC d.b.a. Spycher Brothers, Turlock, CA
 Paramount Farms, Inc., Los Angeles, CA
 P-R Farms, Inc., Clovis, CA
 Roche Brothers International Family Nut Co., Escalon, CA
 South Valley Almond Company, LLC, Wasco, CA
 Sunny Gem, LLC, Wasco, CA
 Treehouse California Almonds, LLC, Los Angeles, CA
 Western Nut Company, Chico, CA

Dated: September 11, 2013.

Joseph E. Flynn,

Director, Office of Competition and Economic Analysis.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[Application No. 89-4A018]

Export Trade Certificate of Review

ACTION: Notice of issuance to amend the Export Trade Certificate of Review issued to Outdoor Power Equipment Institute, Inc., Application no. 89-4A018.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of Commerce issued an amended Export Trade Certificate of Review to Outdoor Power Equipment Institute, Inc. on August 29, 2013.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Joseph Flynn, Director, Office of Competition and Economic Analysis, International Trade Administration, (202) 482-5131 (this is not a toll-free number) or email at etca@trade.gov.

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Description of Amended Certificate

OPEI's Export Trade Certificate of Review has been amended to:

1. Add the following companies as new Members of OPEI's Certificate: Magic Circle Corporation d/b/a Dixie Chopper (Coatesville, IN) and Briggs & Stratton Corporation (Wauwatosa, WI).
2. Amend the definition of Products under OPEI's existing Certificate to clarify that Products covered include: Sand Trap Rakes (NAICS 333111), Aerators (NAICS 333112), Brushcutters (NAICS 333112), Hedge Trimmers (NAICS 333112), Hand-Held Snow Throwers (NAICS 333112), Split-Boom Products (NAICS 333112), Hand-Held Tillers and Cultivators (NAICS 333112).
3. Amend the definition of Products covered by OPEI's existing Certificate by replacing the current descriptive term "riding rotary turf mowers" (SIC 3524) with "riding mowers" to reflect coverage of Commercial Riding Mowers (NAICS 333111), and Residential Riding Mowers (NAICS 333112).

OPEI's amended Export Trade Certificate of Review membership includes:

Ariens Company, Brillion, WI
 Briggs & Stratton Corporation (Wauwatosa, WI).
 Deere & Company dba Worldwide Lawn & Grounds Care Division, Moline, IL
 Dixon Industries, Inc., Coffeyville, KS
 Excel Industries, Inc., Hesston, KS
 Garden Way, Inc., Rensselaer, NY
 Hoffco, Inc., Richmond, IN
 Honda Power Equipment Manufacturing, Inc., Swepsonville, NC
 Howard Price Turf Equipment, Chesterfield, MO
 Ingersoll Equipment Company, Inc., Winnecone, WI
 Kut-Kwick Corporation, Brunswick, GA
 Magic Circle Corporation d/b/a Dixie Chopper (Coatesville, IN)
 Maxim Manufacturing Corporation, Sebastopol, MS
 MTD Products, Inc., Valley City, OH
 Ransomes, Inc., Johnson Creek, WI
 Scag Power Equipment, Inc., Mayville, WI
 Simplicity Manufacturing, Inc., Port Washington, WI
 Solo Incorporated, Newport News, Virginia

Southland Mower Company, Selma, AL
 Textron, Inc. dba Bunton, a division of Jacobsen, a division of Textron, Inc., Louisville, KY
 Toro Company (The), Minneapolis, MN
 Yazoo Manufacturing Company, Inc., Jackson, MS

Dated: September 11, 2013.

Joseph E. Flynn,

Director, Office of Competition and Economic Analysis.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

Proposed Information Collection; Comment Request; Western Region Vessel Monitoring System and Pre-Trip Reporting Requirements

AGENCY: National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted on or before November 22, 2013.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Jennifer Jessup, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 6616, 14th and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at Jjessup@doc.gov).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument and instructions should be directed to Craig Heberer, (760) 805-5984 or Craig.Heberer@noaa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

This request is for extension of a current information collection.

Owners of vessels that fish out of West Coast ports for highly migratory species such as tuna, billfish, and sharks are required to submit information about their intended and actual fishing activities. These submissions would allow the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) and the Pacific Fishery