

amended (19 U.S.C. 1337), and in § 210.66 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR 210.66).

Issued: November 24, 2003.
By order of the Commission.

Marilyn R. Abbott,

Secretary to the Commission.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[USITC SE-03-039]

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING:

International Trade Commission.

TIME AND DATE: December 4, 2003 at 11:30 a.m.

PLACE: Room 101, 500 E Street SW., Washington, DC 20436, Telephone: (202) 205-2000.

STATUS: Open to the public.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

1. Agenda for future meetings: none.
2. Minutes.
3. Ratification List.
4. Inv. No. TA-421-4 (Market Disruption)(Certain Ductile Iron Waterworks Fittings from China)—briefing and vote. (The Commission is currently scheduled to transmit its determination on market disruption to the President and the United States Trade Representative on December 4, 2003.)

5. Outstanding action jackets: none.
In accordance with Commission policy, subject matter listed above, not disposed of at the scheduled meeting, may be carried over to the agenda of the following meeting.

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By order of the Commission.

MARILYN R. ABBOTT,

Secretary to the Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging Proposed Consent Decree

In accordance with Departmental Policy, 28 CFR 50.7, notice is hereby given that a proposed Consent Decree in *United States of America v. Northwoods Development, LLC d/b/a Portage Point Inn, Michael DeVoe*, 1:03-CV-336, was lodged with the United States District Court for the Western District of Michigan, Southern Division on November 4, 2003.

This proposed Consent Decree concerns a complaint filed by the United States against Northwoods Development, LLC, d/b/a Portage Point Inn, and Michael DeVoe, pursuant to Section 301(a) of the Clean Water Act, 33 U.S.C. 1311(a) and Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act of 1899, 33 U.S.C. 403 to obtain injunctive relief and impose civil penalties against the Defendants for violating the Clean Water Act by discharging pollutants without a permit into waters of the United States. The proposed Consent Decree resolves these allegations by requiring the Defendants to restore the impacted areas and to pay a civil penalty.

The Department of Justice will accept written comments relating to this proposed Consent Decree for thirty (30) days from the date of publication of this notice. Please address comments to Thomas J. Gezon, Assistant United States Attorney, Western District of Michigan, P.O. Box 208, Grand Rapids, MI 49501-0208, (616) 456-2408, and refer to *United States v. Northwoods Development, LLC*, Court No. 1:03-CV-336, (Internal Case Number 2002V00286).

The proposed Consent Decree may be examined at the Clerk's Office, United States District Court for the Western District of Michigan, B35 Federal Building, 410 W. Michigan Avenue, Kalamazoo, MI 49007. In addition, the proposed consent decree may be viewed at <http://www.usdoj.gov/enrd/open.html>.

Thomas J. Gezon,

Assistant United States Attorney, Western District of Michigan.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Grinding Optimization Venture

Notice is hereby given that, on October 2, 2003, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), Grinding Optimization Venture has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing (1) The identities of the parties and (2) the nature and objectives of the venture. The notifications were filed for the purpose of invoking the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust

plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act, the identities of the parties are TechSolve, Inc., Cincinnati, OH; Delphi, Energy & Chassis System, Dayton, OH; Applied Grinding Technologies, Inc., Wixcom, MI; Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN; and Landis Gardner—A UNOVA Company, Waynesboro, PA. The nature and objectives of the venture are to develop and demonstrate the application of an intelligent system that uses techniques of soft computing and artificial intelligence to learn, control, monitor, and optimize a variety of complex precision grinding processes without resorting to trial and error.

Dorothy B. Fountain,

Deputy Director of Operations, Antitrust Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—IMS Global Learning Consortium, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that, on October 30, 2003, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), IMS Global Learning Consortium, Inc. has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership status. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Sentient Consulting Limited, Liverpool, United Kingdom; and University of Ulster, Newtownabbey Co., Antrim, United Kingdom have been added as parties to this venture.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and IMS Global Learning Consortium, Inc. intends to file additional written notification disclosing all changes in membership.

On April 7, 2000, IMS Global Learning Consortium, Inc. filed its original notification pursuant to section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the

Act on September 13, 2000 (65 FR 55283).

The last notification was filed with the Department on August 8, 2003. A notice was published in the **Federal Register** pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act on August 29, 2003 (68 FR 52055).

Dorothy B. Fountain,

Deputy Director of Operations, Antitrust Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Nano-Engineered Thermal Interfaces Enabling Next Generation Microelectronics

Notice is hereby given that, on October 2, 2003, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* (“the Act”), Nano-Engineered Thermal Interfaces Enabling Next Generation Microelectronics has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing (1) the identities of the parties and (2) the nature and objectives of the venture. The notifications were filed for the purpose of invoking the Act’s provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act, the identities of the parties are General Electric Global Research, Niskayuna, NY; Superior MicroPowders, LLC, Albuquerque, New Mexico; and The Research Foundation of SUNY at Binghamton, Binghamton, NY. The nature and objectives of the venture are to develop and demonstrate nano-engineered thermal interfaces materials enabling next generation microelectronics.

Dorothy B. Fountain,

Deputy Director of Operations, Antitrust Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993 Power Tool Institute Joint Venture Project

Notice is hereby given that, on October 23, 2003, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* (“the Act”), the Power Tool Institute Joint Venture Project has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing (1) the identities of the parties and (2) the nature and objectives of the venture. The notifications were filed for the purpose of invoking the Act’s provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act, the identities of the parties are The Black & Decker Corp., Towson, MD; Hitachi Koki, U.S.A., Ltd., Norcross, GA, a subsidiary of Hitachi Koki Company Ltd., Tokyo, Japan; Pentair Tools Group, Jackson, TN, a subsidiary of Pentair Corporation, Golden Valley, MN; Robert Bosch Tool Corporation, Mount Prospect, IL, an affiliated entity of Robert Bosch GMBH, Gerlingen, Germany and Scintilla AG, Solothurn, Switzerland; and Ryobi Technologies, Inc., Anderson, SC and One World Technologies, Inc., Anderson, SC, both subsidiaries of Techtronics Inc., Tsuen Wan, Hong Kong, China. The nature and objectives of the venture are the research and development of technology for power saw blade contact injury avoidance, including skin sensing systems, blade braking systems, and/or blade guarding systems. The participants intend to share confidential information and intellectual property rights in order to achieve the goals of the joint venture. The participants intend to share intellectual property that is contributed, and any intellectual property or technology that is developed through the joint venture, among themselves and the Power Tool Institute. Any royalties generated by the licensing of any technology or intellectual property created through the joint venture will be shared among the joint venture participants and the Power Tool Institute pursuant to the terms of the joint venture agreement and the accompanying confidentiality agreements. The technology or intellectual property created through the joint venture will be available to the

public for a licensing fee, which will be non-discriminatory and determined in accordance with the costs to develop the intellectual property to be licensed.

Dorothy B. Fountain,

Deputy Director of Operations, Antitrust Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Roll to Roll Processing To Enable the Organic Electronic Revolution

Notice is hereby given that, on October 16, 2003, pursuant to section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* (“the Act”), Roll to Roll Processing to Enable the Organic Electronic Revolution has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing (1) the identities of the parties and (2) the nature and objectives of the venture. The notifications were filed for the purpose of invoking the Act’s provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Pursuant to section 6(b) of the Act, the identities of the parties are GE Global Research, Niskayuna, NY; and Energy Conversion Devices, Inc., Rochester Hills, MI. The nature and objectives of the venture are to develop and demonstrate roll to roll processing to enable the organic electronics industry by providing highly functional devices at low cost and high volume.

Dorothy B. Fountain,

Deputy Director of Operations, Antitrust Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Mine Safety and Health Administration

Evaluation of International Electrotechnical Commission’s (IEC) Standards for Intrinsic Safety and Explosion-Proof Enclosures

AGENCY: Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA), Labor.

ACTION: Notice of intent to review international (IEC) standards for