

751(a)(2)(B) of the Act, and in accordance with 19 CFR 351.214, for new shipper reviews of the antidumping duty order on tapered roller bearings and parts thereof, finished and unfinished ("TRBs"), from the People's Republic of China ("PRC"). This order has a December semi-annual anniversary month.

Initiation of Review

In accordance with 19 CFR 351.214(b)(2), CPZ and Yantai Timken each provided certification that (1) they did not export subject merchandise to the United States during the period of investigation ("POI"); (2) that, since the investigation was initiated, they never have been affiliated with any exporter or producer who exported the subject merchandise to the United States during the POI, including those not individually examined during the investigation; and (3) that their export activities are not controlled by the central government. Also, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.214(b)(2), CPZ and Yantai Timken submitted documentation establishing (1) the date on which their TRBs were first entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption, or if the exporter or producer could not establish the date of first entry, the date on which they first shipped the subject merchandise for export to the United States; (2) the volume of those and subsequent shipments; and (3) the dates of the first sales to unaffiliated customers in the United States.

Therefore, in accordance with section 751(a)(2)(B) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.214, we are initiating new shipper reviews of the antidumping duty order on TRBs from the PRC. In accordance with 19 CFR 351.214(h)(i), we intend to issue the preliminary results of these reviews not later than 180 days from the date of publication of this notice. All provisions of 19 CFR 351.214 will apply to CPZ and to Yantai Timken throughout the duration of these new shipper reviews.

The standard period of review ("POR") in a new shipper review initiated in the month immediately following the semi-annual anniversary month is the six-month period immediately preceding the semi-annual anniversary month. Therefore, the POR for these new shipper reviews is June 1, 2000 through November 30, 2000.

Concurrent with publication of this notice, and in accordance with 19 CFR 351.214(e), we will instruct the Customs Service to suspend liquidation of any unliquidated entries of the subject merchandise from the relevant exporter or producer, and to allow, at the option

of the importer, the posting, until the completion of the review, of a bond or security in lieu of a cash deposit for each entry of the subject merchandise exported by the companies listed above.

Interested parties must submit applications for disclosure under administrative protective orders in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305 and 351.306.

This initiation notice is in accordance with section 751(a) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1675(a)) and 19 CFR 351.214.

Dated: January 24, 2001.

Richard W. Moreland,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

University of Colorado; Notice of Decision on Application for Duty-Free Entry of Electron Microscope

This is a decision pursuant to Section 6(c) of the Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Materials Importation Act of 1966 (Pub. L. 89-651, 80 Stat. 897; 15 CFR part 301). Related records can be viewed between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. in Room 4211, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C.

Docket Number: 00-038. *Applicant:* University of Colorado, Boulder, CO 80309-0347. *Instrument:* Electron Microscope, Model Tecnai F30. *Manufacturer:* FEI Company, The Netherlands. *Intended Use:* See notice at 65 FR 81488, December 26, 2000. *Order Date:* September 27, 2000.

Comments: None received. *Decision:* Approved. No instrument of equivalent scientific value to the foreign instrument, for such purposes as the instrument is intended to be used, was being manufactured in the United States at the time the instrument was ordered. *Reasons:* The foreign instrument is a conventional transmission electron microscope (CTEM) and is intended for research or scientific educational uses requiring a CTEM. We know of no CTEM, or any other instrument suited to these purposes, which was being manufactured in the United States at the time of order of the instrument.

Gerald A. Zerdy,

Program Manager, Statutory Import Programs Staff.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Export Trade Certificate of Review; Notice of Application

SUMMARY: The Office of Export Trading Company Affairs ("OETCA"), International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce, has received an application for an Export Trade Certificate of Review. This notice summarizes the conduct for which certification is sought and requests comments relevant to whether the Certificate should be issued.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Vanessa M. Bachman, Acting Director, Office of Export Trading Company Affairs, International Trade Administration, (202) 482-5131 (this is not a toll-free number) or by E-mail at oetca@ita.doc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Title III of the Export Trading Company Act of 1982 (15 U.S.C. 4001-21) authorizes the Secretary of Commerce to issue Export Trade Certificates of Review. A Certificate of Review protects the holder and the members identified in the Certificate from state and federal government antitrust actions and from private, treble damage antitrust actions for the export conduct specified in the Certificate and carried out in compliance with its terms and conditions. Section 302(b)(1) of the Act and 15 CFR 325.6(a) require the Secretary to publish a notice in the **Federal Register** identifying the applicant and summarizing its proposed export conduct.

Request for Public Comments

Interested parties may submit written comments relevant to the determination whether a Certificate should be issued. If the comments include any privileged or confidential business information, it must be clearly marked and a nonconfidential version of the comments (identified as such) should be included. Any comments not marked privileged or confidential business information will be deemed to be nonconfidential. An original and five copies, plus two copies of the nonconfidential version, should be submitted no later than 20 days after the date of this notice to: Office of Export Trading Company Affairs, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce, Room 1104H, Washington, DC 20230, or transmit by E-mail at oetca@ita.doc.gov. Information submitted by any person is exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552).

However, nonconfidential versions of the comments will be made available to the applicant if necessary for determining whether or not to issue the Certificate. Comments should refer to this application as "Export Trade Certificate of Review, application number 01-00001." A summary of the application follows.

Summary of the Application

Applicant: Ginseng Board of Wisconsin, Inc. ("GBW"), 16H Menard Plaza, Wausau, Wisconsin 54401.

Contact: Joan Eckes, Manager.

Telephone: (715) 845-7300.

Application No.: 01-00001.

Date Deemed Submitted: January 16, 2001.

GBW is a non-stock, non-profit corporation established to administer the Wisconsin Ginseng Marketing Order (Chapter Ag. 148, Wis. Adm. Code). Members (in addition to applicant): Ginseng Research Institute of America, Inc. ("GRIA"), Wausau, WI; Ginseng & Herb Co-op ("GHC"), Wausau, WI; and Ms. Mechthild Handke, Dusseldorf, Germany (representative for GBW and GHC).

Export Trade:

1. Products

Ginseng and ginseng products; golden seal and golden seal products; echinacea and echinacea products.

2. Services

All services related to the export of Products.

3. Technology Rights

All intellectual property rights associated with Products or Services, including, but not limited to, patents, trademarks, service marks, trade names, copyrights, neighboring (related) rights, trade secrets, know-how, and sui generis forms of protection for databases and computer programs.

4. Export Trade Facilitation Services (as they Relate to the Export of Products, Services and Technology Rights)

Export Trade Facilitation Services, including, but not limited to: foreign market development, consulting, international market research, all product research and design, development of trade strategy, legal assistance, marketing, promotion, sales, distribution, trade documentation, trade shows, freight forwarding, consolidation of export shipments, transportation, communication and processing of export orders; warehousing, foreign exchange, financing, taking title to goods, customs, duties, taxes, insurance,

billing collection, inspection and quality control.

Export Markets

The Export Markets include all parts of the world except the United States (the fifty states of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, American Samoa, Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands).

The proposed Export Trade Certificate of Review would extend antitrust protection to GBW and the Members cited above in connection with the following Export Trade related activities:

1. Design and execute foreign marketing strategies for Export Markets;
2. Establish base prices at which the Products will be sold for export, and set all or other terms of export sales;
3. Agree on quantities of Product to be sold. GHC and GBW shall not require any Product supplier to export a minimum quantity. Grower names will be in a lottery draw and as names are drawn, this is the order in which growers will be contacted to see if they want to sell. If the grower decides not to sell, his name is put at the end. Growers also have an "option out" feature with the coop, should they decide to discontinue;
4. GBW and/or Mechthild and GHC may refuse to quote prices for Products, or to market or sell Products to/or for any customers in the Export Markets, or any countries or geographical areas in the Export Markets;
5. GBW and GHC may conduct promotional activities such as: design, develop and use promotional material using trademarked seal and/or other material. GBW, GHC may design, develop and market generic or other corporate labels for use in Export Markets. GBW and GHC may arrange trade shows, marketing trips, advertising services, conduct international market and Product research;
6. GBW and GHC may conduct marketing and distribution of the Products;
7. GBW and GHC may enter into exclusive agreements appointing one or more export trade intermediaries for the sale of products with price, quantity, territory, country and/or customer restrictions. ("Exclusive" means that GBW and GHC may agree not to sell Products into designated Export Markets through any other foreign distributor and that the foreign distributor may agree to represent only GBW and GHC

in the Export Markets and none of GBW and GHC competitors.);

8. Conduct product and packaging research and development exclusively for export in order to meet foreign regulatory requirements, foreign buyer specifications, and foreign consumer preferences;

9. Negotiate and enter into agreements with governments and other foreign persons regarding non-tariff barriers in Export Markets;

10. Advise and cooperate with the United States Government in establishing procedures regulating the export of the Products;

11. Participate in negotiations and enter into agreements with foreign buyers (including governments and private persons) regarding fumigating, packing and other quality control and/or phytosanitary procedures, and/or funding requirements to be followed in the export of the Products. Such procedures may include activities related to insect and disease detection, certification, inspection, storage and treatment protocols required to qualify Products for export and to meet the import requirements of the foreign government. GBW and/or its Members may establish and operate fumigation facilities for use in the export of the Products;

12. Negotiate or enter into purchase agreements with buyers in Export Markets regarding terms and conditions of sales;

13. Broker or take title to Products and research data intended for Export Markets;

14. Jointly undertake the administrative tasks of processing export orders;

15. Engage in joint promotional activities (such as advertising or trade shows) for developing existing or new markets;

16. Procure, negotiate, contract, and administer transportation services for Products in the course of export, including overseas freight transportation, inland freight transportation from port to embarkment, leasing of transportation equipment and facilities, storing/warehousing, stevedoring, wharfage, handling, insurance, freight forwarder services;

17. Arrange for trade documentation, services, customs clearance, financial instruments, and foreign exchange;

18. Compile and discuss information regarding expenses specific to exporting the Products to and within the Export Markets, including without limitation, all modes of transportation, port storage, export sales, commissions, documentation, duties and taxes;

19. Operate and establish jointly owned subsidiaries or other joint venture entities, owned exclusively by GBW and/or its Members, to export Products to Export Markets; operate warranty, service, and training centers in Export Markets; and to provide Export Trade Facilitation Services to Members and nonmember suppliers of Products. Member and nonmember Wisconsin suppliers may ship Products through GHC;

20. Require the licensing of and license any intellectual property resulting from the research conducted by the GRIA. The use of this research data in conjunction with the sale of Products shall be determined by negotiations between the export customer, GBW and GRIA;

21. Arrange financing through private and public financial entities;

22. Bill and collect monies from foreign buyers; perform or arrange for all legal and financial services in relation to Export Trade Activities and Methods of Operation;

23. Require the use of the Wisconsin Ginseng Seal for Products sold in the Export Markets;

24. Provide marketing and/or health benefit research data to customers, distributors and other export trade intermediaries in the Export Markets for use in promotion of Products, and enter into licensing arrangements of such data with export trade intermediaries and buyers in the Export Markets;

25. Wisconsin Ginseng Seal: GBW and/or its Members can require that the seal emblem only be used to identify and signify that the product is grown in United States—Wisconsin and contains 100% pure Wisconsin Ginseng;

26. Negotiate and enter into agreements with governments and foreign persons to develop counter-trade arrangements, provided that this Certificate does not protect any conduct related to the sale of goods in the U.S. that are imported as part of any counter trade transactions;

27. Apply for and utilize applicable export assistance and incentive programs available within governmental sectors;

28. Open, operate and staff overseas sales and distribution offices to facilitate the sales and distribution of Products to and within Export Markets; and

29. Exchange information as necessary to carry out Export Trade Activities and Methods of Operation between GBW, GRIA, GHC and other entities. Bring together from time to time GBW, its Members, and export trade intermediaries in the Export Markets to discuss and plan how to fulfill the Product, Service, and/or

Technology requirements of specific export customers or Export Markets.

Dated: January 26, 2001.

Vanessa M. Bachman,

Acting Director, Office of Export Trading Company Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

2001 Trade Missions—Applications Opportunity

AGENCY: International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce invites U.S. companies to participate in the following overseas trade missions that they also explain at the following website: <http://www.usatrade.gov/matchmaker>. For a comprehensive description of the trade mission, obtain a copy of the mission statement from the project officer listed below. The recruitment and selection of private sector participants will be conducted according to the Statement of Policy Governing Department of Commerce Overseas Trade Missions announced by Secretary Daley on March 3, 1997.

Telecommunications Matchmaker

India

February 26–March 2, 2001

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Daniel Edwards at the Department of Commerce in Washington, DC. Telephone number: (202) 482-4331 or Fax: (202) 482-5834.

U.S. Franchising Matchmaker

New Zealand and Australia

March 18–23, 2001

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sam Dhir at the Department of Commerce in Washington, DC. Telephone number: (202) 482-4756 or Fax: (202) 482-0178.

Safety & Security Matchmaker

Tijuana and Mexico City, Mexico

July 16–20, 2001

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Molly Costa at the Department of Commerce in Washington, DC. Telephone number: (202) 482-4756 or Fax: (202) 482-0178.

ACE/Infrastructure Matchmaker

Manila, Philippines & Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

September 10–15, 2001

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sam Dhir at the Department of Commerce in Washington, DC. Telephone number: (202) 482-4756 or Fax: (202) 482-0178.

Manufacturing Matchmaker

Monterrey and Mexico City, Mexico

September 17–21, 2001

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Molly Costa at the Department of Commerce in Washington, DC. Telephone number: (202) 481-4756 or Fax: (202) 482-0178.

John Klingelhut,

Director, Office of Public and Private Initiatives.

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CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Due Dates for Applications for Assistance Under AmeriCorps*State/National, AmeriCorps Education Awards Program, and AmeriCorps Promise Fellows

AGENCY: Corporation for National and Community Service.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Corporation for National and Community Service announces the timeline for applications for assistance under AmeriCorps*State/National, AmeriCorps Education Awards Program, and AmeriCorps Promise Fellows.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Shelly Ryan, (202) 606-5000, ext. 549 or sryan@cns.gov. T.D.D. (202) 565-2799. For individuals with disabilities, we will make this information available in alternative formats upon request.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to the National and Community Service Act of 1990, as amended (42 U.S.C. 12501 *et. seq.*), we announce the following timeline for applications for assistance under AmeriCorps*State/National, AmeriCorps Education Awards Program, and AmeriCorps Promise Fellows.

- AmeriCorps*State:
Competitive, February 20, 2001
Formula, May 15, 2001
Programs in North and South Dakota, May 15, 2001
U.S. Territories, May 15, 2001