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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Office of the Secretary

Determination of Total Amounts of Fiscal Year 2011 Tariff-Rate Quotas for Raw Cane Sugar and Certain Sugars, Syrups and Molasses

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, USDA.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Office of the Secretary of the Department of Agriculture is providing notice of the establishment of the fiscal year (FY) 2011 in-quota aggregate quantity of the raw, as well as, refined and specialty sugar Tariff-Rate Quotas (TRQ) as required under the U.S. World Trade Organization (WTO) commitments. The FY 2011 raw cane sugar TRQ is established at 1,117,195 metric tons raw value (MTRV) that may be entered under subheading 1701.11.10 of the U.S. Harmonized Tariff Schedule (HTS) during FY 2011 (October 1, 2010–September 30, 2011). In addition, the in-quota aggregate quantity of the refined and specialty sugar TRQ is established at 99,111 MTRV for certain sugars, syrups, and molasses (collectively referred to as refined sugar) that may be entered under subheadings 1701.12.10, 1701.91.10, 1701.99.10, 1702.90.10, and 2106.90.44 of the HTS during FY 2011.

DATES: *Effective Date:* October 1, 2010.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Angel Gonzalez, Import Policies and Export Reporting Division, Foreign Agricultural Service, Department of Agriculture, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW., AgStop 1021, Washington, DC 20250–1021; by telephone (202) 720–2916; by fax (202) 720–0876; or by e-mail angel.f.gonzalez@fas.usda.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The provisions of paragraph (a)(i) of the Additional U.S. Note 5, Chapter 17 in the HTS authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to establish the in-quota TRQ amounts (expressed in terms of

raw value) for imports of raw cane sugar and certain sugars, syrups, and molasses that may be entered under the subheadings of the HTS subject to the lower tier of duties of the TRQs for entry during the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2010. The Office of the U.S. Trade Representative (USTR) is responsible for the allocation of these quantities among supplying countries and areas.

Section 359(k) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended requires that at the beginning of the quota year the Secretary of Agriculture establish the TRQs for raw cane sugar and refined sugars at the minimum levels necessary to comply with obligations under international trade agreements, with the exception of specialty sugar.

Notice is hereby given that I have determined, in accordance with paragraph (a)(i) of the Additional U.S. Note 5, Chapter 17 in the HTS and section 359(k) of the 1938 Act, that an aggregate quantity of up to 1,117,195 MTRV of raw cane sugar described in subheading 1701.11.10 of the HTS may be entered or withdrawn from warehouse for consumption during FY 2011 (October 1, 2010–September 30, 2011). This is the minimum amount to which the United States is committed under the WTO Uruguay Round Agreements. I have further determined that an aggregate quantity of 99,111 MTRV of sugars, syrups, and molasses described in subheadings 1701.12.10, 1701.91.10, 1701.99.10, 1702.90.10, and 2106.90.44 may be entered or withdrawn from warehouse for consumption during FY 2011. Of this quantity of 99,111 MTRV, the quantity of 78,767 MTRV is reserved for the importation of specialty sugars as defined by the USTR. The total of 99,111 MTRV includes the 22,000 MTRV minimum level necessary to comply with U.S. WTO Uruguay Round commitments, of which 1,656 MTRV is reserved for specialty sugar. Because the specialty sugar TRQ is first-come, first-served, tranches are needed to allow for orderly marketing throughout the year. The FY 2011 specialty sugar TRQ will be opened in five tranches. The first tranche, totaling 1,656 MTRV, will open October 20, 2010. All specialty sugars are eligible for entry under this tranche. The second tranche will open on November 10, 2010, and be equal to 27,500 MTRV. The remaining tranches

will each be equal to 16,537 MTRV, with the third opening on January 12, 2011; the fourth, on May 18, 2011; and the fifth, on August 24, 2011. The second, third, fourth, and fifth tranches will be reserved for organic sugar and other specialty sugars not currently produced commercially in the United States or reasonably available from domestic sources.

Conversion factor: 1 metric ton = 1.10231125 short tons.

Kathleen A. Merrigan,

Deputy Secretary of Agriculture.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Del Norte Resource Advisory Committee (RAC)

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Del Norte Resource Advisory Committee (RAC) will meet in Crescent City, California. The committee meeting is authorized under the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination (SRS) Act (Pub. L. 110–343) and in compliance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act.

DATES: The meeting will be held August 31, 2010, from 6 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Del Norte County Unified School District, Board Room, 301 West Washington Boulevard, Crescent City, California 95531.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Julie Ranieri, Committee Coordinator, Six Rivers National Forest, at (707) 441–3673; e-mail jranieri@fs.fed.us.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The meeting is open to the public. Agenda items to be covered include: (1) Review of Title II project proposals submitted, (2) schedule meetings for public presentations of project proposals, and (3) discuss how members will vote. Public input opportunity will be provided and individuals will have the opportunity to address the Committee at that time.

Dated: July 27, 2010.

Tyrone Kelley,

Forest Supervisor.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Northern New Mexico Resource Advisory Committee Meeting

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Northern New Mexico Resource Advisory Committee will meet in Albuquerque, New Mexico. The committee is meeting as authorized under the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000 (Pub. L. 110-343) and in compliance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2 §§ 1-15, October 6, 1972, as amended 1976, 1980 and 1982). The purpose is to review and approve RFP and Title II Project Submission Form, discuss monitoring of Projects, discuss and determine means of distribution of RFP, review timelines and set next meeting date, RAC costs to date.

DATES: The meeting will be held on August 17, 2010, beginning at 10 a.m. and ending at 4 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the Forest Service Southwestern Regional Office at 333 Broadway SE in the basement conference room, Albuquerque, New Mexico. Written comments should be sent to Ignacio Peralta, Carson National Forest, 208 Cruz Alta Road, Taos, NM 87571. Comments may also be sent via e-mail to iperalta@fs.fed.us or via facsimile to 575-758-6213.

All comments, including names and addresses when provided, are placed in the record and are available for public inspection and copying. The public may inspect comments received at Carson National Forest, 208 Cruz Alta Road, Taos, NM. Visitors are encouraged to call ahead to 575-758-6344 to facilitate entry into the building.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: RAC Coordinator USDA, Carson National Forest: Ignacio Peralta, 575-758-6344, 208 Cruz Alta Rd., Taos, NM 87571. E-mail: iperalta@fs.fed.us. RAC Coordinator, USDA, Santa Fe National Forest: Ruben Montes, 505-438-5356, 11 Forest Lane, Santa Fe, NM 87508. E-mail: rmontes@fs.fed.us.

Individuals who use telecommunication devices for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information

Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern Standard Time, Monday through Friday.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The meeting is open to the public. The following business will be conducted: (1) Review and approve RFP and Title II Project Submission Form. (2) Discuss monitoring of Projects. (3) Discuss and determine means of distribution of RFP. (4) Review timelines and set next meeting date. (5) RAC costs to date. (6) Public Comment. Persons who wish to bring related matters to the attention of the Committee may file written statements with the Committee staff before or after the meeting.

Dated: July 30, 2010.

Kendall Clark,

Forest Supervisor, Carson National Forest.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Missoula County Resource Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Lolo National Forest's Missoula County Resource Advisory Committee (RAC) will meet on Wednesday, September 15, 2010 from 4:15 p.m. to 6 p.m., in Missoula, Montana. The purpose of the meeting is to distribute submitted proposals to RAC members, allow the opportunity for project proponents to present their proposals, and receive public comment on the meeting subjects and proceedings.

DATES: Wednesday, September 15, 2010 from 4:15 p.m. to 6 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Missoula County Courthouse, Room 374; 200 W. Broadway, Missoula, MT 59802.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Boyd Hartwig; Address: Lolo National Forest, Building 24A Fort Missoula, Missoula, Montana 59804; Phone: 406-329-1024, e-mail: bchartwig@fs.fed.us.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Agenda items to be covered include: (1) Distribution and brief discussion of project proposals; (2) provide opportunity for proponents to give up to a 10 minute presentation for each project; (3) give RAC members the opportunity to ask questions of the proponents; (4) set next meeting purpose, location and date; (5) receive public comment; (6) review old business. The meeting is open to the

public. Opportunity for public input will be provided and individuals will have the opportunity to address the Committee at that time.

Dated: July 30, 2010.

Paul Matter,

Missoula District Ranger.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Natural Resources Conservation Service

Notice of Proposed Change to Section IV of the Virginia State Technical Guide

AGENCY: Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), U.S. Department of Agriculture.

ACTION: Notice of availability of proposed changes in the Virginia NRCS State Technical Guide for review and comment.

SUMMARY: It has been determined by the NRCS State Conservationist for Virginia that changes must be made in the NRCS State Technical Guide specifically in the following practice standards: #327, Conservation Cover and #315, Herbaceous Weed Control. These practices will be used to plan and install conservation practices.

DATES: Comments will be received for a 30-day period commencing with this date of publication.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John A. Bricker, State Conservationist, Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), 1606 Santa Rosa Road, Suite 209, Richmond, Virginia 23229-5014; Telephone number (804) 287-1691; Fax number (804) 287-1737. Copies of the practice standards will be made available upon written request to the address shown above or on the Virginia NRCS Web site: <http://www.va.nrcs.usda.gov/technical/draftstandards.html>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 343 of the Federal Agriculture Improvement and Reform Act of 1996 states that revisions made after enactment of the law to NRCS State technical guides used to carry out highly erodible land and wetland provisions of the law shall be made available for public review and comment. For the next 30 days, the NRCS in Virginia will receive comments relative to the proposed changes. Following that period, a determination will be made by the NRCS in Virginia regarding disposition of those comments