

straightened and cut rod or wire, and reinforcing bars that have indentations, ribs, grooves, or other deformations produced during the rolling process.

Except as specified above, the term does not include stainless steel semi-finished products, cut length flat-rolled products (i.e., cut length rolled products which if less than 4.75 mm in thickness have a width measuring at least 10 times the thickness, or if 4.75 mm or more in thickness having a width which exceeds

150 mm and measures at least twice the thickness), wire (i.e., cold-formed products in coils, of any uniform solid cross section along their whole length, which do not conform to the definition of flat-rolled products), and angles, shapes and sections.

The SSB subject to these reviews are currently classifiable under subheadings 7222.10.00.05, 7222.10.00.50, 7222.20.00.05, 7222.20.00.45, 7222.20.00.75, and 7222.30.00.00 of the

Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States ("HTSUS"). Although the HTSUS subheadings are provided for convenience and customs purposes, our written description of the scope of these orders is dispositive.

With respect to the order on the subject imports from Japan the Department has made two scope rulings. The following products were determined to be within the scope of the order:

Product within scope	Company	Citation
Keystone 2000	Keystone Stainless Inc	63 FR 6722 (February 10, 1998).
M35FL steel bar	Tohoku Steel Co	64 FR 50273 (September 16, 1999).

Determination

As a result of the determination by the Department and the Commission that revocation of the antidumping duty orders would likely lead to continuation or recurrence of dumping and material injury to an industry in the United States, pursuant to section 751(d)(2) of the Act, the Department hereby orders the continuation of the antidumping duty orders on stainless steel bar from Brazil, India, Japan, and Spain. The effective date of continuation of these orders will be the date of publication in the **Federal Register** of this Notice of Continuation. Pursuant to section 751(c)(2) of the Act, the Department intends to initiate the next five-year review of these orders not later than March 2006.

Richard W. Moreland is temporarily fulfilling the duties of the Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

Dated: April 11, 2001.

Richard W. Moreland,

Deputy Assistant Secretary, Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Argonne National Laboratory; Notice of Decision on Application for Duty-Free Entry of Scientific Instrument

This decision is made 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, NW., Washington, DC.

Docket Number: 00-042. *Applicant:* Argonne National Laboratory, Argonne, IL 60439-4874. *Instrument:* Track Mounted Cone Penetrometer Vehicle and Associated Equipment, Model COSON 200. *Manufacturer:* A. P. Van Den Berg, Inc., The Netherlands. *Intended Use:* See notice at 66 FR 7626, January 24, 2001.

Comments: None received. *Decision:* Approved. No instrument of equivalent scientific value to the foreign instrument, for such purposes as it is intended to be used, is being manufactured in the United States. *Reasons:* The foreign instrument is a track mounted vehicle capable of driving probes with electronically and seismically sensitive cones into the soil over large areas for geotechnical surveys. The U.S. Department of Agriculture advised March 20, 2001 that (1) this capability is pertinent to the applicant's intended purpose and (2) it knows of no domestic instrument or apparatus of equivalent scientific value to the foreign instrument for the applicant's intended use.

We know of no other instrument or apparatus of equivalent scientific value to the foreign instrument which is being manufactured in the United States.

Gerald A. Zerdy,

Program Manager, Statutory Import Program Staff.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Export Trade Certificate of Review

ACTION: Notice of Application to Amend Certificate.

SUMMARY: The Office of Export Trading Company Affairs ("OETCA"),

International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce, has received an application to amend an Export Trade Certificate of Review ("Certificate"). This notice summarizes the proposed amendment 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, oetca@ita.doc.gov or (202) 482-5131. This is not a toll-free number. In addition, the Office's website may be consulted at <http://www.ita.doc.gov/oetca>.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Title III of the Export Trading Company Act of 1982 (15 U.S.C. 4001 *et seq.*) authorizes the Secretary of Commerce to issue Export Trade Certificates of Review. An Export Trade 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 Export Trading Company Act of 1982 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 an amended Certificate should be issued. If the comments include any privileged or confidential business information, it must be clearly marked and a non-confidential version of the comments (identified as such) should be included. Any comments not marked privileged or confidential business

information will be deemed to be non-confidential. An original and five copies, plus two copies of the non-confidential version, should be submitted by mail to: Office of Export Trading Company Affairs, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce, Room 1104H, Washington D.C. 20230; or by E-mail to oetca@ita.doc.gov no later than 20 days after the date of this notice. Information submitted by any person is exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552). However, non-confidential 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 85-9A018."

The United States Shippers' Association ("USSA") original Certificate was issued on June 3, 1986 (51 FR 20873, June 9, 1986), and last amended on May 28, 1999 (64 FR 29994, June 4, 1999). A summary of the application for an amendment follows.

Summary of the Application

Applicant: The United States Shippers' Association ("USSA"), 1209 Orange Street, Wilmington, Delaware 19801.

Contact: Karin Kizer, Legal Counsel, Telephone: (202) 662-6000.

Application No.: 85-9A018.

Date Deemed Submitted: April 3, 2001.

Proposed Amendment: USSA seeks to amend its Certificate to:

1. Add the following companies as new "Members" of the Certificate within the meaning of section 325.2 (1) of the Regulations (15 C.F.R. 325.2 (1)): Basell USA Inc., Wilmington, DE (Controlling Entity: Basell NV., Hoofddorp, The Netherlands); Resolution Performance Products LLC, Houston, TX; (Controlling Entity: Apollo Management LP, New York, NY); KRATON Polymers U.S. LLC (Controlling Entity: R.K. Polymers LLC, New York, NY); Aventis Crop Science, USA LP (Controlling Entity: Aventis Crop Science Holding SA, Lyon, France);

2. Change the listing of current member Rhodia, Inc., Cranberry, NJ (Controlling Entity: Rhone-Poulenc, S.A., Courbevoie, France) to Rhodia, Inc., Cranberry, NJ (Controlling Entity: Rhodia, S.A., Boulouge-Billancourt, France);

3. Delete the following members: ANGUS Chemical Company, Buffalo Grove, IL (Controlling Entity: Alberta Natural Gas, Alberta, Canada); Nova

Chemicals Inc., Monaca, PA; Rhone-Poulenc AG Company, Research Triangle Park, NC (Controlling Entity: Rhone-Poulenc, S.A., Courbevoie, France); and Rhone-Poulenc Animal Nutrition, Atlanta, GA (Controlling Entity: Rhone-Poulenc, S.A., Courbevoie, France);

4. Add the following to the "Definitions" section of the Certificate: "Consultant" means any individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company retained by USSA to act on USSA's behalf in administrative, negotiating and coordinating activities authorized by the Certificate;" and

5. Add the term "Consultants" to those listed in the "Protection Provided by the Certificate" section of the Certificate.

Dated: April 12, 2001.

Vanessa M. Bachman,
Acting Director, Office of Export Trading Company Affairs.

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CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION

Privacy Act of 1974; Announcement of System of Records

AGENCY: Consumer Product Safety Commission.

ACTION: Amendment of system of records.

SUMMARY: The Consumer Product Safety Commission is amending its system of records "CPSC-15, Employee Relations Files" by revising the record retention section.

DATES: The changes will become effective June 18, 2001 unless comments are received which justify a contrary determination.

Comments must be received on or before June 18, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be sent to the Secretary, Consumer Product Safety Commission, Washington, DC 20207.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Joseph F. Rosenthal, Office of the General Counsel, Consumer Product Safety Commission, Washington, DC 20207. Telephone: (301) 504-0980.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This system of records currently covers both records concerning disciplinary actions, grievances and the like, as well as retirement records. We are changing the retention period for retirement records to make it clear that CPSC will keep only copies of the records for two years after the employee retires and send the originals to the Office of Personnel

Management. We are also changing the retention period for the disciplinary records to seven years after a case is closed to be consistent with the National Archives and Records Administration's General Records Schedule 1, section 30, "Administrative Grievance, Disciplinary, and Adverse Action Files".

Amend the retention section of CPSC-15 to read as follows:

CPSC-15, Employee Relations Files

RETENTION

(1) For documents relating to disciplinary actions, complaints, grievances, and potential adverse actions, destroy 7 years after case is closed.

(2) For retirement records, transfer the records to the Office of Personnel Management after the employee retires, and retain copies for two years.

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Dated: April 12, 2001.

Sadye E. Dunn,
Secretary, Consumer Product Safety Commission.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice.

The Department of Defense has submitted to OMB for clearance, the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

Title and OMB Number: Customer Satisfaction Surveys—Generic; OMB Number 0730-0003.

Type of Request: Revision.

Number of Respondents: 15,000.

Responses Per Respondent: 1.

Annual Responses: 15,000.

Average Burden Per Response: 8 minutes.

Annual Burden Hours: 2,000.

Needs and Uses: The information collection requirement is necessary to determine the kind and quality of services that customers of the Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS) want and expect, as well as their satisfaction with existing services. DFAS will conduct a variety of activities to include, but not necessarily limited to customer satisfaction surveys, transaction based telephone interviews,