

Background

On October 31, 2000, the Department initiated antidumping duty new shipper reviews of freshwater crawfish tail meat from the PRC, for the period September 1, 1999 through August 31, 2000, with respect to three manufacturers/exporters of the subject merchandise: Coastal, Shouzhou, and Shanghai. *See Crawfish from China*.

On June 5, 2001, the Department issued supplemental questionnaires to Coastal, Shouzhou, and Shanghai requesting entry documentation illustrating that the sale of subject merchandise occurred, and that the date of entry took place, within the POR. In the same letter, the Department notified the companies that failure to demonstrate that the date of entry was no more than one month after the end of the POR would result in the rescission of the new shipper review. Shouzhou, Coastal and Shanghai submitted their responses to the Department's supplemental questionnaire on June 12, 2001, and included entry documentation for the shipments of subject merchandise. Due to the business proprietary nature of information regarding the entry and sale dates of the subject merchandise in question, we have analyzed this issue in a business proprietary *Memorandum to Barbara E. Tillman From Julio A. Fernandez through Maureen Flannery Regarding Freshwater Crawfish Tail Meat from the People's Republic of China* (July 23, 2001) (*Crawfish Memo*) (public version on file in the Central Records Unit, Room B-099 of the main Department of Commerce Building).

Final Rescission of Review

Under § 351.214(f)(2)(ii) of the Department's regulations, when the sale of the subject merchandise occurs within the POR, but the entry occurs after the normal POR, the POR may be extended unless it would be likely to prevent the completion of the review within the time limits set by the Department's regulations. While the regulations do not provide a definitive date by which the entry must occur, the preamble to the Department's regulations state that both the entry and the sale should occur during the POR, and that only under "appropriate" circumstances should the POR be extended when the entry is made after the POR. *See Antidumping Duties; Countervailing Duties; Final Rule*, 62 FR 27296, 27319 (May 19, 1997). While the Department did not adopt a precise cut-off point for entries in the regulations, the entries in this case were made long

after the end of the POR. *See Crawfish Memo*.

Accordingly, we are rescinding the new shipper reviews with respect to Coastal and Shouzhou for the period September 1, 1999 through August 31, 2000. For Shanghai, we are extending the POR by one month. *See Crawfish Memo* for further details. We note that Coastal and Shouzhou will have an opportunity to request a new shipper review in September, 2001. In any such review the Department will cover the particular sales at issue in this case.

This notice serves as a reminder to parties subject to administrative protective order (APO) of their responsibility concerning the disposition of proprietary information disclosed under APO in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305(a)(3). Timely written notification of the return or destruction of APO materials or conversion to judicial protective order is hereby requested. Failure to comply with the regulations and terms of an APO is a sanctionable violation. This determination is issued in accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(d)(4) and section 777(i)(1) of the Act.

Dated: August 2, 2001.

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Deputy Assistant Secretary, AD/CVD Enforcement Group III.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Environmental Technologies Trade Advisory Committee (ETTAC)

AGENCY: International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of Open Meeting.

DATE: September 11, 2001.

Time: 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Place: U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230

SUMMARY: The Environmental Technologies Trade Advisory Committee will hold a plenary meeting on September 11, 2001, at the U.S. Department of Commerce.

ETTAC will hear reports on programs in the International Trade Administration, and on the Trade Promotion Coordinating Committee, and the effect of European Union standards on environmental trade. The meeting is open to the public.

ETTAC is mandated by Public Law 103-392. It was created to advise the

U.S. government on environmental trade policies and programs, and to help it to focus its resources on increasing the exports of the U.S. environmental industry. The ETTAC operates as an advisory committee to the Secretary of Commerce and the interagency Environmental Trade Working Group (ETWG) of the Trade Promotion Coordinating Committee (TPCC). The ETTAC was originally chartered in May of 1994. It was most recently rechartered until May 30, 2002.

For further information phone Jane Siegel or Sage Chandler, Office of Technologies Industries, (ETI), U.S. Department of Commerce at (202) 482-5225. This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to ETI.

Dated: August 2, 2001.

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Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Institute of Standards and Technology

Board of Overseers of the Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award

AGENCY: National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Request for nominations of members to serve on the Board of Overseers of the Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award.

SUMMARY: NIST invites and requests nomination of individuals for appointment to Board of Overseers of the Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award (Board). The terms of some of the members of the Board will soon expire. NIST will consider nominations received in response to this notice for appointment to the Committee, in addition to nominations already received.

DATES: Please submit nominations on or before August 24, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Please submit nominations to Harry Hertz, Director, National Quality Program, NIST, 100 Bureau Drive, Mail Stop 1020, Gaithersburg, MD 20899-1020. Nominations may also be submitted via FAX to 301-948-3716. Additional information regarding the Committee, including its charter, current membership list, and executive summary may be found on its electronic