responsibility) of a U.S.-owned or -controlled company that is incorporated in and has its main headquarters in the United States, and that is currently doing business in both Brazil and the United States, Each candidate also must be a U.S. citizen or otherwise legally authorized to work in the United States and able to travel to Brazil and locations in the United States to attend official Forum meetings as well as independent U.S. Section and Committee meetings. In addition, the candidate may not be a registered foreign agent under the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended. Applicants may not be federallyregistered lobbyists, and, if appointed, will not be allowed to continue to serve as members of the U.S. Section of the Committee if the member becomes a federally-registered lobbyist.

Evaluation of applications for membership in the U.S. Section by eligible individuals will be based on the following criteria:

- —A demonstrated commitment by the individual's company to the Brazilian market either through exports or investment.
- —A demonstrated strong interest in Brazil and its economic development.
- —The ability to offer a broad perspective and business experience to the discussions.
- —The ability to address cross-cutting issues that affect the entire business community.
- —The ability to initiate and be responsible for activities in which the Forum will be active.

Members will be selected on the basis of who will best carry out the objectives of the Forum as stated in the Terms of Reference establishing the U.S.-Brazil CEO Forum. The U.S. Section of the Forum should also include members that represent a diversity of business sectors and geographic locations. To the extent possible, U.S. Section members also should represent a cross-section of small, medium, and large firms.

U.S. members will receive no compensation for their participation in Forum-related activities. Individual members will be responsible for all travel and related expenses associated with their participation in the Forum, including attendance at Committee and Section meetings. Only appointed members may participate in official Forum meetings; substitutes and alternates will not be designated. U.S. members will normally serve for two-year terms, but may be reappointed.

To be considered for membership, please submit the following information as instructed in the **ADDRESSES** and

DATES captions above: Name(s) and title(s) of the individual(s) requesting consideration; name and address of company's headquarters; location for incorporation; size of the company; size of company's export trade, investment, and nature of operations or interest in Brazil; an affirmative statement that the applicant is neither registered nor required to register as a foreign agent under the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended; an affirmative statement that the applicant is not a federally-registered lobbyist, and that the applicant understands that if appointed, the applicant will not be allowed to continue to serve as a member of the U.S. Section of the Forum if the applicant becomes a federally registered lobbyist; and a brief statement of why the candidate should be considered, including information about the candidate's ability to initiate and be responsible for activities in which the Forum will be active. Applications will be considered as they are received. All candidates will be notified of whether they have been selected.

Dated: February 28, 2011.

Anne Driscoll,

Director for the Office of South America. [FR Doc. 2011–5073 Filed 3–4–11; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3510–DA–P

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration [A-570-806]

Silicon Metal From the People's Republic of China: Rescission of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

DATES: Effective Date: March 7, 2011.

FOR FURTHER INFROMATION CONTACT: Magd Zalok or Howard Smith, AD/CVD Operations, Office 4, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington DC 20230, telephone: (202) 482–4162 or (202) 482– 5193, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION:

Background

On June 1, 2010, the Department of Commerce (the "Department") published a notice of opportunity to request an administrative review for the period of review covering June 1, 2009, through May 31, 2010 ("POR"). See Antidumping

or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation: Opportunity To Request Administrative Review, 75 FR 30383 (June 1, 2010). In accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(b)(1), Globe Metallurgical Inc. ("Globe"), a domestic producer of silicon metal, requested an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on silicon metal from the PRC with respect to the following companies: Jiangxi Gangyuan Silicon Industry Company Ltd. ("Gangyuan"); Šhanghai Jinneng International Trade Co., Ltd. ("Shanghai Jinneng"); and Zhejiang Kaihua Yuantong Silicon Industry Co., Ltd. ("Zhejiang").¹ No other party requested a review. The Department published the initiation of the administrative review of the antidumping duty order on silicon metal from the PRC on July 28, 2010, in which the Department initiated an administrative review of the aforementioned three companies covering the period June 1, 2009, through May 31, 2010. See Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative Reviews and Requests for Revocations in Part, 75 FR 44224 (July 28, 2010).

On August 18, 2010, Gangyuan and Shanghai Jinneng notified the Department that they had no entries, exports, or sales of the subject merchandise to the United States during the POR. On September 20, 2010, the Department issued a no shipments e-mail to U.S. Customs and Border Protection ("CBP") requesting notification within 10 days of receipt of the e-mail if CBP had information contrary to the no shipments claims of Gangyuan and Shanghai Jinneng. Also, the Department conducted a CBP data query to ascertain whether there were entries of subject merchandise from Gangyuan or Shanghai Jinneng. See August 11, 2010, Memorandum from Analyst to File entitled "2009-2010 Administrative Review of Silicon Metal from the People's Republic of China, Placing CBP Data on the Record." See also September 22, 2010, Memorandum from Abdelali Elouaradia, Office Director, Office 4, Import Administration to Michael Walsh, Director, AD/CVD/Revenue Policy & Programs, U.S. Customs and Border Protection entitled "Request for U.S. Entry Documents—Silicon Metal from the People's Republic of China A-570-806.

On January 11, 2011, Globe withdrew its request for review of Zhejiang. On February 15, 2011, the Department

 $^{^1}$ See Globe's June 30, 2010 "Request for 2009–10 Administrative Review" for Silicon Metal from the People's Republic of China.

issued a memorandum of intent to rescind the antidumping administrative review with respect to Gangyuan and Shanghai Jinneng and provided parties with an opportunity to comment on the Department's intent to rescind the review. See Silicon Metal From the People's Republic of China: Memorandum of Intent to Rescind Antidumping Duty Administrative Review, in Part, dated February 15, 2010. No parties commented on the Department's intent to rescind the review.

Rescission of Review

The Department may rescind an administrative review with respect to an exporter or producer if the Department concludes that there were no entries, exports, or sales of the subject merchandise to the United States during the POR. See 19 CFR 351.213(d)(3). As noted above, Gangyuan and Shanghai Jinneng reported that they did not have any entries of subject merchandise during the POR. To test Gangyuan's and Shanghai Jinneng's claim, the Department examined the CBP documentation, and found that the record provides no information to contradict Gangyuan's and Shanghai Jinneng's claim of no sales or shipments to the United States during the POR. Accordingly, pursuant to 19 CFR 351.213(d)(3), since there were no entries, export or sales of the subject merchandise by Gangyuan and Shanghai Jinneng during the POR, the Department has determined to rescind this administrative review with respect to these two companies.

Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), the Department will rescind an administrative review, in whole or in part, if the party that requested the review withdraws its request within 90 days of the date of publication of the notice of initiation of the requested review. The Department may extend this time limit if it decides that it is reasonable to do so. As noted above. Globe withdrew its request for review of Zhejiang on January 11, 2011. While Globe withdrew its request for an administrative review after the 90-day deadline, the Department has determined that it is reasonable to extend the time for Globe to file a withdrawal of its request for a review of Zhejiang because the review is not at an advanced stage such that significant resources have been expended in conducting the review. Accordingly, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), we are also rescinding this review of the antidumping duty order with respect to Zhejiang.

Assessment

The Department intends to issue assessment instructions to CBP 15 days after publication of this rescission notice. The Department will instruct CBP to assess antidumping duties at rates equal to the cash deposit of estimated antidumping duties required at the time of entry, or withdrawal from warehouse, for consumption, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.212(c)(1)(i).

Notification to Parties

This notice also serves as a reminder to parties subject to administrative protective order ("APO") of their responsibility concerning the return or destruction of proprietary information disclosed under APO in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305, which continues to govern business proprietary information in this segment of the proceeding. Timely written notification of the return/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 violation which is subject to sanction.

This notice is issued and published in accordance with section 777(i)(1) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, and 19 CFR 351.213(d)(4).

Dated: February 28, 2011.

Gary Taverman,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

Proposed Information Collection; Comment Request; Southwest Region Vessel Identification Requirements

AGENCY: National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, as amended.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted on or before May 6, 2011.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Diana Hynek, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 6616, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at dHynek@doc.gov).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument and instructions should be

instrument and instructions should be directed to Craig Heberer, (760) 431–9440 or craig.heberer@noaa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

This request is for a renewal of a current information collection.

Regulations at 50 CFR 660.704 require that all vessels with permits issued under authority of the National Marine Fishery Service's (NMFS) Fishery Management Plan for United States (U.S.) West Coast Highly Migratory Species Fisheries display the vessel's official number. The numbers must be of a specific size and format and located at specified locations. The display of the identifying number aids in fishery law enforcement.

II. Method of Collection

The vessels' official numbers are displayed on the vessels. No information is submitted.

III. Data

OMB Control Number: 0648–0361. *Form Number:* None.

Type of Review: Regular submission (renewal of a current information collection).

Affected Public: Business or other forprofit organizations.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 2,000.

Estimated Time per Response: 45 minutes.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 1,500.

Estimated Total Annual Cost to Public: \$20,000.

IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques