

limited implementation issues. The issues for which this remand is granted are as follows:

- (1) To consider the issue of adjustment for harvesting costs for Manitoba and Saskatchewan;
- (2) To re-examine the calculation of the numerator in British Columbia;
- (3) To correct its omission of Douglas-fir from the Vancouver Log Market prices used as domestic log prices in the British Columbia Coast species matching;
- (4) To exclude the following categories of building logs in the Vernon price list from the benchmark calculation in Interior British Columbia: "spruce bldg logs," "spruce bldg logs (dry)," "white pine (dry) bldg logs," "pine bldg logs" and "cedar bldg logs;"
- (5) To exclude from the benchmark calculation for British Columbia the Revelstoke Community Forest Corp Log Sale Prices;
- (6) To make the adjustments both downward and upward with respect to certain harvesting costs in Québec;
- (7) To re-evaluate whether Québec mills use pulpwood imports to produce softwood lumber; and
- (8) To exclude price listings for "pine" logs that were actually listings for "White Pine" logs in calculating the benchmark in Ontario.

The Panel further remanded on the following issues:

- (1) The Department is directed to recalculate the benchmark price for stumpage in British Columbia taking into account the actual market conditions that govern the sale of timber harvesting authority in that province, including the fact that Crown stumpage fees are charged for stands rather than for the individual species.
- (2) The Department is directed to recalculate the benchmark price in Ontario taking into account the actual market conditions that govern the sale of timber harvesting authority in that province.
- (3) The Department is directed to recalculate the benchmark log prices for Québec without use of the Sawlog Journal data. In the recalculation the Department must weight-average the import and Syndicates prices.
- (4) The Department is directed to recalculate the Ontario benchmarks, without use of the Sawlog Journal data, and weight-average the imports with the KPMG domestic log sales information.
- (5) The Department is directed to recalculate the benchmark log price for Manitoba without use of the import data.
- (6) The Department is directed to recalculate the benchmark log price for

Saskatchewan without use of the import data.

- (7) The Department is directed to recalculate the benchmark log price for Alberta without use of the import data.
- (8) The Department is directed to recalculate the benchmark for British Columbia and to explain the basis for its action. If the Department is able to calculate a benchmark with weight-averaging of the domestic and import data, it is directed to calculate a benchmark with weight-averaging of the domestic and import prices. In its recalculation the Department must determine whether there is substantial evidence to support the Douglas fir benchmark.
- (9) The Department is directed to reconsider the adjustment for profit with respect to the benchmarks for all provinces. The Panel recognizes that it may not be unreasonable for the Department to reconsider the method used to estimate profit in Alberta, and accordingly, grants the remand request on this point. However, if the Investigating Authority cannot determine a better estimate of the amount of profit for Alberta, it is not authorized to change it.
- (10) The Department is directed to recalculate the denominator to include the appropriate proportion of the production of smaller sawmills in all provinces, and to provide a reasoned explanation of any deviation from the proportion included in respect of the production of the large sawmills.
- (11) The Department is directed to recalculate its exclusion analysis for *Materiaux Blanchet's St. Pamphile Border Mill* on a mill-based subsidy rate as it had determined in the original investigation.

The Investigating Authority is ordered to complete its remand determination by the firm date of July 30, 2004.

Dated: June 7, 2004.

**Caratina L. Alston,**

*United States Secretary, NAFTA Secretariat.*  
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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

#### Announcement of Performance Review Board Members

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** 5 CFR 430.310 requires agencies to publish notice of

Performance Review Board appointees in the **Federal Register** before their service begins. This notice announces the names of new and existing members of the International Trade Administration's Performance Review Board.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Darlene Haywood, International Trade Administration, Office of Human Resources Management, at (202) 482-2850, Room 7060, Washington, DC 20230.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The purpose of the Performance Review Board is to review and make recommendations to the appointing authority on performance management issues such as appraisals, pay adjustments, bonuses, and Presidential Rank Awards for members of the Senior Executive Service. The Deputy Under Secretary, International Trade Administration, Timothy J. Hauser, has named the following members of the International Trade Administration Performance Review Board:

1. Linda Cheatham, Chief Financial Officer and Director of Administration (Chairperson).
2. Eric Stewart, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Europe (new).
3. Carlos Montouliou, Director, Office of Environmental Technologies Industries (new).
4. Walter Bastian, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Western Hemisphere (new).
5. Nealton J. Burnham, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Domestic Operations (new).
6. Holly Kuga, Senior Director (new).
7. Eleanor Lewis, Chief Counsel for International Commerce, Department of Commerce (outside reviewer).
8. Darlene F. Haywood, Executive Secretary, ITA Office of Human Resources Management.

Dated: June 8, 2004.

**Doris W. Brown,**

*Human Resources Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Institute of Standards and Technology

#### National Construction Safety Team Advisory Committee Meeting

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

**ACTION:** Notice of partially closed meeting.

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**SUMMARY:** The Director of the National Institute of Standards and Technology announces that the National Construction Safety Team Federal Advisory Committee will meet on June 22–23, 2004.

**DATES:** The meeting will convene on June 22, 2004, at 8 a.m. and will adjourn at 4 p.m. on June 23, 2004. Members of the public wishing to attend the meeting must notify Stephen Cauffman by close of business on Friday, June 18, 2004, per instructions under the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section of this notice.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held in the Employees Lounge, Administration Building, at NIST, Gaithersburg, Maryland. Please note admittance instructions under **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section of this notice.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Stephen Cauffman, National Construction Safety Team Advisory Committee, National Institute of Standards and Technology, 100 Bureau Drive, MS 8611, Gaithersburg, Maryland 20899–8611, telephone (301) 975–6051, fax (301) 975–6122, or via e-mail at [stephen.cauffman@nist.gov](mailto:stephen.cauffman@nist.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In accordance with the requirements of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. 2, notice is hereby given that the National Construction Safety Team (NCST) Advisory Committee (Committee), National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), will meet Tuesday, June 22, 2004, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Wednesday, June 23, 2004, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at NIST headquarters in Gaithersburg, Maryland.

The Committee was established pursuant to Section 11 of the National Construction Safety Team Act (15 U.S.C. 7310). The Committee is composed of nine members appointed by the Director of NIST who were selected for their technical expertise and experience, established records of distinguished professional service, and their knowledge of issues affecting teams established under the NCST Act. The Committee will advise the Director of NIST on carrying out investigations of building failures conducted under the authorities of the NCST Act that became law in October 2002 and will review the procedures developed to implement the NCST Act and reports issued under section 8 of the NCST Act. Background information on the NCST Act and information on the NCST Advisory Committee is available at <http://www.nist.gov/ncst>.

The primary purpose of this meeting is to provide an update on the World Trade Center (WTC) Investigation. The agenda will also include a discussion on

the Rhode Island Nightclub Investigation. The agenda may change to accommodate Committee business. The final agenda will be posted on the Internet at <http://www.nist.gov/ncst>.

Individuals and representatives of organizations who would like to offer comments and suggestions related to the Committee's affairs, the WTC Investigation, or the Rhode Island Investigation are invited to request a place on the agenda. On June 22, 2004, approximately one hour will be reserved for public comments, and speaking times will be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis. The amount of time per speaker will be determined by the number of requests received, but is likely to be 5 minutes each. Questions from the public will not be considered during this period. Speakers who wish to expand upon their oral statements, those who had wished to speak but could not be accommodated on the agenda, and those who were unable to attend in person are invited to submit written statements to the National Construction Safety Team Advisory Committee, National Institute of Standards and Technology, 100 Bureau Drive, MS 8611, Gaithersburg, Maryland 20899–8611, via fax at (301) 975–6122, or electronically via e-mail to [ncstac@nist.gov](mailto:ncstac@nist.gov).

The Assistant Secretary for Administration, with the concurrence of the General Counsel, formally determined on May 28, 2004, that portions of the meeting of the National Construction Safety Team Advisory Committee that involve discussions regarding the proprietary information and trade secrets of third parties, personal privacy of third parties, preliminary findings the disclosure of which might jeopardize public safety, data collection status and the issuance of subpoenas, and matters the premature disclosure of which would be likely to significantly frustrate implementation of a proposed agency action may be closed in accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(4), (6), (3), (10), and (9)(B), respectively. The closed portion of the meeting is scheduled to begin at 3 p.m. and to end at 4 p.m. on June 23, 2004. All other portions of the meeting will be open to the public.

All visitors to the NIST site are required to pre-register to be admitted. Anyone wishing to attend this meeting must register by close of business Friday, June 18, 2004, in order to attend. Please submit your name, time of arrival, e-mail address and phone number to Stephen Cauffman and he will provide you with instructions for admittance. Non-U.S. citizens must also submit their country of citizenship, title,

employer/sponsor, and address. Mr. Cauffman's e-mail address is [stephen.cauffman@nist.gov](mailto:stephen.cauffman@nist.gov) and his phone number is (301) 975–6051.

Dated: June 3, 2004.

**Hratch G. Semerjian,**

*Acting Director.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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#### Proposed Information Collection; Comment Request; NOAA Customer Surveys

**AGENCY:** National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

**ACTION:** Notice.

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**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, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)).

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted on or before August 13, 2004.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all written comments to Diana Hynek, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 6625, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at [dHynek@doc.gov](mailto:dHynek@doc.gov)).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument and instructions should be directed to Eugene McDowell, NOAA CIO/PPA1, 1315 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, MD 20910 (phone 301–713–3333 x207).

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

##### **I. Abstract**

The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) is planning to seek renewed Paperwork Reduction Act approval for a generic clearance for customer surveys conducted by NOAA's program offices. Under the generic clearance, specific surveys are submitted to OMB for fast-track approval if they are consistent with the types of questions approved in the generic clearance. NOAA uses the surveys to determine whether customers