after completion of each project. Content requirements for both types of reports are contained in the Project Agreement. Final financial reports are also due 90 days after completion of each project as attachments to the final reports.

VII. Agency Contact(s)

For additional information and assistance, contact the Grants Management Branch, Foreign Agricultural Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, phone: (202) 720–5306, fax: (202) 690–0193, e-mail: emo@fas.usda.gov.

Signed at Washington, DC, on this 10th day of December 2008.

Michael W. Yost,

Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service and Vice President, Commodity Credit Corporation.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Food Safety and Inspection Service [Docket No. FSIS-2008-0041]

Codex Alimentarius Commission: Meeting of the Codex Committee on Fats and Oils

AGENCY: Office of the Under Secretary for Food Safety, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Office of the Under Secretary for Food Safety, U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), and the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), are sponsoring a public meeting on January 26, 2009. The objective of the public meeting is to provide information and receive public comments on agenda items and draft United States positions that will be discussed at the 21st Session of the Codex Committee on Fats and Oils (CCFO) of the Codex Alimentarius Commission (Codex), which will be held in Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia, from February 16-20, 2009. The Under Secretary for Food Safety and FDA recognize the importance of providing interested parties the opportunity to obtain background information on the 21st Session of the CCFO and to address items on the agenda.

DATES: The public meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, January 26, 2009, 1–4 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The public meeting will be held in the rear of the cafeteria, South

Agriculture Building, USDA, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20250. Documents related to the 21st Session of the CCFO will be accessible via the World Wide Web at the following address: http://www.codexalimentarius.net/current.asp.

The U.S. Delegate to the 21st Session of the CCFO, Dr. Dennis Keefe of FDA, invites U.S. interested parties to submit their comments electronically to the following e-mail address (Dennis.Keefe@fda.hhs.gov).

Registration

There is no need to pre-register for this meeting. To gain admittance to this meeting, individuals must present a photo ID for identification. When arriving for the meeting, please enter the South Agriculture Building through the second wing entrance on C Street, SW.

For Further Information About the 21st Session of the CCFO Contact: Dr. Dennis Keefe, U.S. Delegate to the CCFO, FDA, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, Harvey W. Wiley Federal Building, 5100 Paint Branch Parkway, College Park, MD 20740–3835, Phone: (301) 436–1284, Fax: (301) 436–2972, e-mail: Dennis.Keefe@fda.hhs.gov.

For Further Information About the Public Meeting Contact: Amjad Ali, International Issues Analyst, U.S. Codex Office, Food Safety and Inspection Service, Room 4861, South Agriculture Building, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20250, Phone: (202) 205–7760, Fax: (202) 720–3157.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The Codex Alimentarius (Codex) was established in 1963 by two United Nations organizations, the Food and Agriculture Organization and the World Health Organization. Through adoption of food standards, codes of practice, and other guidelines developed by its committees, and by promoting their adoption and implementation by governments, Codex seeks to protect the health of consumers and ensure fair practices are used in trade.

The CCFO was established to elaborate codes, standards and related texts for fats and oils. The Committee is being hosted by Malaysia.

Issues To Be Discussed at the Public Meeting

The following items on the agenda for the 21st Session of the CCFO will be discussed during the public meeting:

• Matters referred to the Committee from the other Codex bodies.

- Draft Amendment to the Standard for Named Vegetable Oils: Inclusion of Rice Bran Oil.
- Draft Amendment to the Standard for Named Vegetable Oils: Amendment to Total Carotenoids in Unbleached Palm Oil.
- Proposed Draft Criteria for Acceptable Previous Cargoes to the Code of Practice for Storage and Transport of Edible Fats and Oils in Bulk.
- Draft List of Acceptable Previous Cargoes at Step 6.
- Proposed Draft List of Acceptable Previous Cargoes at Step 3.
- Consideration of the Linolenic Acid and Campesterol Levels in Section 3.9 of the Standard for Olive Oils and Olive Pomace Oils.
- Consideration of Proposals for Amendments to the Standard for Named Vegetable Oils: Palm Kernel Stearin and Palm Kernel Olein.
- Criteria for the Revision of the Standard for Named Vegetable Oils.

Each issue listed will be fully described in documents distributed, or to be distributed, by the Secretariat prior to the meeting. Members of the public may access copies of these documents (see ADDRESSES).

Public Meeting

At the January 26, 2009, public meeting, draft U.S. positions on the agenda items will be described and discussed, and attendees will have the opportunity to pose questions and offer comments. Written comments may be offered at the meeting or sent to the U.S. Delegate for the 21st Session of the CCFO, Dr. Dennis Keefe (see ADDRESSES). Written comments should state that they relate to activities of the 21st Session of the CCFO.

Additional Public Notification

Public awareness of all segments of rulemaking and policy development is important. Consequently, in an effort to ensure that minorities, women, and persons with disabilities are aware of this notice, FSIS will announce it online through the FSIS Web page located at http://www.fsis.usda.gov/regulations/2008 Notices Index/.

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Done at Washington, DC on December 12, 2008.

Paulo Almeida,

Associate U.S. Manager for Codex Alimentarius.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Economic Development Administration

Notice of Petitions by Firms for Determination of Eligibility To Apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance

AGENCY: Economic Development Administration, Department of Commerce

ACTION: Notice and Opportunity for Public Comment.

Pursuant to Section 251 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2341 et seq.), the **Economic Development Administration** (EDA) has received petitions for certification of eligibility to apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance from the firms listed below. EDA has initiated separate investigations to determine whether increased imports into the United States of articles like or directly competitive with those produced by each firm contributed importantly to the total or partial separation of the firm's workers, or threat thereof, and to a decrease in sales or production of each petitioning firm.

LIST OF PETITIONS RECEIVED BY EDA FOR CERTIFICATION OF ELIGIBILITY TO APPLY FOR TRADE ADJUSTMENT 10/30/ 2008 THROUGH 12/11/2008

Firm	Address	Date ac- cepted for filing	Products
Iceberg Enterprises, LLC	1300 W. Higgins Road, Park Ridge, IL 60068.	10/30/2008	Plastic tables, chairs, cabinets and related office products.
Thorock Metals, Inc.	435 Weber Avenue, Compton, CA	12/9/2008	Alloyed aluminum ingots (RSI, or Recycled Secondary Ingots).
TechniQuip Corp	5653 Stoneridge Drive, Pleasanton, CA 94588–90223.	12/11/2008	Fiber optic illumination devices and fluorescent ring lights.
Misty Mountain Threadworks, Inc	718 Burma Road, Banner Elk, NC 28604	12/11/2008	Recreational mountain climbing gear, in- cluding waist/body harnesses, boulder pads, slings, chalk bags and tool bags.

Any party having a substantial interest in these proceedings may request a public hearing on the matter. A written request for a hearing must be submitted to the Office of Performance Evaluation, Room 7009, Economic Development Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20230, no later than ten (10) calendar days following publication of this notice. Please follow the procedures set forth in Section 315.9 of EDA's final rule (71 FR 56704) for procedures for requesting a public hearing. The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance official program number and title of the program under which these petitions are submitted is 11.313, Trade Adjustment Assistance.

Dated: December 12, 2008.

William P. Kittredge,

Program Officer for TAA.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration A–570–846

Brake Rotors From the People's Republic of China: Notice of Extension of Time Limit for Preliminary Results of the Antidumping Duty Administrative

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 18, 2008. **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Brian Smith or Terre Keaton Stefanova, AD/CVD Operations, Office 2, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone; (202) 482–1766 or (202) 482–1280, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On June 4, 2008, the Department of Commerce (the Department) published in the **Federal Register** a notice of

initiation of the administrative review of the antidumping duty order on brake rotors from the People's Republic of China (PRC) covering the period April 1, 2007, through March 31, 2008. See Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative Reviews and Requests for Revocation in Part, 73 FR 31813 (June 4, 2008). On June 25, 2008, the Department published a notice of revocation of the antidumping duty order on brake rotors from the PRC effective August 14, 2007 (see Brake Rotors From the People's Republic of China: Revocation of Antidumping Duty Order Pursuant to Second Five-year (Sunset) Review, 73 FR 36039 (June 25, 2008)). As a result of the revocation of the order, the period of review (POR) was changed from April 1, 2007, through March 31, 2008, to April 1, 2007, through August 13, 2007 (see June 27, 2009 Memorandum to The File titled "Change in the Period of Review").

On July 29, 2008, we selected Longkou Haimeng Machinery Co., Ltd (Longkou Haimeng) and Yantai Winhere Auto–Part Manufacturing (Yantai Winhere) as the mandatory respondents