

time for public inspection at the address Number 1 listed above, and at the U.S. Department of Commerce Export Assistance Center, 200 W. Adams Street, Suite 2450, Chicago, IL 60606.”

Dated: November 14, 2005.

Dennis Puccinelli,

Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

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Continuation of Antidumping Duty Orders: Certain Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings from Brazil, Taiwan, Japan, Thailand, and the People’s Republic of China

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

SUMMARY: As a result of the determinations by the Department of Commerce (“Department”) and the International Trade Commission (“Commission”) that revocation of these antidumping duty orders would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of dumping and material injury to an industry in the United States, pursuant to section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (“the Act”), the Department hereby orders the continuation of the antidumping duty orders on certain carbon steel butt-weld pipe fittings (“pipe fittings”) from Brazil, Taiwan, Japan, Thailand, and the People’s Republic of China (“China”). The Department is publishing notice of the continuation of these antidumping duty orders.

EFFECTIVE DATE: November 21, 2005.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Hilary E. Sadler, Esq. or Maureen Flannery, Office 8, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–4340 or 482–3020, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On December 1, 2004, the Department initiated and the Commission instituted sunset reviews of the antidumping duty orders on pipe fittings from Brazil, Taiwan, Japan, Thailand, and China

pursuant to section 751(c) of the Act.¹ As a result of its review, the Department found that revocation of the antidumping duty orders would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of dumping and notified the Commission of the magnitude of the margins likely to prevail were the orders to be revoked.²

On October 31, 2005, the Commission determined, pursuant to section 751(c) of the Act, that revocation of the antidumping duty orders on pipe fittings from Brazil, Taiwan, Japan, Thailand, and China would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of material injury to an industry in the United States within a reasonably foreseeable time. See Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings from Brazil, China, Japan, Taiwan, and Thailand, 70 FR 66847 (November 3, 2005), USITC Publication 3809 (October 2005) (Investigations Nos. 731–TA–308–310, 520, and 521 (Second Review)).

Scope of the Orders

The products covered by these orders are pipe fittings from Brazil, Taiwan, Japan, Thailand, and China. Pipe fittings from Brazil, Taiwan, and Japan are defined as carbon steel butt-weld pipe fittings, other than couplings, under 14 inches in diameter, whether finished or unfinished, that have been formed in the shape of elbows, tees, reducer, caps, etc., and, if forged, have been advanced after forging. These advancements may include any one or more of the following: coining, heat treatment, shot blasting, grinding, die stamping or painting. Such merchandise was classifiable under Tariff Schedules of the United States Annotated (“TSUSA”) item number 610.8800. These imports are currently classifiable under the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (“HTSUS”) item number 7307.93.30.

Pipe fittings from Thailand and China are defined as carbon steel butt-weld pipe fittings, having an inside diameter of less than 14 inches, imported in either finished or unfinished form. These formed or forged pipe fittings are used to join sections in piping systems where conditions require permanent, welded connections, as distinguished from fittings based on other fastening methods (e.g., threaded, grooved, or bolted fittings). These imports are

¹ See *Initiation of Five-Year (“Sunset”) Reviews*, 69 FR 69891 (December 1, 2004).

² See *Certain Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings from Brazil, Taiwan, Japan, Thailand, and the People’s Republic of China; Final Results of the Expedited Sunset Reviews of the Antidumping Duty Orders*, 70 FR 39486 (July 8, 2005).

currently classifiable under the HTSUS item number 7307.93.30.

The TSUSA and HTSUS subheadings are provided for convenience and customs purposes. The written description remains dispositive as to the scope of the product coverage for each of these orders.

Determination

As a result of the determinations by the Department and the Commission that revocation of these antidumping duty orders would be likely to 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 pipe fittings from Brazil, Taiwan, Japan, Thailand, and China.

U.S. Customs and Border Protection will continue to collect antidumping duty deposits at the rates in effect at the time of entry for all imports of subject merchandise. The effective date of the continuation for these orders is 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 antidumping orders not later than October 2010.

These sunset reviews and this continuation notice are in accordance with section 751(c) of the Act and published pursuant to 777(i) of the Act.

Dated: November 10, 2005.

Stephen J. Claeys,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

A–588–867

Notice of Postponement of Preliminary Determination in the Antidumping Duty Investigation of Metal Calendar Slides from Japan

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

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (“Department”) is postponing the preliminary determination in the antidumping duty investigation of metal calendar slides from the Japan from December 6, 2005, until no later than January 25, 2006. This postponement is made pursuant to section 733(c)(1)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (“the Act”).

EFFECTIVE DATE: November 21, 2005.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Scott Lindsay or Dara Iserson, Office of AD/CVD Enforcement 6, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482-0780 or (202) 482-4052, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Postponement of Preliminary Determination

On July 19, 2005, the Department issued the initiation of the antidumping duty investigation of imports of metal calendar slides from Japan. See *Initiation of Antidumping Duty Investigation: Metal Calendar Slides from Japan*, (70 FR 43122 (July 26, 2005)). The notice of initiation stated that we would make our preliminary determination for this antidumping duty investigation no later than 140 days after the date of initiation.

On November 10, 2005, Stuebing Automatic Machine Company ("petitioner") made a timely request pursuant to 19 CFR § 351.205(e) for a fifty-day postponement of the preliminary determination, on or until January 25, 2006. Petitioner requested postponement of the preliminary determination to allow the Department additional time in which to review the responses of the respondent, and to issue any necessary request(s) for clarification and additional information.

For the reasons identified by petitioner and because there are no compelling reasons to deny the request, we are postponing the preliminary determination pursuant to section 733(c)(1) of the Act. Therefore, the preliminary determination is now due no later than January 25, 2006. The deadline for the final determination will continue to be 75 days after the date of the preliminary determination, unless extended.

This notice is issued and published pursuant to sections 733(f) and 777(I) of the Act.

Dated: November 14, 2005.

Joseph A. Spetrini,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 111605C]

Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (MAFMC); Meetings

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council (Council), its Ecosystems Committee and its Executive Committee will hold a public meeting.

DATES: Tuesday, December 6, through Thursday, December 8, 2005.

ADDRESSES: This meeting will be held at the Trump Plaza Hotel & Casino, Mississippi and the Boardwalk, Atlantic City, NJ, telephone 609-441-6762.

Council address: Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council, 300 S. New Street, Dover, DE 19904, telephone 302-674-2331.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Daniel T. Furlong, Executive Director, Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council; telephone: 302-674-2331, ext. 19.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Agenda items for the Council's committees and the Council itself are: the Ecosystems Committee will review written and Public Hearing comments regarding ecosystems based approach to fisheries management; and, review and comment on proposed legislation, i.e., H.R. 2939, the Oceans Conservation, Education and National Strategy for the 21st Century Act. The Council will review actions and associated timelines for Amendments 14 (scup rebuilding plan) and Amendment 15 (comprehensive review of summer flounder, scup and black sea bass) to the Summer Flounder, Scup and Black Sea Bass FMP. The Council will meet jointly with the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission's Summer Flounder, Scup, and Black Sea Bass Board to review and discuss the Monitoring Committee's recommendations on the 2006 recreational management measures for summer flounder, scup, and black sea bass; review and discuss the Advisory Panels' recommendations on management measures for summer flounder, scup, and black sea bass; and, develop and approve management measures for the 2006 recreational fisheries for summer flounder, scup, and black sea bass.

The future system of joint management for the Spiny Dogfish and Monkfish FMPs will be finalized and adopted by the Council. The Executive Committee will review the outcome from the Northeast Region Coordinating Council meeting, the Council Chairs/ Executive Directors meeting, and the Congressional Hearing on Council Operations. The Director of the Atlantic Coastal Cooperative Statistics Program will provide a presentation regarding its current data collection program and its future direction. The Council will receive an update on the status of Amendment 9 to the Squid, Mackerel, and Butterfish FMP. The Council will conduct its regular business session to approve minutes, receive reports and address any continuing or new business.

On Tuesday, December 6, concurrent sessions of the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission's Summer Flounder, Scup, and Black Sea Bass Board and the Ecosystems Committee will meet from 1:00 to 3:30 p.m. The Council will convene from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

On Wednesday, December 7, the Council will convene jointly with Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission's Summer Flounder, Scup, and Black Sea Bass Board at 8:30 a.m. Recreational management measures for the 2006 summer flounder fishing year will be discussed and adopted from 8:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Recreational management measures for the 2006 scup fishing year will be discussed and adopted from 11:00 a.m. to noon. Fishery Achievement Awards will be presented from 1:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Discussions and adoption of recreational management measures for scup will be continued from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Recreational management measures for the 2006 black sea bass fishing year will be discussed and adopted from 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. The Council will discuss and finalize its position on joint management of spiny dogfish and monkfish from 4:30 to 5:00 p.m.

On Thursday, December 8, the Executive Committee will meet from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. The Council will convene at 9:00 a.m. until approximately 2:00 p.m. to receive third party reports, an update on status of Amendment 9 to the Squid, Mackerel, and Butterfish FMP, presentations, and address any continuing or new business.

Although non-emergency issues not contained in this agenda may come before the Council for discussion, these issues may not be the subject of formal Council action during this meeting. Council action will be restricted to those issues specifically listed in this notice