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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

[Docket No. 96-008-2]

Secretary's Advisory Committee on Foreign Animal and Poultry Diseases; Notice of Renewal

AGENCY: Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of renewal.

SUMMARY: We are giving notice that the Secretary of Agriculture has renewed the Secretary's Advisory Committee on Foreign Animal and Poultry Diseases for a 2-year period. The Secretary has determined that the Committee is necessary and in the public interest.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dr. John Williams, Chief Staff Veterinarian, Emergency Programs, VS, APHIS, Suite 3B08, 4700 River Road Unit 41, Riverdale, MD 20737-1236, (301) 734-8073.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of the Secretary's Advisory Committee on Foreign Animal and Poultry Diseases (Committee) is to advise the Secretary of Agriculture regarding program operations and measures to suppress, control, or eradicate an outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease, or other destructive foreign animal or poultry diseases, in the event these diseases should enter the United States. The Committee also advises the Secretary of Agriculture of means to prevent these diseases.

Done in Washington, DC, this 12th day of June 1996.

Wardell Townsend, Jr.,

Assistant Secretary for Administration.

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[Docket No. 96-007-2]

National Animal Damage Control Advisory Committee; Notice of Renewal

AGENCY: Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of renewal.

SUMMARY: We are giving notice that the Secretary of Agriculture has renewed the National Animal Damage Control Advisory Committee for a 2-year period. The Secretary has determined that the Committee is necessary and in the public interest.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Bill Clay, Director, Operational Support Staff, ADC, APHIS, 4700 River Road Unit 87, Riverdale, MD 20737-1234, (301) 734-7921 or e-mail: A347ADCOSS@ATTMAIL.COM.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of the National Animal Damage Control Advisory Committee (Committee) is to advise the Secretary of Agriculture on policies, program issues, and research needed to conduct the Animal Damage Control (ADC) program. The Committee also serves as a public forum enabling those affected by the ADC program to have a voice in the program's policies.

Done in Washington, DC, this 12th day of June 1996.

Wardell Townsend, Jr.,

Assistant Secretary for Administration.

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Farm Service Agency

1996-1997 Marketing Year Penalty Rates for All Kinds of Tobacco Subject to Quotas

AGENCY: Farm Service Agency, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of determination.

SUMMARY: This notice sets forth the determination of the 1996-1997 marketing year penalty rate for excess tobacco for all kinds of tobacco subject to marketing quotas. In accordance with section 314 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended (the 1938 Act), the marketing quota penalty for a kind of tobacco is assessed at the rate of 75 percent of the average market price for that kind of tobacco for

the immediately preceding marketing year.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 24, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Joe Lewis, Jr., Tobacco and Peanuts Division, Farm Service Agency (FSA), United States Department of Agriculture, AG Box 0514, P.O. Box 2415, Washington, DC 20013-2415, telephone (202) 720-0795.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Executive Order 12886

This action has been determined to be not significant for purposes of Executive Order 12886 and therefore has not been reviewed by the Office of Management and Budget.

Federal Assistance Program

The title and number of the Federal Assistance Program, as found in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance, to which this rule applies are: Commodity Loans and Purchases—10.051.

Regulatory Flexibility Act

It has been determined that the Regulatory Flexibility Act is not applicable to this notice since the FSA is not required by 5 U.S.C. 553 or any other provision of law to publish a notice of proposed rulemaking with respect to the subject matter of this notice.

Executive Order 12372

This activity is not subject to the provisions of Executive Order 12372 which requires intergovernmental consultation with State and local officials. See the notice related to 7 CFR part 3015, subpart V, published at 48 FR 29115 (June 24, 1983).

Executive Order 12778

Executive Order 12778 is not applicable to this notice.

Discussion

Section 314 of the 1938 Act, provides that the rate of penalty per pound for a kind of tobacco that is subject to marketing quotas shall be 75 percent of the average market price for such tobacco for the immediately preceding marketing year.

For all kinds of tobacco subject to marketing quotas, except Puerto Rico (type 46) tobacco, the Agricultural Statistics Board, National Agricultural

Statistical Service, United States Department of Agriculture announced in a May 10, 1996, Crop Production Report the relevant average prices for each type of tobacco. The penalty rates are determined on the basis of this information.

The national marketing quota for Puerto Rico (type 46) tobacco has been zero since 1989. Therefore, the penalty rate for Puerto Rico (type 46) tobacco for the 1996–1997 marketing year shall be the same as the penalty rate determined for the 1989–1990 marketing year, the last year that marketing information was available.

Since the determination of the 1996–1997 marketing year rates of penalty reflect only mathematical computations which are required to be made in accordance with a statutory formula, it has been determined that no further public rulemaking is required.

Determination

Accordingly, it is determined the 1996–1997 marketing year rates of penalty for kinds of tobacco subject to marketing quotas are as follows:

RATE OF PENALTY [1996–1997 Marketing Year]

Kinds of tobacco	Cents per pound
Flue-Cured	134
Burley	139
Fire-Cured (Type 21)	122
Fired-Cured (Types 22 and 23)	163
Dark Air-Cured (Types 35 and 36)	132
Virginia Sun-Cured (Type 37)	115
Cigar Filler and Binder (Types 42, 43, 44, 54, and 55)	109
Puerto Rico Cigar-Filler (Type 46)	57

Signed at Washington, DC, on June 17, 1996.

Bruce R. Weber,
Administrator, Farm Service Agency.
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ARCHITECTURAL AND TRANSPORTATION BARRIERS COMPLIANCE BOARD

Meeting

AGENCY: Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board (Access Board) has scheduled its

regular business meetings to take place in Washington, D.C. on Tuesday, and Wednesday, July 9–10, 1996 at the times and location noted below.

DATES: The schedule of events is as follows:

Tuesday, July 9, 1996

9:00 a.m.–11:00 a.m.—Ad Hoc Committee on Bylaws and Statutory Review

11:00 a.m.–Noon—Planning and Budget Committee

Wednesday, July 10, 1996

9:00 a.m.–10:00 a.m.—Technical Programs Committee

10:00 a.m.–Noon—Executive Committee

1:30 p.m.–3:30 p.m.—Board Meeting

ADDRESSES: The meetings will be held at: Marriott at Metro Center, 775 12th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information regarding the meetings, please contact Lawrence W. Roffee, Executive Director, (202) 272–5434 ext. 14 (voice) and (202) 272–5449 (TTY).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: At the Board meeting, the Access Board will consider the following agenda items:

- Approval of the Minutes of the May 15 Board Meeting
- ADAAG Review Advisory Committee Report
- Fiscal Year 1998 Program Goals

All meetings are accessible to persons with disabilities. Sign language interpreters and an assistive listening system are available at all meetings.

Lawrence W. Roffee,
Executive Director.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A–580–008]

Color Television Receivers From the Republic of Korea: Initiation of Changed Circumstances Antidumping Duty Administrative Review and Consideration of Revocation of Order (in Part)

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

ACTION: Notice of initiation of changed circumstances antidumping duty administrative review and consideration of revocation of order (in Part).

SUMMARY: In response to a request made on July 20, 1995, by Samsung

Electronics Co., Ltd. (Samsung), the Department of Commerce (the Department) is initiating a changed circumstances antidumping duty administrative review to consider Samsung's request to revoke the antidumping duty order on color television receivers (CTVs) from Korea (49 FR 18336, April 30, 1984) as it relates to Samsung.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 24, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David Genovese or Joseph Hanley, Office of Antidumping Compliance, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone (202) 482–4697/3058.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On July 20, 1995, Samsung requested that the Department conduct a changed circumstances review and revoke the order as to Samsung after completion of the review. Zenith Electronics Corporation, a domestic interested party, and petitioners filed objections to Samsung's request on August 4, 1995, and August 11, 1995, respectively.

The Applicable Statute

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Act by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act (URAA). In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department's regulations are to the current regulations, as amended by the interim regulations published in the Federal Register on May 11, 1995 (60 FR 25130).

Scope of Review

Imports covered by the antidumping duty order include CTVs, complete and incomplete, from the Republic of Korea. This merchandise is currently classifiable under item numbers 8528.10.80, 8529.90.15, 8529.90.20, and 8540.11.00 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule (HTS). Since the order covers all CTVs regardless of HTS classification, the HTS subheadings are provided for convenience and for U.S. Customs Service purposes. Our written description of the scope of the order remains dispositive.