

from the antidumping duty order. As a result we terminated the review of CMP on December 29, 1994 as published in the Federal Register (60 FR 2078). Star Pipe was the only other interested party that requested this review.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** February 27, 1997.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Paul M. Stolz, 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) 482-4474.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

Background

On September 29, 1994, Star Pipe, an interested party, requested an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on CDIW from the PRC for the period February 18, 1993 through August 31, 1994, pursuant to 751(1)(B) of the Tariff Act of 1930 as amended by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act. On September 2, 1995, the Department published in the Federal Register (59 FR 45664) the notice of initiation of that administrative review. Star Pipe withdrew its request for review on January 17, 1997, pursuant to 19 CFR 353.22(a)(5). The petitioner in this proceeding, the U.S. Waterworks Fittings Producers Council, had requested an administrative review of the same period of sales made by China National Metal Products Import & Export Corporation (CMP). However, on the basis of a court remand, CMP was subsequently, retroactively, excluded from the antidumping duty order. See *Certain CDIW Fittings and Glands from the PRC: Notice of Court Decision; Exclusion From the Application of the Antidumping Duty Order, in Part; Termination of Administrative Review in Part; and Amended Final Determination and Order* (60 FR 2078). Although Star Pipe is now withdrawing its request beyond the 90 day time limit set forth in 19 CFR 353.22(a)(5), the Department has the discretion to extend said time limit if the Department decides it is reasonable to do so. Since Star Pipe was the only other interested party that requested this review, the Department considers it reasonable to terminate this review. Therefore, the Department is terminating this review.

This notice is published in accordance with § 353.22(a)(5) of the Department's regulations (19 CFR 353.22.(a)(5)).

Dated: February 19, 1997.

Jeffrey P. Bialos,  
*Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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**[A-475-818]**

**Certain Pasta From Italy: Initiation of New Shipper Antidumping Duty Administrative Review**

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

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce ("the Department") has received a request to conduct a new shipper administrative review of the antidumping duty order on certain pasta from Italy. In accordance with 19 CFR 353.22(h), we are initiating this administrative review.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** February 27, 1997.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** John Brinkmann or Greg Thompson, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230; telephone (202) 482-5288 or 482-3003, respectively.

Applicable Statute and Regulations

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. 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).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

Background

The Department has received a request, pursuant to section 751(a)(2)(B) of the Act, and in accordance with 19 CFR 353.22(h), for a new shipper review of the antidumping duty order on certain pasta from Italy, which has a July anniversary date.

Initiation of Review

In accordance with section 751(a)(2)(B) of the Act and 19 CFR 353.22(h)(6), we are initiating a new shipper review of the antidumping duty order on certain pasta from Italy. We intend to issue the final results of review not later than 270 days from the date of publication of this notice.

The standard period of review (POR) in a new shipper review initiated following the semiannual anniversary month is the six months preceding the semiannual anniversary month. However, the Department may expand the standard POR to cover the first exportation of a new shipper. See *Certain Compact Ductile Iron Waterworks Fittings and Glands From the People's Republic of China*, 61 FR 18568, (April 26, 1996). Therefore, the POR for this review has been expanded to include the semiannual anniversary month.

Antidumping duty proceeding	Period to be reviewed
Italy: Certain Pasta, A-475-818: GSA, S.r.l .....	07/01/96- 1/31/97

We will instruct the U.S. Customs Service to allow, at the option of the importer, the posting, until the completion of the review, of a bond or security in lieu of a cash deposit for each entry of the merchandise exported by the company listed above, in accordance with 19 CFR 353.22(h)(4).

Interested parties must submit applications for disclosure under administrative protective orders in accordance with 19 CFR 353.34(b).

This initiation and this notice are in accordance with section 751(a) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1675(a)) and 19 CFR 353.22(h).

Dated: February 20, 1997.  
Richard W. Moreland,  
*Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, Import Administration.*

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**[A-583-815]**

**Certain Welded Stainless Steel Pipe From Taiwan, Antidumping Duty Administrative Review; Time Limit**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of Extension of Time Limit.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce (the Department) is extending the time limit for the final results of the third administrative review of the antidumping duty order on welded stainless steel pipe from Taiwan. The review covers one manufacturer/exporter of the subject merchandise to the United States, Ta Chen Stainless Pipe Company, Ltd., and the period

December 1, 1994 through November 30, 1995.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** February 27, 1997.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Robert M. James at (202) 482-5222 or John Kugelman at (202) 482-0649, AD/CVD Enforcement Office Eight, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20230.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Department initiated this administrative review on February 1, 1996 (61 FR 3670). On September 12, 1996, we extended the time limit for the preliminary results of administrative review. See Notice of Extension of Time Limits, 61 FR 48126. On January 10, 1997, we published in the Federal Register the preliminary results of this administrative review (62 FR 1435).

Because it is not practicable to complete this review within the time limits mandated by section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act of 1994, the Department is extending the time limit for completion of the final results until July 8, 1997. See Memorandum from Joseph A. Spetrini to Robert S. LaRussa, on file in Room B-099 of the Main Commerce Building. The deadline for the final results of review will now be July 8, 1997 (*i.e.*, 180 days after the publication of our preliminary results).

This extension is in accordance with section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended.

Dated: February 18, 1997.

Joseph A. Spetrini,  
Deputy Assistant Secretary, Enforcement Group III.

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### Applications for Duty-Free Entry of Scientific Instruments

Pursuant to Section 6(c) of the Educational, Scientific and Cultural Materials Importation Act of 1966 (Pub. L. 89-651; 80 Stat. 897; 15 CFR part 301), we invite comments on the question of whether instruments of equivalent scientific value, for the purposes for which the instruments shown below are intended to be used, are being manufactured in the United States.

Comments must comply with 15 CFR 301.5(a)(3) and (4) of the regulations and be filed within 20 days with the Statutory Import Programs Staff, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C. 20230. Applications may be

examined between 8:30 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. in Room 4211, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C.

**Docket Number:** 97-001. **Applicant:** University of California, San Diego, Scripps Institute of Oceanography, 7835 Trade Street, San Diego, CA 92121.

**Instrument:** (8) Directional Waverider Buoys. **Manufacturer:** Datwell bv, The Netherlands. **Intended Use:** The article is intended to be used in support of ongoing and proposed research on the evolution of directional wave spectra across the continental shelf and near complex bathymetric features.

**Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs:** January 3, 1997.

**Docket Numbers:** 97-002, 97-003 and 97-006. **Applicant:** Brigham and

Women's Hospital, Harvard Medical School, 75 Francis Street, Boston, MA 02115. **Instrument:** (3) Digital Sleep Recorders, Model Vitaport 2.

**Manufacturer:** TEMEC Instruments BV, The Netherlands. **Intended Use:** The instruments will be used to record sleep patterns, circadian rhythms and pulmonary functions for studies of the effects of melatonin on sleep disturbances induced by misalignment of the sleep-wake cycle and endogenous circadian phase. **Applications accepted by Commissioner of Customs:** January 8, 1997 and January 16, 1997.

**Docket Number:** 97-004. **Applicant:** Brooklyn College of the City University of New York, Environmental Sciences Laboratory, 2900 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11210. **Instrument:**

Electron Microscope, Model JEM-2010. **Manufacturer:** JEOL Ltd., Japan.

**Intended Use:** The instrument will be used to study the physico-chemical properties of inorganic particulates in the environment. It will be used to determine the morphology, elemental composition, crystal structure, long/short range ordering, microcrystalline structure and d-spacing of crystallographic planes. **Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs:** January 10, 1997.

**Docket Number:** 97-005. **Applicant:** Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Center for Space Research, 77 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02139. **Instrument:** Digital Sleep Recorder, Model Vitaport 2.

**Manufacturer:** TEMEC Instruments BV, The Netherlands. **Intended Use:** The article is intended to be used for studies of the effects of microgravity on the human body, especially sleep functions, circadian rhythm changes and pulmonary function. **Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs:** January 14, 1997.

**Docket Number:** 97-007. **Applicant:** University of Oklahoma, Purchasing Department, 660 Parrington Oval, Room 321, Norman, OK 73019. **Instrument:** CO<sub>2</sub>/Far-Infrared Laser System.

**Manufacturer:** Edinburgh Instruments, Ltd., United Kingdom. **Intended Use:** The instrument will be used for studies of narrow-gap semiconductor quantum wells and superlattices to obtain the highest quality cyclotron resonance spectra for analysis to obtain electronic properties. In addition, the instrument will be used for educational purposes in the courses Research for Doctor's Dissertation and Research for Master's Thesis. **Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs:** January 17, 1997.

**Docket Number:** 97-008. **Applicant:** University of Colorado, Institute for Arctic and Alpine Research, 1560 30th Street, Boulder, CO 80309-0450.

**Instrument:** Mass Spectrometer, Model OPTIMA. **Manufacturer:** Micromass, United Kingdom. **Intended Use:** The instrument will be used for measuring the stable isotopic composition (primarily carbon and oxygen) of natural materials such as calcium carbonate sediments, atmospheric gases, natural waters and organic matter. Projects in which the instrument will be used revolve around the general theme of understanding the patterns and causes of climate change. A primary use will be the analysis of calcium carbonate coral reef materials. In addition, the instrument will be used for educational purposes in graduate classes in isotope geochemistry. **Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs:** January 24, 1997.

**Docket Number:** 97-009. **Applicant:** Georgia Institute of Technology, School of Earth and Atmospheric Sciences, 221 Bobby Dodd Way, Atlanta, GA 30332-0340. **Instrument:** Mass Spectrometer, Model OPTIMA. **Manufacturer:**

Micromass, United Kingdom. **Intended Use:** The instrument will be used for studies of plant and soil samples, water samples, rock and mineral samples and atmospheric gas samples which will be taken from the natural environment and the fossil record and designed to provide information about research topics related to past climate environment and present-day nutrient cycling. The objectives of the studies include successful analysis of the carbon, oxygen and hydrogen isotope composition of the samples mentioned, with the final step of analysis being measurement of the gas upon the instrument. **Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs:** January 29, 1997.