

# Notices

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### DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

#### Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

[Docket No. 99-066-1]

#### Secretary's Advisory Committee on Foreign Animal and Poultry Diseases; Meeting

**AGENCY:** Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** We are giving notice of a meeting of the Secretary's Advisory Committee on Foreign Animal and Poultry Diseases.

**PLACE, DATES, AND TIME OF MEETING:** The meeting will be held at the USDA Center at Riverside in the Conference Center, 4700 River Road, Riverdale, MD. Sessions will be held from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on September 14-15, 1999, and from 8 a.m. to 12 noon on September 16, 1999.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr. Joseph Anelli, Chief Staff Veterinarian, Emergency Programs Staff, VS, APHIS, 4700 River Road Unit 41, Riverdale, MD 20737-1231; (301) 734-8073.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Secretary's Advisory Committee on Foreign Animal and Poultry Diseases (the Committee) advises the Secretary of Agriculture on actions necessary to prevent the introduction of foreign diseases of livestock and poultry into the United States. In addition, the Committee advises the Secretary on contingency planning and on maintaining a state of preparedness to deal with these diseases, if introduced.

The meeting will focus on the U.S. animal health emergency management system and the foreign animal disease situation worldwide and its relevance to the United States. The meeting will be open to the public. However, due to the time constraints, the public will not be

allowed to participate in the Committee's discussions.

You may obtain an agenda for the meeting by contacting Dr. Joseph Anelli at the address listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**. You may file written statements on meeting topics with the Committee before or after the meeting by sending them to Dr. Joseph Anelli at the address listed under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**. You may also file written comments at the time of the meeting. Please refer to Docket No. 99-066-1 when submitting your comments.

This notice of meeting is given pursuant to section 10 of the Federal Advisory Committee Act.

Done in Washington, DC, this 19th day of August 1999.

**Bobby R. Acord,**

*Acting Administrator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service.*

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### DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

#### Forest Service

#### Klamath Provincial Advisory Committee (PAC)

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Klamath Provincial Advisory Committee will meet on September 9-10, 1999, in Yreka, California. On Thursday, September 9, the meeting will be at the Miner's Inn Convention Center, 122 E. Miner Street, starting at 9:00 a.m. and will adjourn at 5:00 p.m. On Friday, September 10, the meeting will start at 8:00 a.m. and adjourn at 1:00 p.m. Agenda items for the meeting include: (1) Socio-economic Panel Discussion; (2) Total Maximum Daily Load Letter Proposal; (3) 12-PAC/IAC Joint Meeting Update; (4) Subcommittee Reports; and (5) Public Comment Periods. All PAC meetings are open to the public. Interested citizens are encouraged to attend.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Connie Hendryx, USDA, Klamath National Forest, 1312 Fairlane Road, Yreka, California 96097; telephone 530-841-4468 (voice), TDD 530-841-4573.

Dated: August 13, 1999.

**Nancy J. Gibson,**

*Acting Forest Supervisor.*

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### DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

#### Rural Utilities Service

#### Information Collection Activity; Comment Request

**AGENCY:** Rural Utilities Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice and request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35, as amended), the Rural Utilities Service (RUS) invites comments on this information collection for which RUS intends to request approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). **DATES:** Comments on this notice must be received by October 25, 1999.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** F. Lamont Heppe, Jr., Program Development and Regulatory Analysis, Rural Utilities Service, USDA, 1400 Independence Ave., SW., STOP 1522, Room 4034 South Building, Washington, DC 20250-1522. Telephone: (202) 720-0736. FAX: (202) 720-4120.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Title:* 7 CFR Part 1789, Use of Consultants Funded by Borrowers. *OMB Control Number:* 0572-0115.

*Type of Request:* Extension of a previously approved collection. *Abstract:* On November 1, 1993, Public Law 103-129 amended section 18 of the RE Act to provide a mechanism for expediting RUS reviews. As amended, section 18(c) authorized RUS to use consultants voluntarily funded by borrowers for financial, legal, engineering, and other technical services. Consultants may be used to facilitate timely action on loan applications by borrowers for financial assistance and for approvals required by RUS, pursuant to the terms of outstanding loans, or otherwise. RUS may not require borrowers to fund consultants. The provisions of section 18(c) may be utilized only at the borrower's request.

*Estimate of Burden:* Public reporting burden for this collection of information

is estimated to average 2 hours per response.

*Respondents:* Small cooperatives or similar organizations.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 6.

*Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Estimate Total Annual Burden on Respondents:* 12 hours.

Copies of this information collection can be obtained from Bob Turner, Program Development and Regulatory Analysis, at (202) 720-0696.

Comments are invited on (a) whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of burden including the validity of the methodology and assumption used; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques on other forms of information technology. Comments may be sent to F. Lamont Heppe, Jr., Director, Program Development and Regulatory Analysis, Rural Utilities Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 1400 Independence Ave., SW., Stop 1522, Room 4034 South Building, Washington, DC 20250-1522.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will also become a matter of public record.

Dated: August 19, 1999.

**Christopher A. McLean,**

*Acting Administrator, Rural Utilities Service.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[A-580-810]

#### **Certain Welded ASTM A-312 Stainless Steel Pipe From Korea: Extension of Time Limits for Preliminary Results of Antidumping Administrative Review**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of Extension of Time Limits For Preliminary Results of Administrative Review.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** August 26, 1999.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Michael Strollo or Maureen Flannery,

AD/CVD Enforcement, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482-3782 or (202) 482-3020, respectively.

#### **The Applicable Statute**

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the statute are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Tariff Act of 1930 (the Act) by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act. In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Departments's regulations are to the current regulations, codified at 19 CFR part 351, (1999).

#### **Background**

On December 30, 1998, the Department of Commerce (the Department) received a request from Avesta Sheffield Pipe Co., Damascus Tube Division, Damascus-Bishop Tube Co., and the United Steelworkers of America (AFL-CIO/CLC), herein referred to as "the domestic industry," for administrative review of the antidumping duty order on certain welded ASTM A-312 stainless steel pipe from Korea. On January 25, 1999, the Department published its initiation of this administrative review covering the period of December 1, 1997 through November 30, 1998 (64 FR 3682).

#### **Extension of Time Limits for Preliminary Results**

Because of the complexities enumerated in the Memorandum from Joseph A. Spetrini to Robert S. LaRussa, *Extension of Time Limit for the Administrative Review of Certain Welded ASTM A-312 Stainless Steel Pipe from Korea*, dated August 17, 1999, it is not practical to complete this review within the time limits mandated by section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act.

Therefore, in accordance with section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act, the Department is extending the time limits for the preliminary results to December 13, 1999. The final results continue to be due 120 days after the publication of the preliminary results.

Dated: August 17, 1998.

**Joseph A. Spetrini,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary for AD/CVD Enforcement III.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

#### **Preliminary Results of Full Sunset Review: Brass Sheet and Strip From the Netherlands**

[A-421-701]

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

**ACTION:** Notice of Preliminary Results of Full Sunset Review: Brass Sheet and Strip from the Netherlands.

**SUMMARY:** On February 1, 1999, the Department of Commerce ("the Department") initiated a sunset review of the antidumping duty order on brass sheet and strip from the Netherlands (64 FR 4840) pursuant to section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended ("the Act"). On the basis of a notice of intent to participate filed on behalf of domestic interested parties and adequate substantive responses filed on behalf of the domestic and respondent interested parties, the Department determined to conduct a full review. As a result of this review, the Department preliminarily finds that revocation of the antidumping duty order would not be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of a dumping.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Eun W. Cho or Melissa G. Skinner, Office of Policy for Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone: (202) 482-1698 or (202) 482-1560, respectively.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** August 26, 1999.

#### **Statute and Regulations**

This review is being conducted pursuant to sections 751(c) and 752 of the Act. The Department's procedures for the conduct of sunset reviews are set forth in *Procedures for Conducting Five-year ("Sunset") Reviews of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Orders*, 63 FR 13516 (March 20, 1998) ("Sunset Regulations"). Guidance on methodological or analytical issues relevant to the Department's conduct of sunset reviews is set forth in the Department's Policy Bulletin 98:3—*Policies Regarding the Conduct of Five-year ("Sunset") Reviews of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Orders*; *Policy Bulletin*, 63 FR 18871 (April 16, 1998) ("Sunset Policy Bulletin").