

With respect to potassium permanganate from Spain, Inv. No. 731-TA-126 (Review), the Commission found that both the domestic interested party group response and the respondent interested party group response to its notice of institution¹ were adequate and voted to conduct a full review.

With respect to potassium permanganate from China, Inv. No. 731-TA-125 (Review), the Commission found that the domestic interested party group response was adequate and the respondent interested party group response was inadequate. The Commission also found that other circumstances warranted conducting a full review.²

A record of the Commissioners' votes, the Commission's statement on adequacy, and any individual Commissioner's statements will be available from the Office of the Secretary and at the Commission's web site.

Authority: This review is being conducted under authority of title VII of the Tariff Act of 1930; this notice is published pursuant to section 207.62 of the Commission's rules.

By order of the Commission.

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Donna R. Koehnke,
Secretary.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigations Nos. 731-TA-777-779 (Final)]

Certain Preserved Mushrooms From China, India, and Indonesia

Determinations

On the basis of the record¹ developed in the subject investigations, the United States International Trade Commission determines, pursuant to section 735(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. § 1673d(b)) (the Act), that an industry in the United States is materially injured by reason of imports from China, India, and Indonesia of certain preserved mushrooms, provided for in subheadings 0711.90.40 and 2003.10.00 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, that have been found by the Department of Commerce to be

sold in the United States at less than fair value (LTFV).² Vice Chairman Miller and Commissioners Hillman and Koplan find that critical circumstances exist with respect to subject imports from China. Chairman Bragg and Commissioners Crawford and Askey find that critical circumstances do not exist with respect to subject imports from China.

Background

The Commission instituted these investigations effective January 6, 1998, following receipt of a petition filed with the Commission and the Department of Commerce by the Coalition for Fair Preserved Mushroom Trade and its members: L.K. Bowman, Inc., Nottingham, PA; Modern Mushroom Farms, Inc., Toughkenamon, PA; Monterey Mushrooms, Inc., Watsonville, CA; Mount Laurel Canning Corp., Temple, PA; Mushroom Canning Co., Kennett Square, PA; Sunny Dell Foods, Inc., Oxford, PA; and United Canning Corp., North Lima, OH.³ The final phase of these investigations was scheduled by the Commission following notification of preliminary determinations by the Department of Commerce that imports of certain preserved mushrooms from China, India, and Indonesia were being sold at LTFV within the meaning of section 733(b) of the Act (19 U.S.C. § 1673b(b)). Notice of the scheduling of the Commission's investigations and of a public hearing to be held in connection therewith was given by posting copies of the notice in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, Washington, DC, and by publishing the notice in the **Federal Register** of August 19, 1998 (63 FR 44470). The hearing was held in Washington, DC, on October 15, 1998, and all persons who requested the opportunity were permitted to appear in person or by counsel.

The Commission transmitted its determination in this investigation to the Secretary of Commerce on February 11, 1999. The views of the Commission are contained in USITC Publication 3159 (February 1999), entitled *Certain Preserved Mushrooms from China, India, and Indonesia: Investigations Nos. 731-TA-777-779 (Final)*.

By order of the Commission.

¹ The notice of institution for both of the subject reviews was published in the **Federal Register** on Nov. 2, 1998 (63 FR 58765).

² Commissioner Crawford dissenting.

³ The record is defined in sec. 207.2(f) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR 207.2(f)).

² Commissioners Crawford and Askey dissenting with regard to Indonesia.

³ On March 9, 1998, the Commission received notice that Southwood Farms, Hockessin, DE, had joined the petitioning coalition.

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LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

Copyright Office

[Docket No. 98-12B]

Promotion of Distance Education Through Digital Technologies

AGENCY: Copyright Office, Library of Congress.

ACTION: Extension of deadline for submission of reply comments.

SUMMARY: The Copyright Office is extending the period for submission of reply comments in the above-referenced study on the promotion of distance education through digital technologies.

DATES: Reply comments must be received in the Copyright Office on or before 5:00 p.m. E.S.T. on March 3, 1999.

ADDRESSES: All submissions should be addressed to Sayuri Rajapakse, Attorney-Advisor, Office of Policy and International Affairs. For information on formats, see **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** for file formats and other information about electronic filing. Those filings sent by regular mail should be sent to the U.S. Copyright Office, Copyright GC/I&R, P.O. Box 70400, Southwest Station, Washington, D.C. 20024. Submissions delivered by hand should be brought to the Office of Policy and International Affairs, Office of the Register, James Madison Memorial Building, Room LM-403, 101 Independence Avenue, Southeast, Washington, D.C. Submissions by telefax should be made to (202) 707-8366. Submissions by electronic mail should be made to "disted@loc.gov."

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sayuri Rajapakse, Attorney-Advisor, Office of Policy and International Affairs. Telephone: (202) 707-8350. Telefax: (202) 707-8366.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On December 23, 1998, the Copyright Office published a request for comments and notice of public hearing on the promotion of distance education through digital technologies, in connection with the Office's study of distance education in accordance with Section 403 of the Digital Millennium Copyright Act of 1998. (Pub. L. 105-304, 112 Stat. 2860) 63 FR 71167 (December 23, 1998). Comments were due to be filed by February 5, 1999; reply

comments were due to be filed by February 24, 1999.

The Office, however, has decided to extend the deadline for filing reply comments by a period of seven days, to March 3, 1999. The Office takes this action in response to a motion to extend the reply period, given the short time to respond and the extensive comments received.

Formats

The Copyright Office will be placing reply comments on its Website (<http://lcweb.loc.gov/copyright/disted/>). Reply comments should be sent, therefore, in one of the following formats:

If by regular mail or hand delivery: Send, to the appropriate address listed above, two copies, each on a 3.5-inch write-protected diskette, labeled with the name of the person making the submission, his or her title and organization. The document itself must be in a single file in either Adobe Portable Document File (PDF) format (preferred), or in Microsoft Word Version 7.0 or earlier, or in WordPerfect Version 7 or earlier. The file name must be no longer than eight characters with a three-character extension.

If by electronic mail: Send to "disted@loc.gov" a message containing the name of the person making the submission, his or her title, organization, mailing address, telephone number, telefax number and e-mail address. The message should also identify the document clearly as either a comment or reply comment. The document itself must be sent as a MIME attachment, and must be in a single file in either Adobe Portable Document File (PDF) format (preferred), or in Microsoft Word Version 7.0 or earlier, or in WordPerfect 7 or earlier. The file name must be no longer than eight characters with a three-character extension.

Anyone who is unable to submit a comment in electronic form should submit ten paper copies by hand or by mail to the appropriate address listed above.

Dated: February 19, 1999.

Marybeth Peters,

Register of Copyrights.

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NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION

Records Schedules; Availability and Request for Comments

AGENCY: National Archives and Records Administration, Office of Records Services—Washington, DC.

ACTION: Notice of availability of proposed records schedules; request for comments.

SUMMARY: The National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) publishes notice at least once monthly of certain Federal agency requests for records disposition authority (records schedules). Once approved by NARA, records schedules provide mandatory instructions on what happens to records when no longer needed for current Government business. They authorize the preservation of records of continuing value in the National Archives of the United States and the destruction, after a specified period, of records lacking administrative, legal, research, or other value. Notice is published for records schedules in which agencies propose to destroy records not previously authorized for disposal or reduce the retention period of records already authorized for disposal. NARA invites public comments on such records schedules, as required by 44 U.S.C. 3303a(a).

DATES: Requests for copies must be received in writing on or before April 12, 1999. Once the appraisal of the records is completed, NARA will send a copy of the schedule. NARA staff usually prepare appraisal memorandums that contain additional information concerning the records covered by a proposed schedule. These, too, may be requested and will be provided once the appraisal is completed. Requesters will be given 30 days to submit comments.

ADDRESSES: To request a copy of any records schedule identified in this notice, write to the Life Cycle Management Division (NWML), National Archives and Records Administration (NARA), 8601 Adelphi Road, College Park, MD 20740-6001. Requests also may be transmitted by FAX to 301-713-6852 or by e-mail to records.mgt@arch2.nara.gov.

Requesters must cite the control number, which appears in parentheses after the name of the agency which submitted the schedule, and must provide a mailing address. Those who desire appraisal reports should so indicate in their request.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Michael L. Miller, Director, Modern Records Programs (NWM), National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road, College Park, MD 20740-6001. Telephone: (301)713-7110. E-mail: records.mgt@arch2.nara.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Each year Federal agencies create billions of records on paper, film, magnetic tape,

and other media. To control this accumulation, agency records managers prepare schedules proposing retention periods for records and submit these schedules for NARA approval, using the Standard Form (SF) 115, Request for Records Disposition Authority. These schedules provide for the timely transfer into the National Archives of historically valuable records and authorize the disposal of all other records after the agency no longer needs the records to conduct its business. Some schedules are comprehensive and cover all the records of an agency or one of its major subdivisions. Most schedules, however, cover records of only one office or program or a few series of records. Many of these update previously approved schedules, and some include records proposed as permanent.

No Federal records are authorized for destruction without the approval of the Archivist of the United States. This approval is granted only after a thorough consideration of their administrative use by the agency of origin, the rights of the Government and of private persons directly affected by the Government's activities, and whether or not they have historical or other value.

Besides identifying the Federal agencies and any subdivisions requesting disposition authority, this public notice lists the organizational unit(s) accumulating the records or indicates agency-wide applicability in the case of schedules that cover records that may be accumulated throughout an agency. This notice provides the control number assigned to each schedule, the total number of schedule items, and the number of temporary items (the records proposed for destruction). It also includes a brief description of the temporary records. The records schedule itself contains a full description of the records at the file unit level as well as their disposition. If NARA staff has prepared an appraisal memorandum for the schedule, it too includes information about the records. Further information about the disposition process is available on request.

Schedules Pending

1. Department of Commerce, Office of Executive Assistance and Management (N1-40-98-1, 2 items, 2 temporary items). Records relating to the Department of Commerce's compliance with environmental laws and regulations pertaining to such subjects as recycling, hazardous waste reporting, and procurement of environmentally preferable products. Also included are files relating to implementation of