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#### **DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

# **International Trade Administration**

[A-570-898]

# Chlorinated Isocyanurates From the People's Republic of China: Initiation of New Shipper Review

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

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce (the Department) has received a timely request for a new shipper review of the antidumping duty order on chlorinated isocyanurates (chlorinated isos) from the People's Republic of China (PRC). The Department determines that the request is sufficient to meet the statutory and regulatory requirements for initiation. The period of review for the new shipper review is June 1, 2011, through February 29, 2012.

**DATES:** Effective Date: January 31, 2012. **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Andrew Huston, AD/CVD Operations, Office 6, Import Administration,

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U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th
Street and Constitution Avenue NW.,
Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202)
482–4261.

# SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

### Background

The antidumping duty order on chlorinated isos from the PRC was published on June 24, 2005. See Notice of Antidumping Duty Order:
Chlorinated Isocyanurates from the People's Republic of China, 70 FR 36561 (June 24, 2005). On December 30, 2011, the Department received a timely request for a new shipper review from Puyang Cleanway Chemicals Ltd. (Puyang Cleanway) in accordance with 19 CFR 351.214(c) and 19 CFR 351.214(d).

Pursuant to the requirements set forth in 19 CFR 351.214(b)(2), in its request for a new shipper review, Puyang Cleanway certified that: (1) It did not export chlorinated isos to the United States during the period of investigation (POI); (2) since the initiation of the investigation, it has never been affiliated with any company that exported subject merchandise to the United States during the POI, including any exporter or

producer not individually examined during the investigation; and (3) its export activities are not controlled by the central government of the PRC. In accordance with 19 CFR 351.214(b)(2)(iv), Puyang Cleanway submitted documentation establishing the following: (1) The date on which it first shipped chlorinated isos for export to the United States and the date on which chlorinated isos was first entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption; (2) the volume of the first shipment; (3) the date of the first sale to an unaffiliated customer in the United States; and (4) the volume of subsequent shipments of chlorinated isos.

#### **Period of Review**

Usually, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.214(g)(1)(i)(B), the period of review (POR) for new shipper reviews initiated in the month immediately following the semi-annual anniversary month will be the six-month period immediately preceding the semiannual anniversary month (in this instance, June 1, 2011, through November 30, 2011). Puyang Cleanway's first sale of subject merchandise was sold two months before, and entered one month before. the POR specified by the Department's regulations for a semi-annual new shipper review. Puyang Cleanway's request for a new shipper review was within one year of this first sale, making its request timely under 19 CFR 351.214(c). Its second sale, which took place during the POR, had not yet entered as of the issuance of this notice. The Department has in the past extended a POR forward to capture entries for sales made during the POR that had not yet entered during the POR specified by the Department's regulations.1 Therefore, consistent with 19 CFR.214(f)(2)(ii), the Department is extending the POR for the new shipper review forward by the time necessary for Puvang Cleanway to enter the second sale, but not past February 29, 2012. If the second sale has not yet entered by February 29, 2012, the Department intends to rescind this new shipper review.

# **Initiation of New Shipper Review**

Pursuant to section 751(a)(2)(B) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), and 19 CFR 351.214(b), we find that the request submitted by Puyang Cleanway meets the threshold requirements for initiation of a new shipper review for shipments of chlorinated isos from the PRC. See Memorandum to the File

through Barbara E. Tillman, Director, AD/CVD Operations, Office 6, "Initiation of Antidumping New Shipper Review: Chlorinated Isocyanurates from the People's Republic of China (A–570–898)," dated concurrently with this notice.

The Department will conduct the review according to the deadlines set forth in section 751(a)(2)(B)(iv) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.214(i). It is the Department's practice, in cases involving non-market economies, to require that a company seeking to establish eligibility for an antidumping duty rate separate from the countrywide rate provide evidence of *de jure* and de facto absence of government control over the company's export activities. Accordingly, we will issue a questionnaire to Puyang Cleanway, which will include a separate rate section. The review will proceed if the response provides sufficient indication that Puyang Cleanway is not subject to either de jure or de facto government control with respect to the export of chlorinated isos. We will instruct U.S. Customs and Border Protection 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 subject merchandise from Puyang Cleanway in accordance with section 751(a)(2)(B)(iii) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.214(e).

Interested parties requiring access to proprietary information in this new shipper review should submit applications for disclosure under administrative protective order in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305 and 351.306.

This initiation and notice are in accordance with section 751(a)(2)(B) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.214 and 351.221(c)(1)(i).

Dated: January 31, 2012.

# Christian Marsh,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

# National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

Proposed Information Collection; Comment Request; Application for Commercial Fisheries Authorization Under the Marine Mammal Protection Act

**AGENCY:** National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See, e.g., Chlorinated Isocyanurates From the People's Republic of China: Initiation of New Shipper Review, 76 FR 6399 (February 4, 2011).

**ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**DATES:** Written comments must be submitted on or before April 6, 2012.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Jennifer Jessup, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 6616, 14th and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at JJessup@doc.gov).

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument and instructions should be directed to Patricia Lawson, (301) 713–2322 or *Patricia.Lawson@noaa.gov*.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### I. Abstract

This request is for extension of a current information collection.

The Marine Mammal Protection Act requires any commercial fisher operating in Category I and II fisheries to register for a certificate of authorization that will allow the fisher to take marine mammals incidental to commercial fishing operations. Category I and II fisheries are those identified by NOAA as having either frequent or occasional takings of marine mammals.

Some states have integrated the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) registration process into the existing state fishery registration process and fishers in those fisheries do not need to file a separate federal registration. If applicable, vessel owners will be notified of this simplified registration process when they apply for their state or Federal permit or license.

## II. Method of Collection

Most fishers have their information imported directly into the Marine Mammal Authorization Program (MMAP) from their state. Otherwise they can fill out the forms on NMFS' Web page or mail in application for exemption made available to them in the NMFS regions.

#### III. Data

OMB Control Number: 0648–0293. Form Number: None.

*Type of Review:* Regular submission (extension of a current information collection).

Affected Public: Business or other forprofit organizations; individuals or households.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 800.

Estimated Time per Response: 15 minutes; 9 minutes for a renewal.

Estimated Total Annual Burden
Hours: 180

Estimated Total Annual Cost to the Public: \$20,336.

#### **IV. Request for Comments**

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (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 respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: February 1, 2012.

## Gwellnar Banks

Management Analyst, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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#### **DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

#### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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# New England Fishery Management Council; Public Meeting

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

**ACTION:** Notice; public meeting.

SUMMARY: The New England Fishery Management Council (Council) is scheduling a public meeting of its Habitat/MPA/Ecosystem Committee, in February 2012, to consider actions affecting New England fisheries in the exclusive economic zone (EEZ). Recommendations from this group will be brought to the full Council for formal consideration and action, if appropriate.

**DATES:** This meeting will be held on Thursday, February 23, 2012, at 9:30 a.m.

ADDRESSES: This meeting will be held at the Sheraton Harborside Hotel, 250 Market Street, Portsmouth, NH 03801; telephone: (603) 431–2300; fax: (603) 433–5649.

Council Address: New England Fishery Management Council, 50 Water Street, Mill 2, Newburyport, MA 01950.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Paul J. Howard, Executive Director, New England Fishery Management Council; telephone: (978) 465–0492.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of this meeting is for the Council's Habitat Committee to recommend management measures for further development and analysis in Omnibus Essential Fish Habitat Amendment 2. Two types of measures will be considered at the meeting: (1) options to minimize the adverse effects of fishing on Essential Fish Habitat and (2) alternatives to protect deep-sea corals from the impacts of fishing.

Note that this meeting was originally planned for January 25, 2012 as the second day of a 2-day meeting, but was cancelled due to scheduling conflicts. However, the management measures listed above were discussed by the Habitat Committee and its Advisory Panel during day one of that meeting, which was held as planned on January 24. The outcomes of those discussions will be considered at this meeting, along with any additional analyses and recommendations prepared by the Habitat Plan Development Team.

Although non-emergency issues not contained in this agenda may come before this group for discussion, those issues may not be the subject of formal action during this meeting. Action will be restricted to those issues specifically listed in this notice and any issues arising after publication of this notice that require emergency action under section 305(c) of the Magnuson-Stevens Act, provided the public has been notified of the Council's intent to take final action to address the emergency.

#### **Special Accommodations**

This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Paul J. Howard, Executive Director, at (978) 465–0492, at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1801 et seq.