

rehabilitation, effects of the proposal on riparian areas, impacts to fish species, snag management, visual quality of the area, travel corridors/linkages and effects on threatened, endangered and sensitive species. This list will be verified, expanded and/or modified based on the public scoping for this proposal.

The Draft EIS is expected to be filed with the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and available for public review in March 1996. At that time, the EPA will publish a Notice of Availability of the Draft EIS in the Federal Register. The comment period on the Draft EIS will be 45 days from the date the Environmental Protection Agency publishes the notice of availability in the Federal Register. It is very important that those interested in management of the Fern Star area participate at that time. To be most helpful, comments on the Draft EIS should be as site-specific as possible. The Final EIS is scheduled to be completed by September 1996.

The Forest Service believes, at this early stage, it is important to give reviewers notice of several court rulings related to public participation in the environmental review process. First, reviewers of draft environmental impact statements must structure their participation in the environmental review of the proposal so that it is meaningful and alerts an agency to the reviewer's position and contentions. *Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Corp. v. NRDC*, 435 U.S. 519, 553 (1978). Also, environmental objections that could be raised at the draft environmental impact statement stage but that are not raised until after completion of the final environmental impact statement may be waived or dismissed by the courts. *City of Angoon v. Hodel*, 803 F.2d 1016, 1022 (9th Cir. 1986) and *Wisconsin Heritages, Inc. v. Harris*, 490 F. Supp. 1334, 1338 (E.D. Wis. 1980). Because of these court rulings, it is very important that those interested in this proposed action participate by the close of the 45-day comment period so that substantive comments and objections are made available to the Forest Service at a time when it can meaningfully consider them and respond to them in the final environmental impact statement.

To assist the Forest Service in identifying and considering issues on the proposed action, comments on the draft environmental impact statement should be as specific as possible. It is also helpful if comments refer to specific pages or chapters of the draft statement. Reviewers may wish to refer to the Council on Environmental Quality Regulations for implementing

the procedural provisions of the National Environmental Policy Act at 40 CFR 1503.3 in addressing these points.

I am the responsible official for this environmental impact statement. My address is Clearwater National Forest, 12730 Highway 12, Orofino, ID 83544.

Dated: October 13, 1995.

James L. Caswell,
Forest Supervisor.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-533-809]

Certain Forged Stainless Steel Flanges From India; Initiation of New Shipper Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

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

ACTION: Notice of initiation of new shipper antidumping duty administrative review.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (the Department) has received a request to conduct a new shipper administrative review of an antidumping duty order with a February anniversary date. In accordance with the Department's Interim Regulations, we are initiating this administrative review.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 30, 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Holly A. Kuga, Office of Antidumping Compliance, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230, telephone: (202) 482-4737.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On September 25, 1995, the Department received a request, in accordance with section 353.22(h)(3)(i) of the Department's interim regulations, for a new shipper review of an antidumping duty order with a February anniversary date.

Initiation of Review

In accordance with section 353.22(h) of the Department's interim regulations, we are initiating a new shipper review of the antidumping duty order on certain forged stainless steel flanges from India. We intend to issue the final results of this review not later than 270

days from the date of publication of this notice.

| Antidumping duty proceeding | Period to be reviewed |
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| India: Certain Forged Stainless Steel Flanges A-533- 809 Viraj | 03/01/95-08/31/95 |

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 in accordance with section 353.22(h)(4) of the Department's interim regulations.

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 Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (19 U.S.C. 1675(a)) and section 353.22(h) of the Department's interim regulations.

Dated: October 25, 1995.

Joseph A. Spetrini,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Compliance.

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[A-821-803]

Titanium Sponge From Russia; Preliminary Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

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

ACTION: Notice of preliminary results of antidumping duty administrative review.

SUMMARY: In response to a request from two U.S. producers, Oregon Metallurgical Corporation (OREMET) and Titanium Metals Corporation (TIMET), the Department of Commerce (the Department) is conducting an administrative review of the antidumping finding on titanium sponge from Russia. The review covers four manufacturers/exporters, VILS-All Union Institute of Light Alloys (VILS), Verkhnyaya Salda Metallurgical Production Organization (VSMPO), V/O Techsnabexport (TENEX), and the Berezniki Titanium-Magnesium Works (AVISMA), and exports of the subject merchandise to the United States for the period August 1, 1992 through July 31, 1993.

We have preliminarily determined that respondents did not export

titanium sponge to the United States during the period of review. If these preliminary results are adopted in our final results of review we will instruct U.S. customs to maintain the cash deposit rate of 83.96 percent, which is the rate established in the final results of the last administrative review of the antidumping finding on titanium sponge from the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.

Interested parties are invited to comment on these preliminary results.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 30, 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David Genovese or Zev Primor, Office of Antidumping Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20230, telephone: (202) 482-5254

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On August 28, 1968, the Department of the Treasury published an antidumping findings on titanium sponge from the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics (USSR) (33 FR 12138). In December 1991, the USSR divided into fifteen independent states. To conform to these changes, the Department changed the original antidumping finding into fifteen findings applicable to the Baltic states and the former Republics of the USSR (57 FR 36070, August 12, 1992).

On August 3, 1993, the Department published a notice of "Opportunity to Request an Administrative Review" (58 FR 41239) of the antidumping finding on titanium sponge from Russia. On August 27 and 30 1993, TIMET and OREMET, respectively, requested an administrative review. The Department initiated the review on September 30, 1993 (58 FR 51053). The Department initiated the review on September 30, 1993 (58 FR 51053), covering the period August 1, 1992, through July 31, 1993. The Department is conducting this review in accordance with section 751 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act). Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the statute and to the Department's regulations are references to the provisions as they existed on December 31, 1994.

Scope of the Review

The merchandise covered by this review is titanium sponge from Russia. Titanium sponge is chiefly used for aerospace vehicles, specifically, in the construction of compressor blades and wheels, stator blades, rotors, and other parts in aircraft gas turbine engines.

Imports of titanium sponge are currently classifiable under the

harmonized tariff schedule (HTS) subheading 8108.10.50.10. The HTS subheading is provided for convenience and U.S. Customs purposes; our written description of the scope of this finding is dispositive.

This review covers four manufacturers/exporters of titanium sponge, VILS, VSMPO, TENEX, and AVISMA. The review period is August 1, 1992, through July 31, 1993.

Preliminary Results of Review

In response to the Department's request for U.S. sales information, VILS, TENEX, and VSMPO, reported that they did not export titanium sponge to the United States during the period of review. AVISMA reported that it produced and sold titanium sponge during the period of review but that it sold to unrelated intermediaries without knowledge of the ultimate destination of the merchandise. Because AVISMA did not have knowledge of the ultimate destination of the merchandise at the time of sale, AVISMA is a non-shipper for the purposes of this review. Accordingly, the effective cash deposit rate for Russian titanium sponge that entered the United States during the period of review will continue to be the rate from the most recent review, which is 83.96 percent.

Parties to the proceeding may request a hearing within 10 days of publication of this notice. Any hearing, if requested, will be held 44 days after the date of publication of this notice, or the first workday thereafter and will be limited to those issues raised in the case briefs and/or written comments. Case briefs and/or written comments from interested parties may be submitted not later than 30 days after the date of publication. Rebuttal briefs and rebuttals to written comments, limited to the issues raised in the case briefs and comments, may be filed not later than 37 days after the date of publication. The Department will publish the final results of this administrative review, including the results of its analysis of any written comments or case briefs.

Furthermore, the following deposit requirement will be effective for all shipments of the subject merchandise, entered or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after the publication date of the final results of this administrative review, as provided by section 751(a)(1) of the Act: the cash deposit rate for entries of titanium sponge from Russia will be that rate established in the final results of this administrative review.

These deposit requirements, when imposed, shall remain in effect until

publication of the final results of the next administrative review.

This notice also serves as a preliminary reminder to importers of their responsibility under 19 CFR 353.26 to file a certificate regarding the reimbursement of antidumping duties prior to liquidation of the relevant entries during this review period. Failure to comply with this requirement could result in the Secretary's presumption that reimbursement of antidumping duties occurred and the subsequent assessment of double antidumping duties.

This administrative review and notice are in accordance with section 751(a)(1) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1675(a)(1)) and 19 CFR 353.22.

Dated: October 20, 1995.

Susan G. Esserman,

Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 101795A]

Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council; Meetings

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

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council and its Demersal Species Committee will hold public meetings.

DATES: The Demersal Species Committee will meet on November 7, 1995, from 1:00 until 5:00 p.m. The Council will meet on November 8, 1995, from 8:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. and again on November 9, 1995, from 8:00 a.m. until noon.

ADDRESSES: The meetings will be held at the Ocean Place Hilton, 1 Ocean Boulevard, Long Branch, NJ 07740; telephone: 908-571-4000.

Council Address: Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council, 300 S. New Street, Dover, DE 19901.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David R. Keifer, Executive Director, Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council; telephone: 302-674-2331.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of these meetings is to review the scup fishery management plan, review the dogfish scoping document, and discuss proposed revisions to the striped bass management program, and