

behavior of different joints (ankle, knee, shoulder, spine, etc.) thus allowing the study of different types of joint trauma and surgical repair of those joints. Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs: August 3, 1998.

Docket Number: 98-042. Applicant: Louisiana State University, Center for Advanced Microstructures and Devices, 6980 Jefferson Highway, Baton Rouge, LA 70806. Instrument: Scanning Tunneling Microscope. Manufacturer: Scideco I/S, Denmark. Intended Use: The instrument will be used to uncover new physical and chemical phenomena at the surface of or in thin films. This will include elucidation of both electronic and atomic structure of material ranging from clean metal surfaces, metal-on-metal films, metal-on-semiconductor thin films, to thin film polymers. Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs: August 6, 1998.

**Frank W. Creel,**

*Director, Statutory Import Programs Staff.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[Docket No. 980413092-8192-02]

RIN 0648-ZA39

#### NOAA Climate and Global Change Program, Program Announcement

**AGENCY:** Office of Global Programs (OGP), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice; amendments.

**SUMMARY:** This document amends a notice published in the **Federal Register** of June 16, 1998, regarding the NOAA Climate and Global Programs. The amendments are intended to show NOAA's interest in supporting new PACS research projects designed to focus on seasonal-to-interannual climate variability over the Americas, and to announce a joint initiative between NOAA and the Department of Energy, contingent upon the availability of funding, to support a global synthesis of ocean CO<sub>2</sub> data, with the ultimate goal of estimating the quantity of anthropogenic CO<sub>2</sub> that has been taken up by the global ocean. The dates for receiving Letters of Intent and full proposals for these amendments are changed. All other dates remain the same.

**DATES:** NOAA/DOE joint initiative research projects do not need Letters of Intent, full proposals must be postmarked on or before September 30, 1998.

New PACS research projects Letter of Intent must be received 30 days after the date of publication in the **Federal Register**, with full proposals postmarked on or before November 6, 1998.

**ADDRESSES:** Proposals may be sent to Office of Global Programs, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, 1100 Wayne Avenue, Suite 1210, Silver Spring, MD 20910-5603.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Irma duPree at the above address or at phone: (301) 427-2089 ext 107, Internet: duPree@ogp.noaa.gov.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Office of Global Programs published a notice describing the Program and funding area descriptions on June 16, 1998. (63 FR 32859.) The program description, evaluation criteria, selection process, background and requirements, as well as guidelines for applications are included in that notice and are not repeated here.

#### Amendments

In the notice, FR Doc. 98-15887, on page 32861, second column, first full paragraph, add the following sentence after the first sentence to read as follows: "NOAA is interested in supporting new PACS research projects to focus on seasonal-to-interannual climate variability over the Americas."

In the same document on page 32861, third column, first full paragraph, add the following sentence to replace the third sentence "Proposals are sought which make use of data collected on both the DOE-sponsored Global CO<sub>2</sub> Survey and the NOAA OACES Program."

**Authority.** 49 U.S.C. 44720; 33 U.S.C. 883d, 883e, 15 U.S.C. 2904; 15 U.S.C. 2931 et seq.

Dated: August 17, 1998.

**J. Michael Hall,**

*Director, Office of Global Programs.*

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## COMMITTEE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE AGREEMENTS

### Adjustment of Import Limits for Certain Cotton and Man-Made Fiber Textile Products Produced or Manufactured in the Republic of Turkey

August 17, 1998.

**AGENCY:** Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements (CITA).

**ACTION:** Issuing a directive to the Commissioner of Customs adjusting limits.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** August 21, 1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Roy Unger, International Trade Specialist, Office of Textiles and Apparel, U.S. Department of Commerce, (202) 482-4212. For information on the quota status of these limits, refer to the Quota Status Reports posted on the bulletin boards of each Customs port or call (202) 927-5850. For information on embargoes and quota re-openings, call (202) 482-3715.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

**Authority:** Section 204 of the Agricultural Act of 1956, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1854); Executive Order 11651 of March 3, 1972, as amended.

The current limits for certain categories are being adjusted, variously, for shift, special shift, and carryover.

A description of the textile and apparel categories in terms of HTS numbers is available in the **CORRELATION:** Textile and Apparel Categories with the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (see **Federal Register** notice 62 FR 66057, published on December 17, 1997). Also see 62 FR 67839, published on December 30, 1997; and 63 FR 27923, published on May 21, 1998.

**Troy H. Cribb,**

*Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.*

#### Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements

August 17, 1998.

Commissioner of Customs,  
*Department of the Treasury, Washington, DC 20229.*

Dear Commissioner: This directive amends, but does not cancel, the directive issued to you on December 22, 1997, as amended on May 14, 1998 and May 18, 1998, by the Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements. That directive, as amended, concerns imports of certain cotton, wool and man-made fiber textile products, produced or manufactured in the Republic of Turkey and exported during the periods January 1, 1998 through December 31, 1998 and June 1, 1998 through December 31, 1998 (Categories 352/652).