

National Forest System under 7 CFR 2.20(a)(2)(ii). The Under Secretary, in turn, has delegated this authority to the Chief of the Forest Service under 7 CFR 2.60(a)(2). The authority to acquire and dispose of lands and interests in land includes the authority to determine whether certain conditions precedent to the acquisition or disposal, such as those specified in subsection 1023(c)(2) of the Opal Creek bill, have been met. Forest Service Manual 5404.14 further delegates authorities associated with the land adjustment program from the Chief to the Regional Foresters.

Inwitness whereof, the United States, by its Regional Forester, Pacific Northwest Region, Forest Service, has executed this document pursuant to the delegations of authority described above.

Dated: November 9, 1998.

Robert W. Williams,

Pacific Northwest Region, Regional Forester.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of the Census

[Docket No. 981109281-8281-01]

Annual Retail Trade Survey

AGENCY: Bureau of the Census, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of Determination.

SUMMARY: In accordance with Title 13, United States Code, Sections 182, 224, and 225, I have determined that the Census Bureau needs to collect data covering annual sales, year-end inventories, purchases, and accounts receivables to provide a sound statistical basis for the formation of policy by various Government agencies. These data also apply to a variety of public and business needs. This annual survey is a continuation of similar retail trade surveys conducted each year since 1951 (except 1954). It provides, on a comparable classification basis, annual sales, purchases, and accounts receivable for 1998 and year-end inventories for 1997 and 1998. These data are not available publicly on a timely basis from nongovernmental or other governmental sources.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ronald Piencykoski or Dorothy Engleking on (301) 457-2713.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Census Bureau is authorized to take surveys necessary to furnish current data on the subjects covered by the major censuses authorized by Title 13,

United States Code. This survey will provide continuing and timely national statistical data on retail trade for the period between economic censuses. The data collected in this survey will be within the general scope and nature of those inquiries covered in the economic census.

The Census Bureau will require a selected sample of firms operating retail establishments in the United States (with sales size determining the probability of selection) to report in the 1998 Annual Retail Trade Survey. We will furnish report forms to the firms covered by this survey and will require their submissions within thirty days after receipt. The sample will provide, with measurable reliability, statistics on the subjects specified above.

The survey has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB), in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act, Public Law 96-511, as amended, and approved under OMB Control Number 0607-0013. We will provide copies of the form upon written request to the Director, Bureau of Census, Washington, DC 20233-0001.

Based upon the foregoing, I have directed that an annual survey be conducted for the purpose of collecting these data.

Dated: November 10, 1998.

Kenneth Prewitt,

Director, Bureau of the Census.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of the Census

[Docket No. 981109282-8282-01]

Annual Trade Survey

AGENCY: Bureau of the Census, Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of Determination.

SUMMARY: In accordance with Title 13, United States Code, Sections 182, 224, and 225, I have determined that the Census Bureau needs to collect data covering year-end inventories, annual sales, and purchases to provide a sound statistical basis for the formation of policy by various Government agencies. These data also apply to a variety of public and business needs. This annual survey is a continuation of similar wholesale trade surveys conducted each year since 1978. It provides, on a comparable classification basis, annual sales and purchases for 1998 and year-end inventories for 1997 and 1998. These data are not available publicly on

a timely basis from nongovernmental or other governmental sources.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Ronald Piencykoski or Dorothy Engleking on (301) 457-2713.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Census Bureau is authorized to take surveys necessary to furnish current data on the subjects covered by the major censuses authorized by Title 13, United States Code. This survey will provide continuing and timely national statistical data on wholesale trade for the period between economic censuses. The data collected in this survey will be within the general scope and nature of those inquiries covered in the economic census.

The Census Bureau will require a selected sample of firms operating merchant wholesale establishments in the United States (with sales size determining the probability of selection) to report in the 1998 Annual Trade Survey. We will furnish report forms to the firms covered by this survey and will require their submissions within thirty days after receipt. The sample will provide, with measurable reliability, statistics on the subjects specified above.

The survey has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB), in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act, Public Law 96-511, as amended, and approved under OMB Control Number 0607-0195. We will provide copies of the form upon written request to the Director, Bureau of Census, Washington, DC 20233-0001.

Based upon the foregoing, I have directed that an annual survey be conducted for the purpose of collecting these data.

Dated: November 10, 1998.

Kenneth Prewitt,

Director, Bureau of the Census.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board

[Docket 51-98]

Foreign-Trade Zone 184, Klamath Falls, OR; Reissuance of Grant of Authority

An application has been submitted to the Foreign-Trade Zones Board (the Board) by the City of Klamath Falls, Oregon, grantee of FTZ 184, requesting reissuance of the grant of authority for FTZ 184 to Klamath International Trade and Transportation Services, Inc., an Oregon for-profit corporation which is authorized to apply to the FTZ Board to

become the grantee of FTZ 184 under a special act of the Oregon Legislature, approved on June 12, 1997 (ORS 307.850, Section 2). Klamath International Trade and Transportation Services, Inc. has concurrently requested that the FTZ 184 grant of authority be reissued with Klamath International Trade and Transportation Services, Inc. as grantee. The application was submitted pursuant to the Foreign-Trade Zones Act, as amended (19 U.S.C. 81a-81u), and the regulations of the Board (15 CFR part 400). It was formally filed on November 9, 1998.

In accordance with the Board's regulations, a member of the FTZ Staff has been designated examiner to investigate the application and report to the Board.

Public comment on the application is invited from interested parties. Submissions (original and three copies) shall be addressed to the Board's Executive Secretary at the address below. The closing period for their receipt is January 19, 1999. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period to February 2, 1999.

A copy of the application and the accompanying exhibits will be available for public inspection at each of the following locations:

Office of the Executive Secretary,
Foreign-Trade Zones Board, U.S.
Department of Commerce, Room
3716, 14th & Pennsylvania Avenue,
NW, Washington, DC 20230
Office of the Area Port Director, U.S.
Customs Service, 511 NW Broadway,
Rm 198, Portland, OR 97209

Dated: November 9, 1998.

Dennis Puccinelli,

Acting Executive Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-428-811]

Hot Rolled Lead and Bismuth Carbon Steel Products From Germany: 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 of preliminary results of review.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (the Department) is extending the time limit for the preliminary results of the administrative review of the antidumping duty order on hot rolled lead and bismuth carbon steel products from Germany. The review covers one manufacturer/exporter and the period March 1, 1997, through February 28, 1998.

EFFECTIVE DATE: November 19, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Javier Barrientos or Stephanie Moore, Office of AD/CVD Enforcement VI, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone: (202) 482-2849 or (202) 482-3692, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION: Because it is not practicable to complete this review within the initial time limits established by section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), the Department is extending the time limits for completion of the preliminary results until no later than March 31, 1999. See Decision Memorandum to Robert S. LaRussa, dated October 30, 1998, which is a public document on file in the Central Records Unit.

This extension is in accordance with section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1675(a)(3)(A)).

Dated: November 13, 1998.

Holly A. Kuga,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-412-810]

Hot-Rolled Lead and Bismuth Carbon Steel Products from the United Kingdom; Antidumping Duty Administrative Review; Time Limits

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

ACTION: Notice of extension of time limits of preliminary results of review.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (the Department) is extending the time limits of the preliminary results of the fifth antidumping duty administrative review of the antidumping duty order on hot rolled lead and bismuth carbon steel products from the United

Kingdom. The review covers one manufacturer/exporter of the subject merchandise to the United States for the period March 1, 1997, through February 28, 1998.

EFFECTIVE DATE: November 16, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Russell Morris, Office of AD/CVD Enforcement VI, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone: (202) 482-1167.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Because it is not practicable to complete this review within the initial time limits established by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act, pursuant to 751(a)(3)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), the Department is extending the time limits for completion of the preliminary results until no later than March 31, 1999. See Memorandum to Robert S. LaRussa, dated November 5, 1998, which is a public document on file in the Central Records Unit.

This extension is in accordance with section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1675(a)(3)(A)).

Dated: November 18, 1998.

Holly A. Kuga,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[C-428-812]

Hot-Rolled Lead and Bismuth Carbon Steel Products From Germany: Extension of Time Limit for Preliminary Results of Countervailing Duty Administrative Review

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

ACTION: Notice of extension of time limits of preliminary results of review.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (the Department) is extending the time limit for the preliminary results of the administrative review of the countervailing duty order on hot rolled lead and bismuth carbon steel products from Germany. The review covers one manufacturer/exporter and the period January 1, 1997, through December 31, 1997.

EFFECTIVE DATE: November 19, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Robert Copyak or Eric B. Greynolds,