

(1) Pursuant to section 705(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. § 1671d(b)) (the Act), that an industry in the United States is materially injured by reason of imports from Belgium, Italy, and South Africa of certain hot-rolled stainless steel plate in coils³ that have been found by the Department of Commerce to be subsidized by the Governments of Belgium, Italy, and South Africa;⁴

(2) Pursuant to section 735(b) of the Act (19 U.S.C. § 1673d(b)), that an industry in the United States is materially injured by reason of imports of certain hot-rolled stainless steel plate in coils from Belgium, Canada, Italy, Korea, South Africa, and Taiwan that have been found by Commerce to be sold in the United States at less than fair value (LTFV);⁵

(3) Pursuant to section 705(b) of the Act (19 U.S.C. § 1671d(b)), that an industry in the United States is not materially injured or threatened with material injury, and the establishment of an industry in the United States is not materially retarded, by reason of imports from Belgium of certain cold-rolled stainless steel plate in coils that have been found by Commerce to be subsidized by the Government of Belgium;⁶

(4) Pursuant to section 735(b) of the Act (19 U.S.C. § 1673d(b)), that an industry in the United States is not materially injured or threatened with material injury, and the establishment of an industry in the United States is not materially retarded, by reason of imports from Belgium and Canada of certain cold-rolled stainless steel plate in coils that have been found by

plate in coils and voting in the negative or finding imports to be negligible with respect to certain cold-rolled stainless steel plate in coils. Chairman Lynn M. Bragg and Commissioner Stephen Koplan find one domestic like product encompassing both certain hot-rolled stainless steel plate in coils and certain cold-rolled stainless steel plate in coils, and vote in the affirmative.

³ Imports of certain stainless steel plate in coils, both hot-rolled and cold-rolled, are provided for in subheadings 7219.11.00, 7219.12.00, 7219.31.00, 7219.90.00, 7220.11.00, 7220.20.10, 7220.20.60, and 7220.90.00 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States. For purposes of these investigations, the Commission defines certain hot-rolled stainless plate in coils as all domestic product corresponding to the scope of the investigations except for certain cold-rolled stainless steel plate in coils. The Commission defines certain cold-rolled stainless steel plate in coils as all domestic product corresponding to the scope of the investigations that has undergone a cold-reduction process that reduced the thickness of the steel by 25 percent or more, and has been annealed and pickled after cold reduction.

⁴ Chairman Bragg and Commissioner Koplan made affirmative determinations on a single domestic like product encompassing both certain hot-rolled stainless steel plate in coils and certain cold-rolled stainless steel plate in coils.

⁵ Ibid.

⁶ Ibid.

Commerce to be sold in the United States at LTFV;⁷ and

(5) Pursuant to section 771(24)(A) of the Act (19 U.S.C. § 1677(24)(A)), that imports of certain cold-rolled stainless steel plate in coils from Italy, Korea, South Africa, and Taiwan that have been found by Commerce to be subsidized and/or sold in the United States at LTFV are negligible.^{8,9}

Background

The Commission instituted these investigations effective March 31, 1998, following receipt of a petition filed with the Commission and the Department of Commerce on behalf of Armco, Inc., Pittsburgh, PA; J&L Specialty Steel, Inc., Pittsburgh, PA; Lukens Inc., Coatesville, PA; North American Stainless, Ghent, KY; and the United Steelworkers of America, AFL-CIO/CLC. The final phase of the investigations was scheduled by the Commission following notification of preliminary determinations by the Department of Commerce that imports of certain stainless steel plate in coils from Belgium, Canada, Italy, Korea, South Africa, and Taiwan were being subsidized and/or sold in the United States at LTFV within the meaning of sections 703(b) and 733(b) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1671b(b) and 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 December 9, 1998 (63 FR 67918). The hearing was held in Washington, DC, on March 23, 1999, and all persons who requested the opportunity were permitted to appear in person or by counsel.

The Commission transmitted its determinations in these investigations to the Secretary of Commerce on May 3, 1999. The views of the Commission are contained in USITC Publication 3188 (May 1999), entitled Certain Stainless Steel Plate from Belgium, Canada, Italy, Korea, South Africa, and Taiwan: Investigations Nos. 701-TA-376, 377, and 379 (Final) and Investigations Nos. 731-TA-788-793 (Final).

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⁷ Ibid.

⁸ Ibid.

⁹ Investigations regarding such imports are therefore terminated.

By order of the Commission.

Donna R. Koehnke,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Immigration and Naturalization Service

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice of Information Collection under Review: Freedom of Information Privacy Act Request.

The Department of Justice, Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) has submitted the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The information collection was previously published in the **Federal Register** February 25, 1999 at 63 FR 9350, allowing for a 60-day public comment period. No comments were received by the INS and this proposed information collection.

The purpose of this notice is to allow an additional 30 days for public comments. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted until June 12, 1999. This process is conducted in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.10.

Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the items contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the Office of Management and Budget, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Stuart Shapiro, Department of Justice Desk Officer, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20530; 202-395-7316.

Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information should address one or more of the following four points:

(1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

Overview of this Information Collection:

(1) *Type of Information Collection:* Revision of currently approved collection.

(2) *Title of the Form/Collection:* Freedom of Information/Privacy Act Request.

(3) *Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the Department of Justice sponsoring the collection:* Form G-639. FOIA/PA Section, Immigration and Naturalization Service.

(4) *Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:* Primary: Individuals or Households. This form is provided as a convenient means for persons to provide data necessary for identification of a particular record desired under FOIA/PA.

(5) *An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated for an average respondent to respond:* 100,000 responses at 15 minutes (.25) hours per response.

(6) *An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection:* 25,000 annual burden hours.

If you have additional comments, suggestions, or need a copy of the proposed information collection instrument with instructions, or additional information, please contact Richard A. Sloan (202) 514-3291, Director, Policy Directives and Instructions Branch, Immigration and Naturalization Service, U.S. Department of Justice, Room 5307, 425 I Street, NW., Washington, DC 20536. Additionally, comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time may also be directed to Mr. Richard A. Sloan.

If additional information is required contact: Mr. Robert B. Briggs, Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Information Management and Security Staff, Justice Management Division, Suite 850, Washington Center, 1001 G Street, NW., Washington, DC 20530.

Dated: May 5, 1999.

Steve Tarragon,

Acting Department Clearance Officer, United States Department of Justice, Immigration and Naturalization Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Mine Safety and Health Administration

Petitions for Modification

The following parties have filed petitions to modify the application of mandatory safety standards under section 101(c) of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977.

1. Island Creek Coal Company

[Docket No. M-1999-022-C]

Island Creek Coal Company, Consol Plaza, 1800 Washington Road, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15241-1421 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.364(b)(2) (weekly examination) to its Ohio No. 11 Mine (I.D. No. 15-03178) located in Union County, Kentucky. The petitioner states that due to a massive roof fall along the 2nd South Panel return in the #5 entry, including but limited to crosscut 15, the affected area cannot be traveled safely in its entirety to conduct weekly examinations. The petitioner proposes to: (i) Establish evaluation points on the side of the roof fall at crosscut 15; (ii) have a qualified person test for methane and the quantity of air at each evaluation point on a weekly basis; and (iii) have the person conducting the test record the results, date, time, and his/her initials in a record book kept on the surface and made available for inspection by interested persons. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as would the mandatory standard.

2. Consolidation Coal Company

[Docket No. M-1999-023-C]

Consolidation Coal Company, Consol Plaza, 1800 Washington Road, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15241-1421 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.364(b)(2) (weekly examination) to its Rend Lake Mine (I.D. No. 11-00601) located in Jefferson County, Illinois. The petitioner states that due to a massive roof fall in the West side return from the B shaft to the Second Main West return air course, the area cannot be traveled safely in its entirety to conduct weekly examinations. The petitioner proposes

to: (i) Establish evaluation points A and B to take air and gas measurements; (ii) to maintain the evaluation points and all approaches to the evaluation points in good condition at all times; (iii) have a certified person test for methane and the quantity of air on a weekly basis and record the results, date, time, and his/her initials in a book kept on the surface and made available for inspection by interested persons. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as would the mandatory standard.

3. Goodin Creek Contracting, Inc.

[Docket No. M-1999-024-C]

Goodin Creek Contracting, Inc., Rt 1 Box 419-A1, Gray, Kentucky 40734 has filed a petition to modify the application of 30 CFR 75.364(b)(2) (weekly examination) to its Goodin Creek Mine (I.D. No. 15-17980) located in Knox County, Kentucky. The petitioner states that due to unsafe roof conditions in certain areas of the return air course, traveling the area to conduct examinations would be unsafe. The petitioner proposes to establish monitoring locations in each entry at crosscut 2 in the return to monitor air leaving the affected area of the air course and in each entry at crosscut 16 in the return to monitor air entering the affected area of the air course. The petitioner also proposes to: (i) Have a certified person conduct weekly evaluations at each of the monitoring locations to measure the quality and quantity of air entering and leaving the locations to determine methane and oxygen concentrations; (ii) have the examiner record the results of the examinations in a book kept on the surface with the date, time, and his/her initials and made available to all interested parties; (iii) maintain all monitoring locations and approaches to the monitoring locations in a safe condition at all times; (iv) post a sign in the main travelway showing the safe travel route to each monitoring location; (v) maintain methane gas or other harmful, noxious, or poisonous gases at legal limits for return air; (vi) instruct all personnel not to travel in the affected area prior to implementing the proposed alternate method; and (vii) only permit entry to the affected area for investigating significant problems with the air flow being detected through the monitoring process. The petitioner asserts that the proposed alternative method would provide at least the same measure of protection as would the mandatory standard.