

industries. The system was constructed on a production-oriented, or supply-based, conceptual framework.

Effective with the 1999 survey, the Census Bureau proposes to change the SAS survey questionnaires to reflect the many changes brought about by NAICS. We are expanding the number of form types and are developing these forms to be more tailored to the industries they survey. The goal is to maximize industry coverage within our available resources.

The revision to the SAS will increase industry coverage. Previously, a single summary report was produced for each of the three surveys. We will now produce multiple data products and reports by various sectors.

The SAS will produce estimates of total receipts for all industries covered and source of receipts and other expanded data items for the following sectors:

- Trucking (484).
 - Information (51).
 - Selected industries in Finance and Insurance (52).
 - Computer Systems Design and Related Services Industry (5415).
 - Health and Social Assistance Sector (62) except subsector 624 (Social Assistance).
- The SAS will provide dollar volume estimates for specific industries in the following NAICS sectors:
- Transportation and Warehousing (48-49).
 - Information (51).
 - Finance and Insurance (52).
 - Real Estate and Rental and Leasing (53).
 - Professional Scientific and Technical Services (54).
 - Administrative and Support, Waste Management and Remediation Services (56).
 - Educational Services (61).
 - Health and Social Assistance (62).
 - Arts, Entertainment and Recreation (71).
 - Other Services (81).

The Census Bureau need report only from a limited sample of service sector firms in the United States. The probability of a firm's selection is based on its revenue size (estimated from payroll). We will mail report forms to the firms covered by this survey and require their submission within thirty days after receipt.

Preliminary information and recommendations received by the Census Bureau indicate that the data have significant application to the informational needs of government agencies, the public, and the service, transportation, information, finance, and other service industries. The data

are not publicly available from nongovernmental or other governmental sources on a timely and continuing basis.

This survey will be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget for approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. Copies of the proposed forms are available upon request to the Director of the Census Bureau (see ADDRESSES section).

Dated: August 27, 1999.

Kenneth Prewitt,

Director, Bureau of the Census.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

North American Free-Trade Agreement, Article 1904; NAFTA Panel Reviews; Notice of Completion of Panel Review

AGENCY: NAFTA Secretariat, United States Section, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of Completion of Panel Review of the final remand determination made by the U.S. International Trade Administration, in the matter of Porcelain-on-Steel Cookware from Mexico, Secretariat File No. USA-97-1904-07.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the Order of the Binational Panel dated July 9, 1999, affirming the final remand described above was completed on July 20, 1999.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Caratina L. Alston, United States Secretary, NAFTA Secretariat, Suite 2061, 14th and Constitution Avenue, Washington, DC 20230, (202) 482-5438.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On July 9, 1999, the Binational Panel issued an order which affirmed the final remand determination of the United States International Trade Administration ("ITA") concerning Porcelain-on-Steel Cookware from Mexico. The Secretariat was instructed to issue a Notice of Completion of Panel Review on the 31st day following the issuance of the Notice of Final Panel Action, if no request for an Extraordinary Challenge was filed. No such request was filed. Therefore, on the basis of the Panel Order and Rule 80 of the *Article 1904 Panel Rules*, the Panel Review was completed and the panelists discharged from their duties effective August 20, 1999.

Dated: September 20, 1999.

Caratina L. Alston,

United States Secretary, NAFTA Secretariat.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 083199B]

Fisheries Off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; Availability of a Limited Access Permit

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

ACTION: Availability of a limited access permit.

SUMMARY: The Acting Regional Administrator (Regional Administrator), Southwest Region, notifies all potential applicants that one permit is available for the Ho'omalulu Zone limited access bottomfish fishery in the Northwestern Hawaiian Islands (NWHI). Applications are being accepted and NMFS will issue a Ho'omalulu permit to a qualifying vessel owner in accordance with the Fishery Management Plan for Bottomfish and Seamount Groundfish Fisheries of the Western Pacific Region (FMP).

DATES: Applications must be filed no later than November 8, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Applications may be obtained from, and completed applications must be sent to, the Pacific Islands Area Office, Southwest Region, NMFS, 1601 Kapiolani Blvd., Suite 1110, Honolulu, HI 96814.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Alvin Katekaru, NMFS, (808) 973-2935 ext 207.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: At the Western Pacific Fishery Management Council (Council) meeting held on July 15 - 18, 1999, the Administrator of the Pacific Islands Area Office, NMFS, (PIAO Administrator) informed the Council that a Ho'omalulu Zone permit holder was determined to be ineligible for permit renewal during calendar year 1999. The permit was lost under the Ho'omalulu Zone's limited access program "use it or lose it" requirement when the permit holder's vessel failed to make the minimum number of annual bottomfish landings to be eligible for permit renewal. The Regional Administrator, in consultation with the Council, has determined that the Ho'omalulu Zone fishery can still support seven bottomfishing vessels at this time.

The Regional Administrator will issue one permit to an eligible applicant to maintain the current total.

Any prospective applicant may file an application for a Ho'omalau Zone permit. Forms will be provided by the Pacific Islands Area Office, Southwest Region, NMFS (See ADDRESSES). In accordance with 50 CFR 660.61 (g)(1) a permit will be awarded based on a point system as follows:

(1) Two points will be assigned for each year in which the applicant was owner or captain of a vessel that made three or more qualifying landings of bottomfish in the NWHI. A qualifying landing is: (a) Any amount of bottomfish management unit species, regardless of weight, if made on or before August 7, 1985; (b) At least 2,500 lb (1,134 kg) of bottomfish management unit species, if made after August 7, 1985; or (c) At least 2,500 lb (1,134 kg) of any fish legally harvested from the NWHI, of which at least 50 percent by weight was bottomfish, if made after August 7, 1985.

(2) One point will be assigned for each year in which the applicant was owner or captain of a vessel that landed at least 6,000 lb (2,722 kg) of bottomfish from the main Hawaiian Islands.

(3) For any one year, points will be assigned for bottomfish landed from either the NWHI or the main Hawaiian Islands, but not for a combination of both areas.

Applicants must maintain their own files or valid documentation verifying claims of accrued points. Copies of these documents must accompany all permit applications. A permit shall be awarded to a qualifying applicant in descending order, starting with the applicant with the largest number of points. If two or more persons have an equal number of points, and there are insufficient new permits for all such applicants, the new permit shall be awarded by the Regional Administrator through a lottery. An applicant must own at least a 25-percent share in the vessel that the permit would cover, and only one permit will be assigned to any vessel. No additional permits will be issued to any vessel owner who already has a Ho'omalau Zone bottomfish permit or to a vessel owner whose permit was not renewed for the 1999 permit year. Also, in considering applications for a Ho'omalau Zone permit the Regional Administrator will follow the guidance recommended by the Council at its 91st meeting, November 18–21, 1996: (1) No State of Hawaii fish catch reports used to document eligibility points will be accepted that are more than 1 year delinquent; (2) only State of Hawaii fish catch reports will be accepted by NMFS

to validate accrued qualifying points demonstrating historical participation in the Hawaiian Islands bottomfish fishery; (3) the cutoff date for applications is 45 days after publication of this notice of availability in the **Federal Register**; (4) relief captains and vessel owners must provide vessel insurance records or legal certificates of documentation demonstrating the minimum 25 percent ownership in the vessel; and (5) only records of bottomfish management unit species will be used for assigning qualifying points.

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

Dated: September 17, 1999.

Bruce C. Morehead,

Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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Marine Fisheries Advisory Committee; Public Meetings

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

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of meetings of the Marine Fisheries Advisory Committee (MAFAC) from October 25–28, 1999.

DATES: The meetings are scheduled as follows:

October 25, 1999, 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
October 26, 1999, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
October 27, 1999, 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
October 28, 1999, 8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meetings will be held at NOAA Fisheries, 1315 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, at the Department of Commerce, Herbert C. Hoover Building, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C., and at the Hotel Washington, 515 15th Street, NW, Washington, D.C. Requests for special accommodations may be directed to MAFAC, Office of Operations, Management and Information, NMFS, 1315 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, MD 20910.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Elizabeth Lu Cano, Designated Federal Officer; telephone: (301) 713–2252.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: As required by section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5

U.S.C. App. (1982), notice is hereby given of meetings of MAFAC and MAFAC Subcommittees. MAFAC was established by the Secretary of Commerce (Secretary) on February 17, 1971, to advise the Secretary on all living marine resource matters that are the responsibility of the Department of Commerce. This Committee ensures that the living marine resource policies and programs of the Nation are adequate to meet the needs of commercial and recreational fisheries, and of environmental, state, consumer, academic, and other national interests.

Matters to Be Considered

October 25, 1999

Orientation and program briefings for new MAFAC members

October 26, 1999

Legislative, Budget, Fisheries Overcapacity, and Multi-Disciplinary Science Subcommittee Meetings

October 27, 1999

Legislative Subcommittee Report and Recommendations, Budget Subcommittee Report and Recommendations, Multi-Disciplinary Science Subcommittee Report and Recommendations, and Fisheries Overcapacity Subcommittee Report and Recommendations

October 28, 1999

Constituent Outreach and Communication Presentation and Recommendations, Vessel Monitoring Systems Presentation and Recommendations, Steering Committee Report, and Full Committee

Discussion and Recommendations

Time will be set aside for public comment on agenda items.

Special Accommodations

These meetings are physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to MAFAC (see ADDRESSES).

Dated: September 20, 1999.

Andrew A. Rosenberg,

Deputy Assistant Administrator, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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