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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Forest Service

Opal Creek Scenic Recreation Area (SRA) Advisory Council

AGENCY: Forest Service, USDA.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: An Opal Creek Scenic Recreation Area Advisory Council meeting will convene in Stayton, Oregon on Monday, March 19, 2001. The meeting is scheduled to begin at 6:00 p.m., and will conclude at approximately 8:30 p.m. The meeting will be held in the South Room of the Stayton Community Center located on 400 West Virginia Street in Stayton, Oregon.

The Opal Creek Wilderness and Opal Creek Scenic Recreation Area Act of 1996 (Opal Creek Act) (Pub. L. 104-208) directed the Secretary of Agriculture to establish the Opal Creek Scenic Recreation Area Advisory Council. The Advisory Council is comprised of thirteen members representing state, county and city governments, and representatives of various organizations, which include mining industry, environmental organizations, inholders in Opal Creek Scenic Recreation Area, economic development, Indian tribes, adjacent landowners and recreation interests. The council provides advice to the Secretary of Agriculture on preparation of a comprehensive Opal Creek Management Plan for the SRA, and consults on a periodic and regular basis on the management of the area. The tentative agenda will include refining issue statements and describing the desired future condition of the SRA.

The public comment period is tentatively scheduled to begin at 8:00 p.m. Time allotted for individual presentations will be limited to 3 minutes. Written comments are encouraged, particularly if the material cannot be presented within the time

limits of the comment period. Written comments may be submitted prior to the March 19 meeting by sending them to Designated Federal Official Stephanie Phillips at the address given below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For more information regarding this meeting, contact Designated Federal Official Stephanie Phillips; Willamette National Forest, Detroit Ranger District, HC 73 Box 320, Mill City, OR 97360; (503) 854-3366.

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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Meeting; Sunshine Act Notice

AGENCY: U.S. Commission on Civil Rights.

DATE AND TIME: Friday, March 9, 2001, 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, 624 Ninth Street, NW., Room 540, Washington, DC 20425.

STATUS:

Agenda

- I. Approval of Agenda.
- II. Approval of Minutes of February 16, 2001 Meeting.
- III. Announcements.
- IV. Staff Director's Report.
- V. Project Planning.
- VI. Status Report on Voting Rights Issues.
- VII. State Advisory Committee Report:
 - Reconciliation at a Crossroads: The Implications of Rice V. Cayetano on Programs for Native Hawaiians (Hawaii);
 - The Decision to Prosecute Drug Offense and Homicides in Marion County, Indiana (Indiana).
- VIII. Future Agenda Items.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David Aronson, Press and Communications (202) 376-8312.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Implementation of Tariff Rate Quota Established Under Title V of the Trade and Development Act of 2000 for Imports of Certain Worsted Wool Fabric

ACTION: Proposed collection; comment request.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burdens, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)).

DATES: Written comments must be submitted on or before May 4, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Madeleine Clayton, Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Department of Commerce, Room 6086, 14th & Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230. Phone number: (202) 482-3272 or via the Internet at MClayton@doc.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Request for additional information or copies of the information collection instrument and instructions should be directed to: Sergio Botero, Trade Development, Room 3119, 14th & Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230; Phone number: (202) 482-4058 and fax number: (202) 482-0667.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

Title V of the Trade and Development Act of 2000 ("the Act") contains several provisions to assist the wool products industries. These include the establishment of tariff rate quotas (TRQ) for a limited quantity of worsted wool fabrics. The Act requires the President to fairly allocate the TRQ to persons who cut and sew men's and boys' worsted wool suits and suit like jackets and trousers in the United States, and who apply for an allocation based on the amount of suits they produce in the prior year. The Act further requires the President, on an annual basis, to consider requests from the manufacturers of the apparel products

listed above, to modify the limitation on the quantity of imports subject to the TRQ. The Act specifies factors to be considered in making determinations on such requests. The TRQ is effective for goods entered or withdrawn from warehouse for consumption, on or after January 1, 2001, and will remain in force through 2003. A TRQ allocation will be valid only in the year for which it is issued.

On December 1, 2000, the President issued Proclamation 7383 that, among other things, delegates authority to the Secretary of Commerce to allocate the TRQ; to consider, on an annual basis, requests to modify the limitation on the quantity of the TRQ and to recommend appropriate modifications to the President; and to issue regulations to implement these provisions. On January 22, 2001, the Department of Commerce published regulations establishing procedures for allocation of the tariff rate quotas (66 FR 6459, 15 CFR part 335) and for considering requests for modification of the limitations (66 FR 6459, 15 CFR part 340). The Department must collect certain information in order to fairly allocate the TRQ to eligible persons and to make informed recommendations to the President on whether or not to modify the limitation on the quantity of the TRQ. The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) has approved this information collection request (OMB Number 0625-0240) with an expiration date of July 31, 2001. This request for comment is for the proposed information collection after July 31, 2001.

II. Method of Collection

The information collection forms will be provided via the Internet and by mail to requesting firms.

III. Data

OMB Number: 0625-0240.

Form Number: ITA-4137P, ITA-4138P, ITA-4139, and ITA-4140P.

Type of Review: Regular.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 35.

Estimated Time Per Response: 1-24 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 1,222 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Costs: \$207,275.

The estimated annual cost for this collection is \$207,275 (\$66,825 for respondents and \$140,450 for federal government).

IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and costs) of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: February 27, 2001.

Madeleine Clayton,

Departmental Forms Clearance Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation; Opportunity To Request Administrative Review

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

ACTION: Notice of opportunity to request administrative review of antidumping or countervailing duty order, finding, or suspended investigation.

Background

Each year during the anniversary month of the publication of an antidumping or countervailing duty order, finding, or suspension of investigation, an interested party, as defined in section 771(9) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), may request, in accordance with section 351.213(2000) of the Department of Commerce (the Department) Regulations, that the Department conduct an administrative review of that antidumping or countervailing duty order, finding, or suspended investigation.

Opportunity To Request a Review

Not later than the last day of March 2001, interested parties may request administrative review of the following orders, findings, or suspended investigations, with anniversary dates in March for the following periods:

| | Period |
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| Antidumping Duty Proceeding | |
| Bangladesh: Cotton Shop Towels, A-538-802 | 3/1/00-2/28/01 |
| Canada: Iron Construction Castings, A-122-503 | 3/1/00-2/28/01 |
| France: Brass Sheet & Strip, A-427-602 | 3/1/00-2/28/01 |
| Germany: Brass Sheet & Strip, A-428-602 | 3/1/00-2/28/01 |
| India: Sulfanilic Acid, A-533-806 | 3/1/00-2/28/01 |
| Italy: Brass Sheet & Strip, A-475-601 | 3/1/00-2/28/01 |
| Japan: Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings, A-588-702 | 3/1/00-2/28/01 |
| Spain: Stainless Steel Bar, A-469-805 | 3/1/00-2/28/01 |
| Taiwan: Light-Walled Welded Rectangular Carbon Steel Tubing, A-583-803 | 3/1/00-2/28/01 |
| Thailand: Circular Welded Carbon Steel Pipes & Tubes, A-549-502 | 3/1/00-2/28/01 |
| The People's Republic of China: | |
| Chloropicrin, A-570-002 | 3/1/00-2/28/01 |
| Glycine, A-570-836 | 3/1/00-2/28/01 |
| Countervailing Duty Proceeding | |
| France: Brass Sheet and Strip, C-427-603 | 1/1/00-12/31/00 |
| India: Sulfanilic Acid, C-533-807 | 1/1/00-12/31/00 |
| Iran: In-Shell Pistachios Nuts, C-507-501 | 1/1/00-12/31/00 |