

published its notice of affirmative preliminary determination in the **Federal Register** (66 FR 21314).

On or after the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, Customs Service officers must require, at the same time as importers would normally deposit estimated duties, a cash deposit equal to the estimated weighted-average antidumping duty margins as noted below. The "PRC-Wide" rate applies to all exporters of subject merchandise not specifically listed. The weighted-average dumping margins are as follows:

Manufacturer/exporter	Margin (percent)
Minmetals Precious & Rare Minerals Import and Export/China National Nonferrous Metals Industry Trading Group Corp	24.67
PRC-Wide Rate	305.56

This notice constitutes the antidumping duty order with respect to pure magnesium in granular form from the People's Republic of China, pursuant to section 736(a) of the Act. Interested parties may contact the Department's Central Records Unit, Room B-099 of the Main Commerce Building, for copies of an updated list of antidumping duty orders currently in effect.

This order is published in accordance with section 736(a) of Act and 19 CFR 351.211.

Dated: November 13, 2001.

Faryar Shirzad,

Assistant Secretary for, Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-337-804]

Certain Preserved Mushrooms From Chile: Notice of Extension of Time Limit for Preliminary Results in Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: November 19, 2001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sophie Castro at (202) 482-0588, or David J. Goldberger at (202) 482-4136, Office 2, AD/CVD Enforcement Group I, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department

of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC, 20230.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce is extending the time limit for the preliminary results of the administrative review of the antidumping duty order on certain preserved mushrooms from Chile, which covers the period December 1, 1999, through November 30, 2000.

Applicable Statute: Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Act by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act. In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department of Commerce (the Department) regulations are to 19 CFR part 351 (April 2000).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act, the Department shall make a preliminary determination in an administrative review of an antidumping duty order within 245 days after the last day of the anniversary month of the date of publication of the order. The Act further provides, however, that the Department may extend that 245-day period to 365 days if it determines it is not practicable to complete the review within the foregoing time period.

On July 19, 2001, the Department partially extended the time limit for the preliminary results until November 15, 2001 (*see Certain Preserved Mushrooms from Chile: Notice of Extension of Time Limit for Preliminary Results in Antidumping Duty Administrative Review*, 66 FR 37640). The Department now finds that, given the complexity of the issues involved in this case and the need to analyze further the information provided by the parties, it must extend the deadline for a total of 120 days, the maximum extension allowed under the Act.

Therefore, in accordance with section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act, the Department is extending the time for completion of the preliminary results of this review until January 2, 2002.

Dated: November 13, 2001.

Louis Apple,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

United States-Egypt Presidents' Council; Membership

AGENCY: International Trade Administration, Commerce Department.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The International Trade Administration of the U.S. Department of Commerce has reestablished and will monitor the activities of the U.S.-Egypt Presidents' Council. This notice announces membership opportunities for American business representatives on the U.S. side of the Council.

DATES: In order to receive full consideration, requests must be received no later than: Friday, December 28, 2001.

ADDRESSES: Please send your requests for consideration to Ms. Maram Talaat, Egypt Desk Officer, Office of the Middle East, U.S. Department of Commerce either by fax on 202-482-0878 or by mail to Room H-2029B, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT: Ms. Maram Talaat, Office of the Middle East, Room H-2029B, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C. 20230, Phone 202-482-3752.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The U.S. Department of Commerce established the U.S.-Egypt Presidents' Council in April 1995 as part of the U.S.-Egypt Partnership for Economic Growth and Development. Following their April 2001 meeting at the White House, President Bush and Egyptian President Mubarak agreed to continue the Presidents' Council. The purpose of the Council is to provide a forum through which American and Egyptian private sector representatives can provide advice and counsel to their respective governments that reflect their views, needs and concerns regarding private sector business development in Egypt and enhanced bilateral commercial ties. The Council exchanges information and encourages bilateral discussions that address the following areas:

—Factors that affect the growth of private sector business in both countries, including disincentives to trade and investment, and regulatory obstacles to optimal job creation and economic growth;

—Initiatives that both governments might take to promote joint private sector business growth in Egypt;

—Identification and promotion of business opportunities in both countries;

—Attracting U.S. businesses to opportunities in Egypt and serving as a catalyst for Egyptian private sector growth.

The U.S. section of the Council, chaired by the U.S. Secretary of Commerce, consists of fifteen members, all drawn from the private sector. They represent the diversity of American business with emphasis on: Agribusiness and food processing, tourism, banking and insurance, energy, pharmaceuticals, services (such as accounting, management, engineering/construction), information technology, electronics and other high technology industries, and manufacturing industries. Private sector members will serve in a representative capacity presenting the views and interests of their particular industry and as senior business representatives whose expertise on international business issues can be shared. Private sector members are not special government employees, and will receive no compensation for their participation in Council activities. Members participating in Council meetings and events will be responsible for their travel, lodging, and other personal expenses. Only appointed members may attend official Council meetings. Council members serve for three-year terms at the discretion of the Department of Commerce.

In order to be eligible for membership in the U.S. section, potential candidates should be:

- A U.S. citizen residing in the United States, or able to travel to the United States to attend official Council meetings;
- The President or CEO (or comparable level of responsibility) of a private sector company (or, in the case of very large private sector companies, the head of a sizeable operating unit), or head of a non-profit organization such as a trade or industry association that has a unique technical expertise and outstanding reputation; and
- Not a registered foreign agent under the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended.

In reviewing eligible candidates, the Department of Commerce will consider such selection factors as:

- Experience and interest in the Egyptian market;
- Industry or service sector represented;
- Export/investment experience;
- Contribution to diversity based on industry sector, company size, location, and demographics; and

—Readiness to initiate and be responsible for activities in which the Presidents' Council will be active.

Members will be selected who will best carry out the objectives of the Council as stated in the Terms of Reference establishing the U.S.-Egypt Presidents' Council.

To be considered for membership, please provide the following: Name or names and title(s) of the individual(s) requesting consideration; name and address of the company or organization sponsoring each individual; company's product, service or technical expertise; size of the company or organization; export trade, investment, or international program experience and major markets; and a brief statement of why the candidate(s) should be considered for membership on the Council.

Dated: November 13, 2001.

Cherie A. Loustaunau,

Director, Office of the Middle East.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 111301C]

North Pacific Fishery Management Council; Public Meetings

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

ACTION: Notice of public meetings.

SUMMARY: The North Pacific Fishery Management Council (NPFMC) and its advisory committees will hold public meetings.

DATES: The meetings will be held on December 2–10, 2001. See

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION for specific dates and times.

ADDRESSES: The meetings will be held at the Hilton Hotel, 500 W. 3rd Avenue, Anchorage, AK.

Council address: North Pacific Fishery Management Council, 605 W. 4th Ave., Suite 306, Anchorage, AK 99501-2252.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Council staff, Phone: 907-271-2809.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The NPFMC's Individual Fishery Quota (IFQ) and Cost Recovery Committee will meet on Sunday, December 2, between 1 p.m. and 5 p.m.. The NPFMC's Advisory Panel will begin at 8 a.m.,

Monday, December 3, and continue through Friday, December 7, 2001. The Scientific and Statistical Committee will begin at 8 a.m. on Monday, December 3, and continue through Thursday, December 6, 2001.

The NPFMC will begin its plenary session at 8 a.m. on Wednesday, December 5, continuing through Monday, December 10, 2001. All meetings are open to the public except executive sessions which may be held during the week at which the Council may discuss international issues, personnel, and/or current litigation.

Council: The agenda for the NPFMC's plenary session will include the following issues. The NPFMC may take appropriate action on any of the issues identified.

1. Reports:

(a) Executive Director's Report.

(b) State Fisheries Report by Alaska Dept. of Fish and Game.

(c) NMFS Management Report.

(d) Enforcement and Surveillance reports by NMFS and the U.S. Coast Guard.

2. Community Development Program (CDQ):

(a) Final action on regulatory amendment for changes to the halibut CDQ program for regulatory areas 4E/4D.

(b) Initial review of amendment package for CDQ policy changes.

3. Seabird Avoidance Measures: Final action on revisions to regulations for seabird avoidance measures.

4. Rationalization of the Bering Sea/Aleutian Islands (BSAI) Crab Fisheries: Review progress on analysis and provide direction as appropriate.

5. American Fisheries Act (AFA):

(a) Review and comment on AFA Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) and proposed rule.

(b) Review discussion paper on extension of the AFA.

(c) Review co-op agreements and preliminary annual co-op reports.

(d) Review industry response to request from Alaska Department of Fish and Game for ownership information necessary to finalize the Council's AFA report to Congress; consider approving submission of final report.

6. Halibut/Sablefish IFQ Program:

(a) Review report of IFQ Committee; staff direction as necessary.

(b) Initial review of analysis for Gulf of Alaska community purchase of quota shares.

7. Essential Fish Habitat (EFH) EIS: Receive Committee report and results of recent workshop and discuss alternatives for designating EFH and Habitat Areas of Particular Concern.

8. Programmatic Groundfish Supplemental EIS: Receive report from