

behavior of different joints (ankle, knee, shoulder, spine, etc.) thus allowing the study of different types of joint trauma and surgical repair of those joints. Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs: August 3, 1998.

Docket Number: 98-042. Applicant: Louisiana State University, Center for Advanced Microstructures and Devices, 6980 Jefferson Highway, Baton Rouge, LA 70806. Instrument: Scanning Tunneling Microscope. Manufacturer: Scideco I/S, Denmark. Intended Use: The instrument will be used to uncover new physical and chemical phenomena at the surface of or in thin films. This will include elucidation of both electronic and atomic structure of material ranging from clean metal surfaces, metal-on-metal films, metal-on-semiconductor thin films, to thin film polymers. Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs: August 6, 1998.

Frank W. Creel,

Director, Statutory Import Programs Staff.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[Docket No. 980413092-8192-02]

RIN 0648-ZA39

NOAA Climate and Global Change Program, Program Announcement

AGENCY: Office of Global Programs (OGP), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice; amendments.

SUMMARY: This document amends a notice published in the **Federal Register** of June 16, 1998, regarding the NOAA Climate and Global Programs. The amendments are intended to show NOAA's interest in supporting new PACS research projects designed to focus on seasonal-to-interannual climate variability over the Americas, and to announce a joint initiative between NOAA and the Department of Energy, contingent upon the availability of funding, to support a global synthesis of ocean CO₂ data, with the ultimate goal of estimating the quantity of anthropogenic CO₂ that has been taken up by the global ocean. The dates for receiving Letters of Intent and full proposals for these amendments are changed. All other dates remain the same.

DATES: NOAA/DOE joint initiative research projects do not need Letters of Intent, full proposals must be postmarked on or before September 30, 1998.

New PACS research projects Letter of Intent must be received 30 days after the date of publication in the **Federal Register**, with full proposals postmarked on or before November 6, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Proposals may be sent to Office of Global Programs, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, 1100 Wayne Avenue, Suite 1210, Silver Spring, MD 20910-5603.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Irma duPree at the above address or at phone: (301) 427-2089 ext 107, Internet: duPree@ogp.noaa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Office of Global Programs published a notice describing the Program and funding area descriptions on June 16, 1998. (63 FR 32859.) The program description, evaluation criteria, selection process, background and requirements, as well as guidelines for applications are included in that notice and are not repeated here.

Amendments

In the notice, FR Doc. 98-15887, on page 32861, second column, first full paragraph, add the following sentence after the first sentence to read as follows: "NOAA is interested in supporting new PACS research projects to focus on seasonal-to-interannual climate variability over the Americas."

In the same document on page 32861, third column, first full paragraph, add the following sentence to replace the third sentence "Proposals are sought which make use of data collected on both the DOE-sponsored Global CO₂ Survey and the NOAA OACES Program."

Authority. 49 U.S.C. 44720; 33 U.S.C. 883d, 883e, 15 U.S.C. 2904; 15 U.S.C. 2931 et seq.

Dated: August 17, 1998.

J. Michael Hall,

Director, Office of Global Programs.
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COMMITTEE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE AGREEMENTS

Adjustment of Import Limits for Certain Cotton and Man-Made Fiber Textile Products Produced or Manufactured in the Republic of Turkey

August 17, 1998.

AGENCY: Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements (CITA).

ACTION: Issuing a directive to the Commissioner of Customs adjusting limits.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 21, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Roy Unger, International Trade Specialist, Office of Textiles and Apparel, U.S. Department of Commerce, (202) 482-4212. For information on the quota status of these limits, refer to the Quota Status Reports posted on the bulletin boards of each Customs port or call (202) 927-5850. For information on embargoes and quota re-openings, call (202) 482-3715.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Authority: Section 204 of the Agricultural Act of 1956, as amended (7 U.S.C. 1854); Executive Order 11651 of March 3, 1972, as amended.

The current limits for certain categories are being adjusted, variously, for shift, special shift, and carryover.

A description of the textile and apparel categories in terms of HTS numbers is available in the **CORRELATION:** Textile and Apparel Categories with the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (see **Federal Register** notice 62 FR 66057, published on December 17, 1997). Also see 62 FR 67839, published on December 30, 1997; and 63 FR 27923, published on May 21, 1998.

Troy H. Cribb,

Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements

August 17, 1998.

Commissioner of Customs,
Department of the Treasury, Washington, DC 20229.

Dear Commissioner: This directive amends, but does not cancel, the directive issued to you on December 22, 1997, as amended on May 14, 1998 and May 18, 1998, by the Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements. That directive, as amended, concerns imports of certain cotton, wool and man-made fiber textile products, produced or manufactured in the Republic of Turkey and exported during the periods January 1, 1998 through December 31, 1998 and June 1, 1998 through December 31, 1998 (Categories 352/652).

Effective on August 21, 1998, you are directed to adjust the current limits for the following categories, as provided for under the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing:

Category	Adjusted limit ¹
Fabric Group 219, 313-O ² , 314-O ³ , 315-O ⁴ , 317-O ⁵ , 326-O ⁶ , 617, 625/626/627/628/629, as a group.	165,959,749 square meters of which not more than 40,184,564 square meters shall be in Category 219; not more than 49,114,466 square meters shall be in Category 313-O; not more than 28,575,690 square meters shall be in Category 314-O; not more than 38,398,585 square meters shall be in Category 315-O; not more than 40,184,564 square meters shall be in Category 317-O; not more than 4,464,950 square meters shall be in Category 326-O; and not more than 26,789,711 square meters shall be in Category 617.
Sublevel in Fabric Group 625/626/627/628/629	18,089,753 square meters of which not more than 8,538,363 shall be in Category 625; not more than 7,235,901 square meters shall be in Category 626; not more than 7,235,901 square meters shall be in Category 627; not more than 7,235,901 square meters shall be in Category 628; and not more than 7,235,901 square meters shall be in Category 629.
Limits not in a group 351/651 352/652 361 369-S ⁷	1,046,710 dozen. 1,329,887 dozen. 2,281,256 numbers. 1,881,616 kilograms.

¹ The limits have not been adjusted to account for any imports exported after December 31, 1997 and May 31, 1998 (352/652).

² Category 313-O: all HTS numbers except 5208.52.3035, 5208.52.4035 and 5209.51.6032.

³ Category 314-O: all HTS numbers except 5209.51.6015.

⁴ Category 315-O: all HTS numbers except 5208.52.4055.

⁵ Category 317-O: all HTS numbers except 5208.59.2085.

⁶ Category 326-O: all HTS numbers except 5208.59.2015, 5209.59.0015 and 5211.59.0015.

⁷ Category 369-S: only HTS number 6307.10.2005.

The Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements has determined that these actions fall within the foreign affairs exception of the rulemaking provisions of 5 U.S.C. 553(a)(1).

Sincerely,

Troy H. Cribb,

Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

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CORPORATION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Availability of Funds for National Provider of Training and Technical Assistance to National Service Programs Operated by Indian Tribes or Involving Native Americans

AGENCY: Corporation for National and Community Service.

ACTION: Notice of Availability of Funds.

SUMMARY: The Corporation for National and Community Service (Corporation) announces the availability of approximately \$100,000 to provide training and technical assistance (T/TA) to national service programs supported by the Corporation that are operated by Indian Tribes or involve Native Americans. The Corporation expects to make one award in the form of a one-year cooperative agreement with the possibility of extension based on performance, need, and availability of funds.

DATES: Proposals must be received by the Corporation by 3:00 p.m. Eastern time on September 21, 1998.

ADDRESSES: All proposals should be submitted to the Corporation for National and Community Service, 1201 New York Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20525, Attention: Laurel Ithator, Room 9808.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jim Ekstrom or Susan Schechter at the Corporation for National and Community Service, (202) 606-5000, ext. 461, T.D.D. (202) 565-2799. This notice may be requested in an alternative format for persons with visual impairments.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

The Corporation for National and Community Service was established in 1993 to engage Americans of all ages

and backgrounds in service in their communities. The Corporation's national and community service programs provide opportunities for participants to serve full-time and part-time, with or without stipend, as individuals or as a part of a team. AmeriCorps*State/National, VISTA, and National Civilian Community Corps engage thousands of Americans on a full- or part-time basis at more than 1,000 locations to help communities meet their toughest challenges. Learn and Serve America integrates service into the academic life of more than 800,000 students in all 50 states. The National Senior Service Corps utilizes the skills, talents and experience of over 500,000 older Americans to help make communities stronger, safer, healthier and smarter.

The Corporation directly operates the AmeriCorps*VISTA *NCCC programs. More than 4,000 AmeriCorps*VISTA members serve to develop grassroots programs, mobilize resources and build capacity for service programs across the nation. AmeriCorps*NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps) provides an opportunity for approximately 1,000 individuals between the ages of 18 and 24 to participate in a residential program principally located on downsized military bases.

The Corporation provides assistance to organizations that carry out AmeriCorps*State/National, Learn and Serve America, and National Senior Service Corps programs. AmeriCorps*State/National programs, which involve 25,000 Americans each year in results-driven community service, are grant programs managed by (1) State Commissions that select and oversee programs operated by local organizations, (2) national non-profit organizations that identify and act as parent organizations for operating sites across the country; (3) Indian tribes; or (4) U.S. Territories. Learn and Serve America grants provide service learning opportunities for students in K-12 and higher education settings. The National Senior Service Corps operates through grants to local organizations for Retired Senior Volunteer Programs (RSVP), Foster Grandparents and Senior Companions to provide service to their communities. For additional information on the national service program supported by the Corporation, go to <http://www.nationalservice.org>.

II. Eligibility

Public agencies, non-profit organizations (i.e., youth-serving groups, community-based organizations, and service organizations), institutions of higher education, Indian tribes, and