

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Janet Heinzen, 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) 927-6713. For information on embargoes and quota re-openings, call (202) 482-3715.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

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

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

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 60 FR 65299, published on December 19, 1995). Also see 60 FR 62412, published on December 7, 1995.

The letter to the Commissioner of Customs and the actions taken pursuant to it are not designed to implement all of the provisions of the Uruguay Round Agreements Act and the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing, but are designed to assist only in the implementation of certain of their provisions.

Troy H. Cribb,

*Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.*

Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements

October 3, 1996.

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 November 30, 1995, by the Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements. That directive concerns imports of certain cotton, wool and man-made fiber textiles and textile products and silk blend and other vegetable fiber apparel, produced or manufactured in the Philippines and exported during the twelve-month period beginning on January 1, 1996 and extending through December 31, 1996.

Effective on October 9, 1996, you are directed to adjust the limits for the following categories, as provided for under the Uruguay Round Agreements Act and the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing:

Category	Adjusted limit <sup>1</sup>
Levels in Group I	
237 .....	1,240,747 dozen.
239 .....	9,692,381 kilograms.
331/631 .....	5,023,117 dozen pairs.
333/334 .....	217,180 dozen.
335 .....	78,177 dozen.
336 .....	737,808 dozen.
340/640 .....	1,026,382 dozen.
341/641 .....	652,813 dozen.
345 .....	165,229 dozen.
347/348 .....	2,022,222 dozen.
359-C/659-C <sup>2</sup> .....	1,403,860 kilograms.
361 .....	1,704,133 numbers.
369-S <sup>3</sup> .....	42,845 kilograms.
433 .....	3,504 dozen.
445/446 .....	28,923 dozen.
447 .....	8,869 dozen.
634 .....	531,770 dozen.
635 .....	377,062 dozen.
636 .....	1,528,587 dozen.
638/639 .....	1,910,361 dozen.
645/646 .....	545,975 dozen.
659-H <sup>4</sup> .....	1,279,696 kilograms.
847 .....	522,043 dozen.

<sup>1</sup> The limits have not been adjusted to account for any imports exported after December 31, 1995.

<sup>2</sup> Category 359-C: only HTS numbers 6103.42.2025, 6103.49.8034, 6104.62.1020, 6104.69.8010, 6114.20.0048, 6114.20.0052, 6203.42.2010, 6203.42.2090, 6204.62.2010, 6211.32.0010, 6211.32.0025 and 6211.42.0010; Category 659-C: only HTS numbers 6103.23.0055, 6103.43.2020, 6103.43.2025, 6103.49.2000, 6103.49.8038, 6104.63.1020, 6104.63.1030, 6104.69.1000, 6104.69.8014, 6114.30.3044, 6114.30.3054, 6203.43.2010, 6203.43.2090, 6203.49.1010, 6203.49.1090, 6204.63.1510, 6204.69.1010, 6210.10.9010, 6211.33.0010, 6211.33.0017 and 6211.43.0010.

<sup>3</sup> Category 369-S: only HTS number 6307.10.2005.

<sup>4</sup> Category 659-H: only HTS numbers 6502.00.9030, 6504.00.9015, 6504.00.9060, 6505.90.5090, 6505.90.6090, 6505.90.7090 and 6505.90.8090.

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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## **COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION**

### **Sunshine Act Meeting**

**AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING:** Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

**TIME AND DATE:** 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, October 9, 1996.

**PLACE:** 1155 21st St., N.W., Washington, D.C. 9th Fl. Conference Room.

**STATUS:** Closed.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** Enforcement Matters.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jean A. Webb, 202-418-5100.

Jean A. Webb,

*Secretary of the Commission.*

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### **Sunshine Act Meeting**

**AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING:** Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

**TIME AND DATE:** 10:00 a.m., Thursday, October 31, 1996.

**PLACE:** 1155 21st St., N.W., Washington, D.C. 9th Fl. Conference Room.

**STATUS:** Closed.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** Enforcement Matters.

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Jean A. Webb, 202-418-5100.

Jean A. Webb,

*Secretary of the Commission.*

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## **CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION**

### **Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request—Flammability Standards for Carpets and Rugs**

**AGENCY:** Consumer Product Safety Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In the Federal Register of January 19, 1996 (61 FR 1363), the Consumer Product Safety Commission published a notice in accordance with provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35) to announce the agency's intention to seek reinstatement of approval of collections of information in regulations implementing two flammability standards for carpets and rugs. The regulations are codified at 16 CFR Parts 1630 and 1631, and prescribe requirements for testing and recordkeeping by persons and firms issuing guaranties of products subject to the Standard for the Surface Flammability of Carpets and Rugs and the Standard for the Surface Flammability of Small Carpets and Rugs. No comments were received in response to that notice. By publication of this notice, the Commission announces that it has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget a request for reinstatement of approval of

those collections of information without change through November 30, 1999.

#### Additional Information About the Request for Reinstatement of Approval of Collections of Information

*Agency address:* Consumer Product Safety Commission, Washington, DC 20207.

*Title of information collection:* Standard for the Surface Flammability of Carpets and Rugs, 16 CFR Part 1630; Standard for the Surface Flammability of Small Carpets and Rugs, 16 CFR Part 1631.

*Type of request:* Reinstatement of approval without change.

*General description of respondents:* Manufacturers and importers of products subject to the flammability standards for carpets and rugs.

*Estimated number of respondents:* 120.

*Estimated average number of hours per respondent:* 530 per year.

*Estimated number of hours for all respondents:* 63,600 per year.

*Comments:* Comments on this request for extension of approval of information collection requirements should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to Victoria Wassmer, Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503; telephone: (202) 395-7340. Copies of the request for reinstatement of information collection requirements and supporting documentation are available from Carl Blechschmidt, Acting Director, Office of Planning and Evaluation, Consumer Product Safety Commission, Washington, DC 20207; telephone: (301) 504-0416, extension 2243.

Dated: October 3, 1996.

Sadye E. Dunn,

*Secretary, Consumer Product Safety Commission.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

#### Meeting of the President's Security Policy Advisory Board

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The President's Security Policy Advisory Board has been established pursuant to Presidential Decision Directive/NSC-29, which was signed by President on September 16 1994.

The Board will advise the President on proposed legislative initiatives and

executive orders pertaining to U.S. security policy, procedures and practices as developed by the U.S. Security Policy Board, and will function as a federal advisory committee in accordance with the provisions of Pub. L. 92-463, the "Federal Advisory Committee Act."

The President has appointed from the private sector, three of five Board members each with a prominent background and expertise related to security policy matters. General Larry Welch, USAF (Ret.) will chair the Board. Other members include: Admiral Thomas Brooks, USN (Ret.) and Ms. Nina Stewart.

The next meeting of the Board will be held on November 8, 1996, 0900 at the Aerospace Corporation, 2350 E. El Segundo Boulevard, Building A., El Segundo, CA 90245 and will be open to the public.

For further information please contact Mr. Terence Thompson, telephone: 703/602-9969.

Dated: October 2, 1996.

L.M. Bynum,

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

### William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program

**AGENCY:** Department of Education.

**ACTION:** Notice of processing deadlines to submit loan records and promissory notes.

**SUMMARY:** This notice establishes processing deadlines for the submission of William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan (Direct Loan) Program promissory notes and electronic records to the Secretary for the 1994-1995 academic year (Year 1) and the 1995-1996 academic year (Year 2). Any electronic records and promissory notes for loans made during Year 1 and Year 2 are subject to the deadlines contained in this notice.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** The deadline for processing any electronic records and promissory notes for loans made during Year 1 is November 22, 1996. The deadline for processing any electronic records and promissory notes for loans made during Year 2 is July 31, 1997.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Douglas Laine, Program Specialist, Direct Loan Policy Group, U.S. Department of Education, 600 Independence Avenue, S.W., Room 3045, ROB-3, Washington, D.C. 20202.

Telephone (202) 708-9406. Individuals who use a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Information Relay Service (FIRS) at 1-800-877-8339 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., Eastern time, Monday through Friday.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Secretary is establishing processing deadlines by which institutions that participated in Year 1 or Year 2 of the Direct Loan Program must submit electronic records and promissory notes for Direct Loans made during those years. Under an institution's participation agreement with the Secretary to participate in the Direct Loan Program, an institution must comply with all of the requirements established by the Secretary relating to student loan information with respect to loans made under the Direct Loan Program. See 34 CFR 685.300(b)(6). This provision includes the submission of records relating to Direct Loans. The Secretary is exercising his authority under this provision to establish a processing deadline by which all applicable electronic records and promissory notes for a particular academic year must be final, complete, accurate, and submitted to the Secretary.

The Secretary believes that establishing annual processing deadlines for the submission of all electronic records (including initial and adjusted or revised records) and promissory notes is necessary to improve the integrity and accountability of the Direct Loan Program and to improve services to students and schools. Schools are required under 34 CFR 685.309(a) to establish and maintain proper administrative and fiscal procedures to protect the rights of student and parent borrowers as well as to protect the United States from unreasonable risk of loss. Establishing the processing deadlines contained in this notice will help achieve these goals. Further, establishing an annual processing deadline will enable the Secretary to finalize cash records under the Direct Loan Program for an academic year within a reasonable period of time following the end of that academic year. The Secretary also will be better able to ensure that Direct Loan monies were disbursed appropriately to student borrowers attending a school, or to parent borrowers borrowing on behalf of dependent students at the school. The processing deadlines also will enable the Department to conduct a program review of a Direct Loan school more efficiently, as all Direct Loan records