

accounting methodology was reasonable. Finally, the Department revised the treatment of VATs to comport with its then-existing methodology used in Certain Stainless Steel Wire rod from France, 58 FR 6885 (Dec. 29, 1993) by adjusting USP for tax by multiplying the home market tax rate by the USP at the point in the chain of commerce of the U.S. merchandise that is analogous to the point in the home market chain of commerce at which the foreign government applies the home market consumption tax.

With exception of the department's methodology for VAT adjustments, the CIT upheld all aspects of the Department's remand redetermination. See *E.I. Dupont de Nemours & Co., Inc., ICI Americas, Inc., v. United States*, 932 F. Supp. 296 (CIT 1996). The CIT concluded that the Department's VAT adjustments were not consistent with the Federal circuit court's ruling in *Federal Mogul Corp. v. United States*, 66 F.3d 1572 (Fed. Cir. 1995) and remanded this issue to the Department for recalculation of the VAT adjustments.

On May 17, 1996, the Department filed the results of the second remand redetermination. In accordance with the VAT methodology adopted after the *Federal Mogul* decision, the Department added the tax amount paid in the home market to USP for the same merchandise.

On February 5, 1997, the CIT upheld the second remand results. *E.I. DuPont de Nemours & Co., Inc. v. United States*, 954 F. Supp. 263 (CIT 1997). The period to appeal has expired and no appeal was filed. Therefore, as there is now a final and conclusive court decision in this action, we are amending our final determination.

Amendment to Final Determination

Pursuant to section 516A(e) of the Act, we are now amending the final determination in polyethylene terephthalate film, sheet and strip from the Republic of Korea. The recalculated weighted-average dumping margins are as follows:

| Manufacturer/producer/exporter | Margin (percent) |
|--------------------------------|------------------|
| SKC | 13.92 |
| Cheil | 36.33 |
| All others | 21.50 |

We will instruct U.S. Customs to change the existing "all others" cash deposit requirements accordingly. We note that this order has been revoked with respect to Cheil (61 FR 35177) and SKC's current cash deposit rate is based upon an administrative review

conducted subsequent to this segment of the proceeding. Therefore, this amended redetermination does not affect the cash deposit rates for either SKC or Cheil.

Dated: September 22, 1997.

Robert S. LaRussa,

Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 082797C]

Marine Mammals; Permit No. 993 (P597)

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

ACTION: Issuance of amendment.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that photography permit No. 993 issued to Mr. Michael Kundu, Arcturus Adventure Communications International, 5516 64th Place, NE, Marysville, WA 98270, has been amended to extend the expiration date of the permit to August 1, 1998.

ADDRESSES: The permit and related documents are available for review upon written request or by appointment (See **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The subject amendment has been issued under the authority of the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*) and the provisions of § 216.39 of the regulations of the governing the taking and importing (50 CFR part 216) of marine mammals.

Addresses: Documents may be reviewed in the following locations:

Permits Division, Office of Protected Resources, NMFS, 1315 East-West Highway, Room 13130, Silver Spring, MD 20910 (301/713-2289);

Regional Administrator, Northwest Regional Office, NMFS, 7600 Sand Point Way, NE, BIN C15700, Bldg. 1, Seattle, WA 98115-0070 (206/526-6150); and

Regional Administrator, Alaska Regional Office, NMFS, P.O. Box 21668, Juneau, AK 99802-1668 (907/586-7221).

Dated: September 12, 1997.

Ann Terbush,

Chief, Permits and Documentation Division, Office of Protected Resources, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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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 Guatemala

September 22, 1997.

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

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 29, 1997.

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: 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 increased for 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 61 FR 66263, published on December 17, 1996). Also see 61 FR 58038, published on November 12, 1996.

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.

D. Michael Hutchinson,

Acting Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements

September 22, 1997.

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 4, 1996, by the Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements. That directive concerns imports of certain cotton, wool and man-made fiber textile products, produced or manufactured in Guatemala and exported during the twelve-month period which began on January 1, 1997 and extends through December 31, 1997.

Effective on September 29, 1997, you are directed to increase the limits for the following categories, as provided for under the Uruguay Round Agreements Act and the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing (ATC):

| Category | Adjusted twelve-month limit ¹ |
|---------------|--|
| 340/640 | 1,382,638 dozen. |
| 347/348 | 1,659,395 dozen. |
| 351/651 | 277,915 dozen. |

¹ The limits have not been adjusted to account for any imports exported after December 31, 1996.

The Guaranteed Access Levels for the foregoing categories remain unchanged.

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,

D. Michael Hutchinson,

Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

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COMMITTEE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF TEXTILE AGREEMENTS

Adjustment of an Import Limit for Certain Man-Made Fiber Textile Products Produced or Manufactured in Romania

September 22, 1997.

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

ACTION: Issuing a directive to the Commissioner of Customs increasing a limit.

EFFECTIVE DATE: September 26, 1997.

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

The current limit for Category 648 is being increased for swing 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 61 FR 66263, published on December 17, 1996). Also see 62 FR 4034, published on January 28, 1997.

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 May 7, 1997 MOU, 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.

D. Michael Hutchinson,

Acting Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements

September 22, 1997.

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 January 22, 1997, by the Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements. That directive concerns imports of certain cotton, wool, man-made fiber, silk blend and other vegetable fiber textiles and textile products, produced or manufactured in Romania and exported during the twelve-month period which began on January 1, 1997 and extends through December 31, 1997.

Effective on September 26, 1997, you are directed to increase the limit for Category 648 to 74,103 dozen¹, as provided for by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act and the Uruguay Round Agreement on Textiles and Clothing (ATC).

The Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements has determined that this

¹ The limit has not been adjusted to account for any imports exported after December 31, 1996.

action falls within the foreign affairs exception of the rulemaking provisions of 5 U.S.C. 553(a)(1).

Sincerely,

D. Michael Hutchinson,

Acting Chairman, Committee for the Implementation of Textile Agreements.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army

Advisory Committee Meeting Notice

AGENCY: U.S. Army Center of Military History.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), announcement is made of the following committee meeting:

Name of Committee: Department of Defense Historical Advisory Committee.
Date: 23 October 1997.

Place: U.S. Army Center of Military History, Franklin Court Building, Room 203, 1099 14th Street, Northwest, Washington, DC 20005-3402.

Time: 0900-1600 (23 Oct 97).

Proposed Agenda: Review and discussion of the status of historical activities in the United States Army.

Purpose of the Meeting: The committee will review the Army's historical activities for FY 97 and those projected for FY 98 based upon reports and manuscripts received throughout the period and formulate recommendations through the Chief of Military History to the Chief of Staff, Army, and the Secretary of the Army for advancing the use of history in the U.S. Army.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: All communication regarding this advisory committee should be addressed to Dr. Jeffrey J. Clarke, U.S. Army Center of Military History, Franklin Court Building, 1099 14th Street, Northwest, Washington, DC 20005-3402; telephone number (202) 761-5402.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Meeting of the advisory committee is open to the public. Because of restricted meeting space, attendance may be limited to those persons who have notified the Advisory Committee Management Office in writing at least five days prior to the meeting of their intention to attend the 23 October meeting.

Any members of the public may file a written statement with the committee before, during, or after the meeting. To the extent that time permits, the