

- identify practicable alternatives that protect the resource value and character of the land within and surrounding the Curecanti National Recreation Area;

- recommend a variety of economically feasible and viable tools to achieve these purposes;

- estimate the costs of implementing the approaches recommended by the study; and not later than October 21, 2002, submit a report to Congress containing the study's findings and recommendations.

The National Park Service is planning to hold an open house regarding the Curecanti Resource Protection Study between the hours of 3:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. on May 24, at the Gunnison County Multi-Purpose Building, Gunnison Fairgrounds, 275 South Spruce, Gunnison, CO. The purpose of the open house is to explain the planning process, to solicit concerns and comments regarding the study, and to identify resource and other issues that need to be resolved. The National Park Service will send individual notices regarding the meeting to adjacent landowners and to other persons and organizations on the park's mailing list, as well as prepare news releases to be distributed to various forms of news media announcing the open house meeting.

Comments

If you wish to submit issues or provide input to this initial phase of the Curecanti RPS, you may do so by any one of several methods. In addition to attending the open house, you may mail comments to Curecanti Resource Protection Plan, Attn: Dave Roberts, 2465 South Townsend Avenue, Montrose, CO 81401. You may also comment via the Internet to dave_roberts@nps.gov. Please submit Internet comments as an ASCII file, avoiding the use of special characters and any form of encryption. Entitle the subject of your Internet message "RPP Comments". Include your name and home address at the end of your message. If you do not receive a confirmation from the system that we have received your Internet message, contact Dave Roberts at 970-240-5432. Finally, you may hand-deliver your comments to either of two locations: (1) Superintendent's Office, located near Elk Creek Visitor Center, approximately 15 miles west of the City of Gunnison on Hwy. 50; or (2) the Montrose Public Lands Center, 2535 South Townsend Avenue, Montrose, CO. Comments should be received no later than 60 days from the publication of this Notice of Intent.

Our practice is to make comments, including names and home addresses of respondents, available for public review during regular business hours.

Individual respondents may request that we withhold their home addresses from the record, which we will honor to the extent allowable by law. There also may be circumstances in which we would withhold from the record a respondent's identity, as allowable by law. If you wish us to withhold your name and/or address, you must state this prominently at the beginning of your comment. However, we will not consider anonymous comments. We will make all submissions from organizations of businesses, and from individuals identifying themselves as representatives or officials of organizations or businesses, available for public inspection in their entirety.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Dave Roberts, Management Assistant, Black Canyon of the Gunnison National Park and Curecanti National Recreation Area, 2465 South Townsend Avenue, Montrose, CO 81401, Telephone: 970-240-5432, E-Mail: dave_roberts@nps.gov.

Dated: April 19, 2000.

Michael D. Synder,

Acting Director, Intermountain Region.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Reclamation

Bay-Delta Advisory Council's Ecosystem Roundtable Meeting and Ecosystem Roundtable Amendments Subcommittee Meeting

AGENCY: Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of meetings.

SUMMARY: The Bay-Delta Advisory Council's (BDAC) Ecosystem Roundtable will meet on May 17, 2000 to be briefed on proposals received from the 2001 proposal solicitation package, to discuss the water acquisition program, the Restoration Reserve, and other topics. The Amendments Subcommittee will also meet on May 17, 2000 to discuss proposed contract modifications for several ongoing ecosystem restoration projects including the Fish Passage Improvement Project at Red Bluff Diversion Dam, Assessment of Ecological and Human Health Impacts of Mercury in the Bay-Delta watershed and others. These meetings are open to the public. Interested persons may make oral statements to the Ecosystem

Roundtable and Amendments Subcommittee or may file written statements for consideration.

DATES: The BDAC's Ecosystem Roundtable meeting will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 17, 2000. The Ecosystem Roundtable Amendments Subcommittee meeting will be held from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 17, 2000.

ADDRESSES: The Ecosystem Roundtable and Amendments Subcommittee will meet at the Resources Building, Room 1131, 1416 Ninth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Wendy Halverson Martin, CALFED Bay-Delta Program, at (916) 657-2666. If reasonable accommodation is needed due to a disability, please contact the Equal Employment Opportunity Office at (916) 653-6952 or TDD (916) 653-6934 at least one week prior to the meeting.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The San Francisco Bay/Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Estuary (Bay-Delta system) is a critically important part of California's natural environment and economy. In recognition of the serious problems facing the region and the complex resource management decisions that must be made, the state of California and the Federal government are working together to stabilize, protect, restore, and enhance the Bay-Delta system. The State and Federal agencies with management and regulatory responsibilities in the Bay-Delta system are working together as CALFED to provide policy direction and oversight for the process.

One area of Bay-Delta management includes the establishment of a joint State-Federal process to develop long-term solutions to problems in the Bay-Delta system related to fish and wildlife, water supply reliability, natural disasters, and water quality. The intent is to develop a comprehensive and balanced plan that addresses all of the resource problems. This effort, the CALFED Bay-Delta Program (Program), is being carried out under the policy direction of CALFED. The Program is exploring and developing a long-term solution for a cooperative planning process that will determine the most appropriate strategy and actions necessary to improve water quality, restore health to the Bay-Delta ecosystem, provide for a variety of beneficial uses, and minimize Bay-Delta system vulnerability. A group of citizen advisors representing California's agricultural, environmental, urban, business, fishing, and other interests who have a stake in finding long-term

solutions for the problems affecting the Bay-Delta system has been chartered under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA). The BDAC provides advice to CALFED on the program mission, problems to be addressed, and objectives for the Program. BDAC provides a forum to help ensure public participation, and will review reports and other materials prepared by CALFED staff. BDAC has established a subcommittee called the Ecosystem Roundtable to provide input on annual workplans to implement ecosystem restoration projects and programs.

Minutes of the meeting will be maintained by the Program, Suite 1155, 1416 Ninth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, and will be available for public inspection during regular business hours, Monday through Friday within 30 days following the meeting.

Dated: April 26, 2000.

Kirk C. Rodgers,

Deputy Regional Director, Mid-Pacific Region.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation No. 337-TA-432]

Certain Semiconductor Chips With Minimized Chip Package Size and Products Containing Same; Notice of Investigation

AGENCY: U.S. International Trade Commission.

ACTION: Institution of investigation pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 1337.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that a complaint was filed with the U.S. International Trade Commission on March 28, 2000, under section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. 1337, on behalf of Tessera, Inc., of San Jose, California. Letters supplementing the complaint were filed on April 14, 2000 and April 19, 2000. The complaint, as supplemented, alleges violations of section 337 in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, and the sale within the United States after importation of certain semiconductor chips with minimized chip package size and products containing same by reason of infringement of claims 6 and 22 of U.S. Letters Patent 5,679,977, and claims 1, 3, and 11 of U.S. Letters Patent 5,852,326. The complaint further alleges that an industry in the United States exists as required by subsection (a)(2) of section 337.

The complainant requests that the Commission institute an investigation and, after the investigation, issue a permanent limited exclusion order and a permanent cease and desist order.

ADDRESSES: The complaint and supplements, except for any confidential information contained therein, are available for inspection during official business hours (8:45 a.m. to 5:15 p.m.) in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Room 112, Washington, D.C. 20436, telephone 202-205-2000. Hearing-impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter can be obtained by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on 202-205-1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at 202-205-2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its internet server (<http://www.usitc.gov>).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Benjamin D. M. Wood, Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, telephone 202-205-2582.

Authority: The authority for institution of this investigation is contained in section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, and in section 210.10 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 C.F.R. 210.10 (1999).

Scope of Investigation: Having considered the complaint, the U.S. International Trade Commission, on April 27, 2000, ordered that—

(1) Pursuant to subsection (b) of section 337 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, an investigation be instituted to determine whether there is a violation of subsection (a)(1)(B) of section 337 in the importation into the United States, the sale for importation, or the sale within the United States after importation of certain semiconductor chips with minimized chip package size or products containing same by reason of infringement of claims 6 or 22 of U.S. Letters Patent 5,679,977 or claims 1, 3, or 11 of U.S. Letters Patent 5,852,326, and whether an industry in the United States exists as required by subsection (a)(2) of section 337.

(2) For the purpose of the investigation so instituted, the following are hereby named as parties upon which this notice of investigation shall be served:

(a) The complainant is—Tessera, Inc., 3099 Orchard Drive, San Jose, California 95134.

(b) The respondents are the following companies alleged to be in violation of section 337, and are the parties upon which the complaint is to be served:

Texas Instruments, Inc., 13500 North Central Expressway, Dallas, Texas 75243.

Sharp Corporation, 22-22 Nagaike-cho, Abeno-ku, Osaka, Japan.

Sharp Electronics Corporation, 1 Sharp Plaza, Mahwah, New Jersey 07430.

(c) Benjamin D. M. Wood, Office of Unfair Import Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street, S.W., Room 401-I, Washington, D.C. 20436, who shall be the Commission investigative attorney, party to this investigation; and

(3) For the investigation so instituted, the Honorable Sidney Harris is designated as the presiding administrative law judge.

Responses to the complaint and the notice of investigation must be submitted by the named respondents in accordance with section 210.13 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 19 CFR 210.13. Pursuant to 19 CFR 201.16(d) and 210.13(a), such responses will be considered by the Commission if received no later than 20 days after the date of service by the Commission of the complaint and notice of investigation. Extensions of time for submitting responses to the complaint will not be granted unless good cause therefor is shown.

Failure of a respondent to file a timely response to each allegation in the complaint and in this notice may be deemed to constitute a waiver of the right to appear and contest the allegations of the complaint and this notice, and to authorize the administrative law judge and the Commission, without further notice to the respondent, to find the facts to be as alleged in the complaint and this notice and to enter both an initial determination and a final determination containing such findings, and may result in the issuance of a limited exclusion order or a cease and desist order or both directed against such respondent.

Issued: April 27, 2000.

By order of the Commission.

Donna R. Koehnke,

Secretary.

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