

collects comprehensive quarterly data on U.S. ocean carriers' freight revenues and expenses or U.S. airline operators' foreign revenues and expenses.

These surveys request information from U.S. ocean and air carriers engaged in the international transportation of goods and/or passengers. Information is collected on a quarterly basis from U.S. ocean and air carriers with total annual covered revenues and total annual covered expenses, each over \$500,000. U.S. ocean and air carriers with total annual covered revenues and expenses below \$500,000 are exempt from reporting.

## II. Method of Collection

Mandatory reports are received from U.S. ocean and air carriers who provide data regarding their revenues and expenses resulting from international transportation. Submission of the completed report form, or computer printouts in the format of the report form, are the most expedient and economical methods of reporting the information.

## III. Data

OMB Number: 0608-0011.

Form Number: BE-30/BE-37.

Type of Review: Regular Submission.

Affected Public: Businesses or Other For-Profit Organizations.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 39/23.

Estimated Time Per Response: 5 hours/4 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 780 hours/368 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Cost: For the survey of U.S. ocean carriers, the estimated annual cost to the Federal Government is \$22,000 and to the

public \$23,400. For the survey of U.S. airline operators, the estimated annual cost to the Federal Government is \$18,000 and to the public \$11,040. The estimated annual cost to the public is based on an estimated total annual burden hours and an estimated hourly cost of \$30.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Mandatory.

*Legal Authority:* The International Investment and Trade in Services Act, 22 U.S.C. 3101-3108.

## IV. Request for Comments

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the continued collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden (including hours and cost) of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval of this information collection; they also will become a matter of public record.

Dated: September 15, 2000.

**Madeleine Clayton,**

*DOC Forms Clearance Officer, Office of Chief Information Officer*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

#### Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation; Opportunity To Request Administrative Review

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

**ACTION:** Notice of Opportunity to Request Administrative Review of Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation.

#### Background

Each year during the anniversary month of the publication of an antidumping or countervailing duty order, finding, or suspension of investigation, an interested party, as defined in section 771(9) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, may request, in accordance with section 351.213 (1999) of the Department of Commerce (the Department) Regulations, that the Department conduct an administrative review of that antidumping or countervailing duty order, finding, or suspended investigation.

*Opportunity To Request a Review:* Not later than the last day of September 2000, interested parties may request administrative review of the following orders, findings, or suspended investigations, with anniversary dates in September for the following periods:

	Period
<b>Antidumping Duty Proceedings</b>	
Argentina: Silicon Metal, A-357-804 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00
Canada:	
Steel Jacks,* A-122-006 .....	9/1/99-12/31/99
New Steel Rail, Except Light Rail, A-122-804 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00
Germany: Large Newspaper Printing Presses and Components Thereof A-428-821 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00
Italy: Stainless Steel Wire Rod, A-475-820 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00
Japan:	
Flat Panel Displays, A-588-817 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00
Large Newspaper Printing Presses and Components Thereof, A-588-837 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00
Stainless Steel Wire Rod, A-588-843 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00
Republic of Korea: Stainless Steel Wire Rod, A-580-829 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00
Spain: Stainless Steel Wire Rod, A-469-807 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00
Sweden: Stainless Steel Wire Rod, A-401-806 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00
Taiwan:	
Chrome-Plated Lug Nuts,** A-583-810 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00
Stainless Steel Wire Rod, A-583-828 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00
The People's Republic of China:	
CDIW Fittings & Glands,* A-570-820 .....	9/1/99-12/31/99
Freshwater Crawfish Tail Meat, A-570-848 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00
Greige Polyester/Cotton Printcloth, A-570-101 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00
Chrome-Plated Lug Nuts,** A-570-808 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00

	Period
<b>Countervailing Duty Proceedings</b>	
Canada: New Steel Rail, Except Light Rail, C-122-805 .....	1/1/99-12/31/99
Italy: Stainless Steel Wire Rod, C-475-821 .....	1/1/99-12/31/99
<b>Suspension Agreements</b>	
Argentina: Carbon Steel Wire Rod, C-357-004 .....	9/1/99-8/31/00
Peru: Cotton Shop Towels,* C-333-401 .....	9/1/99-12/31/99

\*Order revoked effective 01/01/2000, as a result of sunset review.

\*\*This order is currently undergoing a "sunset" review pursuant to section 751(c) of the Act. If subsequent to publication of this opportunity notice the order should be revoked pursuant to "sunset," any review (if requested) or automatic liquidation instruction (if no review is requested) will only cover through the last day prior to the effective date of revocation.

In accordance with section 351.213(b) of the regulations, an interested party as defined by section 771(9) of the Act may request in writing that the Secretary conduct an administrative review. For both antidumping and countervailing duty reviews, the interested party must specify for which individual producers or exporters covered by an antidumping finding or an antidumping or countervailing duty order or suspension agreement for which it is requesting a review, and the requesting party must state why it desires the Secretary to review those particular producers or exporters. If the interested party intends for the Secretary to review sales of merchandise by an exporter (or a producer if that producer also exports merchandise from other suppliers) which were produced in more than one country of origin and each country of origin is subject to a separate order, then the interested party must state specifically, on an order-by-order basis, which exporter(s) the request is intended to cover.

Six copies of the request should be submitted to the Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Room 1870, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street & Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230. The Department also asks parties to serve a copy of their requests to the Office of Antidumping/Countervailing Enforcement, Attention: Sheila Forbes, in room 3065 of the main Commerce Building. Further, in accordance with section 351.303(f)(1)(i) of the regulations, a copy of each request must be served on every party on the Department's service list.

The Department will publish in the **Federal Register** a notice of "Initiation of Administrative Review of Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation" for requests received by the last day of September 2000. If the Department does not receive, by the last day of September 2000, a request for review of entries covered by an order, finding, or suspended investigation listed in this notice and for the period

identified above, the Department will instruct the Customs Service to assess antidumping or countervailing duties on those entries at a rate equal to the cash deposit of (or bond for) estimated antidumping or countervailing duties required on those entries at the time of entry, or withdrawal from warehouse, for consumption and to continue to collect the cash deposit previously ordered.

This notice is not required by statute but is published as a service to the international trading community.

Dated: September 14, 2000.

**Thomas F. Futtner,**

*Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, Group II for Import Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

#### National Institute of Standards and Technology; Notice of Decision on Application for Duty-Free Entry of Scientific Instrument

This decision is made pursuant to Section 6(c) of the Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Materials Importation Act of 1966 (Pub. L. 89-651, 80 Stat. 897; 15 CFR part 301). Related records can be viewed between 8:30 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. in Room 4211, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C.

*Docket Number:* 00-018. *Applicant:* National Institute of Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, MD 20899-8371. *Instrument:* Auger Microprobe, Model JAMP-7830F. *Manufacturer:* JEOL Ltd., Japan. *Intended Use:* See notice at 65 FR 47404, August 2, 2000.

*Comments:* None received. *Decision:* Approved. No instrument of equivalent scientific value to the foreign instrument, for such purposes as it is intended to be used, is being manufactured in the United States. *Reasons:* The foreign instrument

provides: (1) a maximum energy resolution of 0.05%, (2) a hemispherical analyzer which permits introduction and optimal placement of both a wavelength and an energy dispersive x-ray detector and (3) a 2-stage introduction pot capable to 8x10<sup>-11</sup> Torr. A domestic manufacturer of similar equipment advised September 11, 2000 that (1) these capabilities are pertinent to the applicant's intended purpose and (2) it knows of no domestic instrument or apparatus of equivalent scientific value to the foreign instrument for the applicant's intended use.

We know of no other instrument or apparatus of equivalent scientific value to the foreign instrument which is being manufactured in the United States.

**Gerald A. Zerdy,**

*Program Manager, Statutory Import Programs Staff.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Institute of Standards and Technology

#### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

The Department of Commerce (DOC) has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

*Agency:* National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST).

*Title:* Advanced Technology Program (ATP).

*Agency Form Number:* NIST-1262 and NIST-1263.

*OMB Approval Number:* 0693-0009.

*Type of Request:* Revision to an existing collection of information.

*Burden Hours:* 14,875.

*Number of Respondents:* 1,000.

*Average Hours Per Response:* 30 hours for full proposals; 1 1/2 hours for pre-proposals; and, 5 hours for monitoring reports.