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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Farm Service Agency

Notice of Request for Extension of a Currently Approved Information Collection

AGENCY: Farm Service Agency, USDA.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, this notice announces the intention of the Farm Service Agency (FSA) to request an extension of a currently approved information collection in support of the FSA Aerial Photography Program. The FSA Aerial Photography Field Office (APFO) uses the information from this form to collect the customer and photography information needed to produce and ship the various products ordered.

DATES: Comments on this notice must be received on or before October 22, 2001 to be assured consideration.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Contact Linda McDonald, USDA, FSA, APFO, 2222 West 2300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah 84119-2020, telephone (801) 975-3500 Extension 235.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Request for Aerial Photography.
OMB Control Number: 0560-0176.

Expiration Date of Approval: March 23, 2002.

Type of Request: Extension of a currently approved information collection.

Abstract: The information collected under Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Control Number 0560-0176 as identified above, is needed to enable the Department of Agriculture to effectively administer the Aerial Photography Program.

APFO has the authority to coordinate aerial photography and remote sensing programs and the aerial photography flying contract programs.

The film secured by FSA is public domain and reproductions are available at cost to any customer with a need. All receipts from the sale of aerial photography products and services are retained by FSA.

The FSA-441, Request for Aerial Photography, is the form FSA supplies to its customers when placing an order for aerial photography products and services.

Estimate of Respondent Burden: Public reporting burden for this information collection is estimated to average 3.3 hours per response.

Respondents: Farms, Ranchers and other USDA Customers who wish to purchase photography products and services.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 12,000.

Estimated Number of Responses per Respondents: 1.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours on Respondents: 8,000 hours.

Proposed topics for comment include but are not limited to: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information from those who are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Comments should be sent to the Desk Officer for Agriculture, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, OMB, Washington, DC 20503, and to Linda McDonald, FSA, APFO, USDA, 2222 West 2300 South, Salt Lake City, Utah 84119-2020.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will also become a matter of public record.

Signed at Washington, DC, on August 16, 2001.

James R. Little,

Acting Administrator, Farm Service Agency.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Farm Service Agency

Lifting of Temporary Suspension of Direct and Guaranteed Farm Ownership and Farm Operating Loan Programs To Construct Specialized Facilities Used for Hog Production.

AGENCY: Farm Service Agency, USDA.

ACTION: Notice lifting temporary suspension.

SUMMARY: The Farm Service Agency (FSA) is announcing the end of a temporary suspension, effective on the date of this notice, of direct and guaranteed farm ownership and farm operating loan financing for the construction of specialized facilities used for the production of hogs.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 23, 2001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

James F. Radintz, Director, Farm Service Agency, Farm Loan Programs Loan Making Division, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Stop 0522, Washington, DC 20250-0522, telephone (202)720-1632; e-mail Jim_Radintz@wdc.usda.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Programs Affected

10.406 Farm Operating Loans
10.407 Farm Ownership Loans

Background

On January 8, 1999, FSA suspended direct and guaranteed farm loan financing for the construction of hog production facilities. This action was taken to ameliorate the record high level of pork production and oversupply conditions, which had driven live hog prices to less than \$10 per hundredweight on the spot market. It had also been determined that it was inconsistent with USDA policy for FSA to continue financing construction of additional production facilities through direct loans and loan guarantees while other USDA agencies were expending resources to ameliorate oversupply conditions.

The Secretary has determined that conditions in the hog industry have improved to the extent that the suspension on financing for hog production facilities is no longer necessary. FSA county offices have been instructed: (1) To notify applicants and lenders that the suspension has been

lifted and (2) to resume processing direct and guaranteed loan applications for the production of specialized facilities used for hog production.

Signed in Washington, D.C. on June 29, 2001.

James R. Little,

Acting Administrator, Farm Service Agency.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

[I.D. 082001A]

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce 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).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: *Agency:* National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

Title: Submission of Conservation Efforts to Make Listings Unnecessary Under the Endangered Species Act.

Form Number(s): None.

OMB Approval Number: None.

Type of Request: Regular submission.

Burden Hours: 720.

Number of Respondents: 3.

Average Hours Per Response: 320 hours for an agreement, 160 hours per year for monitoring, and 40 hours for an annual report.

Needs and Uses: The National Marine Fisheries Service and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (the "Services") have announced a draft policy on the criteria the Services will use to evaluate conservation efforts by states and other non-Federal entities. The Services take these efforts into account when making decisions on whether to list a species as threatened or endangered under the Endangered Species Act. Efforts usually involve the development of a conservation plan or agreement, procedures for monitoring the effectiveness of the plan or agreement, and an annual report.

Affected Public: State, local, or tribal Government; business or other for-profit organizations.

Frequency: On occasion, annually.

Respondent's Obligation: Voluntary.

OMB Desk Officer: David Rostker, (202) 395-3897.

Copies of the above information collection proposal can be obtained by calling or writing Madeleine Clayton, Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer, (202) 482-3129, Department of

Commerce, Room 6086, 14th and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230 (or via the Internet at MClayton@doc.gov).

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to David Rostker, OMB Desk Officer, Room 10202, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: August 16, 2001.

Madeleine Clayton,

*Departmental Paperwork Clearance Officer,
Office of the Chief Information Officer.*

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-570-846]

Brake Rotors From the People's Republic of China: Final Results and Partial Rescission of Fifth New Shipper Review

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

ACTION: Notice of final results and partial rescission of fifth new shipper review.

SUMMARY: On May 29, 2001, the Department of Commerce published the preliminary results and partial rescission of the fifth new shipper review of the antidumping duty order on brake rotors from the People's Republic of China. *See Brake Rotors from the People's Republic of China: Preliminary Results and Partial Rescission of the Fifth New Shipper Review*, 66 FR 29080 (May 29, 2001) (*Preliminary Results*). The new shipper review initially covered three respondents (*see* "Background" section below for further discussion). The period of review is April 1, 2000, through September 30, 2000. We gave interested parties an opportunity to comment on our preliminary results and submit additional publicly available information for consideration in the final results.

Based on the additional publicly available information submitted and the comments received from the interested parties, we have made changes in the margin calculations for two respondents in this review. The final weighted-average dumping margins for the reviewed firms in this review are listed below in the section entitled "Final Results of New Shipper Review."

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 23, 2001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Brian Smith or Terre Keaton, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone: (202) 482-1766 or (202) 482-1280.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

The Applicable Statute

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended ("the Act"), are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Act by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act ("URAA"). In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department of Commerce's ("the Department's") regulations are to 19 CFR part 351 (2000).

Background

On May 29, 2001, the Department published in the **Federal Register** the preliminary results and partial rescission of the fifth new shipper review of the antidumping duty order on brake rotors from the People's Republic of China ("PRC") (66 FR 29080). On June 4, 2001, the petitioner¹ requested an extension of time to submit publicly available information and rebuttal comments, and an extension of time to submit its case and rebuttal briefs in this review. On June 7, 2001, in response to the requests made by the petitioner, we provided all parties with another opportunity to submit publicly available information and to submit comments on this information for consideration in the final results, and an extension of time to submit case and rebuttal briefs. The petitioner submitted additional publicly available information on June 22, 2001. The respondents² submitted comments and rebuttal publicly available information on June 29, 2001. The petitioner submitted its case brief on July 13, 2001. The respondents submitted their rebuttal brief on July 20, 2001.

The Department has conducted this review in accordance with section 751 of the Act.

Scope of the Order

The products covered by this order are brake rotors made of gray cast iron, whether finished, semifinished, or unfinished, ranging in diameter from 8 to 16 inches (20.32 to 40.64 centimeters)

¹ The petitioner is the Coalition for the Preservation of American Brake Drum and Rotor Aftermarket Manufacturers.

² The respondents in this review are Qingdao Meita Automotive Industry Co., Ltd. ("Meita") and Shandong Laizhou Huanri Group General Co. ("Huanri General").