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Add "and Quality Assurance" to the first sentence of paragraph #4 after the words "and Rep Payee" and before the second sentence.

Add "and Quality Assurance" to paragraph #6 after the words "for Rep Payee."

Add "and Quality Assurance" to the first sentence of paragraph #7 after the words "Rep Payee" and before the second sentence.

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11. Coordinates the development and testing of Continuity of Operations Plans (COOP).

12. Manages routine and complex security-related compliance activities and develops sensitive standardized security profiles procedures.

13. Grants and approves the administrative and physical controls to SSA systems to prevent unauthorized access and physical damage, disclosure and destruction to SSA's system of records.

14. Develops and maintains system security risk assessments and security plans implementing security standards, regulations, requirements and any additional changes in legislative policy or procedure.

J. The Division of Electronic Processing Support (S4R)

Add the word "Disability" to paragraph #1 after the words "Hearings, Appeals, Litigation," and before the words "and Customer Help."

Add the word "Disability" to the first sentence in paragraph #3 after the words "Hearings, Appeals, Litigation," and before the words "and CHIP."

Add the word "Disability" to paragraph #5 after the words "Hearings, Appeals, Litigation," and before the words "and CHIP."

Add the word "Disability" to the first sentence in paragraph #6 after the words "Hearings, Appeals, Litigation," and before the words "and CHIP software."

Add the word "Disability" to paragraph #7 after the words "Hearings, Appeals, Litigation," and before the words "and CHIP processes."

Dated: April 5, 2004.

Reginald F. Wells,

Deputy Commissioner for Human Resources.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 4686]

Culturally Significant Objects Imported for Exhibition; Determinations: "Modigliani: Beyond the Myth"

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given of the following determinations: Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Act of October 19, 1965 [79 Stat. 985; 22 U.S.C. 2459], Executive Order 12047 of March 27, 1978, the Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act of 1998 [112 Stat. 2681, *et seq.*; 22 U.S.C. 6501 *note, et seq.*], Delegation of Authority No. 234 of October 1, 1999 [64 FR 56014], Delegation of Authority No. 236 of October 19, 1999 [64 FR 57920], as amended, and Delegation of Authority No. 257 of April 15, 2003 [68 FR 19875], I hereby determine that the objects to be included in the exhibition, "Modigliani: Beyond the Myth," imported from abroad for temporary exhibition within the United States, are of cultural significance. The objects are imported pursuant to loan agreements with foreign lenders. I also determine that the exhibition or display of the exhibit objects at The Jewish Museum, New York, New York, from on or about May 21, 2004, to on or about September 19, 2004, The Phillips Collection, Washington, DC, from on or about February 9, 2005, to on or about May 29, 2005, and at possible additional venues yet to be determined, is in the national interest. Public Notice of these determinations is ordered to be published in the **Federal Register**.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information, including a list of exhibit objects, contact Paul W. Manning, Attorney-Adviser, Office of the Legal Adviser, (202) 619-5997, and the address is United States Department of State, SA-44, Room 700, 301 4th

Street, SW., Washington, DC 20547-0001.

Dated: April 6, 2004.

C. Miller Crouch,

Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Educational and Cultural Affairs, Department of State.

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OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE

Generalized System of Preferences (GSP): Request for Public Comments on the Possible Withdrawal, Suspension, or Limitation of GSP Benefits with Respect to Bangladesh

AGENCY: Office of the United States Trade Representative (USTR).

ACTION: Request for public comments.

SUMMARY: As part of an ongoing country practice review, the GSP Subcommittee of the Trade Policy Staff Committee (TPSC) is considering whether to recommend that duty-free treatment accorded to imports from Bangladesh under the U.S. GSP program be withdrawn, suspended, or limited on the grounds that Bangladesh has not implemented long-standing commitments to the United States to allow its national labor law to be applied in its Export Processing Zones (EPZs). The GSP Subcommittee is seeking public comments on which products of Bangladesh should no longer be eligible for GSP duty-free treatment if the Subcommittee decides to recommend limiting Bangladesh's GSP benefits. All Public comments must be received by May 12, 2004.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: GSP Subcommittee, Office of the United States Trade Representative, USTR Annex, 1724 F Street, NW., Room F220, Washington, DC 20508 (Tel. 202-395-6971). Public versions of all documents relating to this review are available for public inspection by appointment in the USTR public reading room (Tel. 202-395-6186).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The GSP program is authorized pursuant to Title V of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended ("the Trade Act") (19 U.S.C. 2461 *et seq.*). The GSP program grants duty-free treatment to designated eligible articles that are imported from designated beneficiary developing countries. Once granted, GSP benefits may be withdrawn, suspended, or limited by the President with respect to any country. (19 U.S.C. 2462(d)(1)). Bangladesh is a designated beneficiary

developing country under the GSP program. The Annex to this Notice lists currently GSP-eligible tariff items from the U.S. Harmonized Tariff Schedule (HTS) in which there were imports under GSP from Bangladesh during 2003.

I. Possible Withdrawal, Suspension, or Limitation of GSP Benefits for Bangladesh

The Government of Bangladesh does not provide freedom of association or the right to collective bargaining to workers in its EPZs. Among other commitments, Bangladesh had published a notice on January 1, 2001, stating that it would extend these rights to EPZs as of January 1, 2004. However, Bangladesh has failed to do so. In 1999, the AFL-CIO filed a petition seeking withdrawal or suspension of GSP benefits for Bangladesh. The TPSC accepted the petition for review, sought public comment on the petition, including whether withdrawal or suspension of benefits is warranted, and conducted a public hearing. The review of the petition was continued until this year; and, as a result, the GSP Subcommittee is considering recommending to the TPSC that duty-free treatment under GSP be withdrawn, suspended, or limited for Bangladesh, pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 2462(d)(1).

II. Opportunity for Public Comment

The GSP Subcommittee has already received comments on whether to withdraw or suspend GSP benefits for Bangladesh. If the Subcommittee recommends to the TPSC that the President limit GSP benefits for Bangladesh products, rather than withdraw or suspend duty-free treatment entirely, the Subcommittee will recommend a list of products for which duty-free treatment under the GSP program should be withdrawn. This notice solicits comments on which products to include on that list. All Public comments must be received by May 12, 2004.

Requirements for Submissions

All submissions must conform to the GSP regulations set forth at 15 CFR Part 2007, except as modified below. In order to facilitate prompt processing of submissions to this notice, USTR strongly urges and prefers electronic e-mail submissions in response to this notice. Hand delivered submissions will not be accepted. These submissions should be single copy transmissions in English with the total submission not to exceed 50 single-spaced standard letter-size pages. E-mail submissions should use the following subject line: "Bangladesh GSP Product Review." Documents, in English, must be submitted in either of the following formats: WordPerfect ("WPD"), MSWord ("DOC"), or text ("TXT") files. Documents may not be submitted as electronic image or graphic files or contain imbedded images (for example, "JPG", "PDF", "BMP", or "GIF") as these graphic files are generally excessively large and inhibit distribution to the GSP Subcommittee. E-mail submissions containing such files may not be accepted. Supporting documentation submitted as spreadsheets are acceptable as Quattro Pro or Excel files, formatted for printing only on 8½ x 11 inch paper. To the extent possible, any data attachments to the submission should be included in the same file as the submission itself, and not as separate files.

If the submission contains business confidential information, a non-confidential version of the submission must also be submitted that indicates where confidential information was redacted by inserting asterisks where material was deleted. In addition, the confidential submission must be clearly marked "BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL" at the top and bottom of each and every page of the document. The public version, which does not contain business confidential information, must also be clearly marked at the top and bottom of each and every page (either "PUBLIC VERSION" or "NON-CONFIDENTIAL"). Documents that are submitted without any marking might

not be accepted or will be considered public documents.

For any document containing business confidential information submitted as an electronic attached file to an e-mail transmission, the file name of the business confidential version should begin with the characters "BC-", and the file name of the public version should begin with the characters "P-". The "P-" or "BC-" should be followed by the name of the party (government, company, union, association, etc.) which is making the submission.

E-mail submissions should not include separate cover letters or messages in the message area of the e-mail; information that might appear in any cover letter should be included directly in the attached file containing the submission itself, including identifying information on the sender, including sender's e-mail address. The e-mail address for these submissions is *FR0052@USTR.GOV*. Documents not submitted in accordance with these instructions might not be considered in this review. If unable to provide submissions by e-mail, please contact the GSP Subcommittee to arrange for an alternative method of transmission.

Information submitted will be subject to public inspection shortly after the relevant due dates by appointment with the staff of the USTR public reading room, except for information submitted and properly marked that is granted "business confidential" status pursuant to 15 CFR 2003.6 and other qualifying information submitted in confidence pursuant to 15 CFR 2007.7. Public versions of all documents relating to this review will be available for review after the relevant due date by appointment in the USTR public reading room, 1724 F Street NW., Washington, DC. Appointments may be made from 9:30 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, by calling (202) 395-6186.

Steven Falken,

Executive Director for GSP, Chairman, GSP Subcommittee of the Trade Policy Staff Committee.

ANNEX I: U.S. IMPORTS OF GSP-ELIGIBLE ITEMS FROM BANGLADESH

[The tariff nomenclature in the U.S. Harmonized Tariff Schedule (HTS) for the subheadings listed below is definitive; the product descriptions in this list are for informational purposes only.]

HTS sub-heading	Article description	2003 dollar value
95063900	Golf equipment (o/than golf footwear) nesoi and parts & accessories thereof	6,202,138
39239000	Articles nesoi, for the conveyance or packing of goods, of plastics	2,694,197
69111037	Porcelain or china (o/than bone china) household tabl. & kitch.ware in sets in which aggregate val. of arts./US note 6(b) o/\$56 n/o \$200.	1,186,144
69111010	Porcelain or china hotel, restaurant & nonhousehold table and kitchenware	755,777

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HTS sub-heading	Article description	2003 dollar value
41044150	Crust full grain unsplit/grain split bovine (except buffalo) nesoi and equine hides and skins, nesoi, w/o hair, tanned not further prepared.	479,703
63079098	National flags and other made-up articles of textile materials, nesoi	449,253
57029920	Carpets & other textile floor coverings, not of pile construction, woven, made up, of other textile materials nesoi	354,411
24012085	Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped, threshed or similarly processed, not from cigar leaf, described in addl. U.S. note 5 to chap 24.	353,724
94043080	Sleeping bags, not containing 20% or more by weight of feathers and/or down	349,637
42010060	Saddlery and harnesses for animals nesi, (incl. traces, leads, knee pads, muzzles, saddle cloths and bags and the like), of any material.	234,170
96020010	Unhardened gelatin, worked and articles thereof	220,421
69111052	Porcelain or china (o/than bone china) hsehd tabl/kit.ware n/in specif.sets, cups o/\$8 but n/o \$29/dz, saucers o/\$5.25 but n/o \$18.75/dz, etc.	205,202
24012083	Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed/stripped, threshed or similarly processed, not from cigar leaf, not oriental or turkish, not for cigarett.	155,877
39269098	Other articles of plastic, nesoi	122,967
39249055	Household articles and toilet articles, nesoi, of plastics	118,667
65069900	Headgear (other than safety headgear), nesoi, of materials other than rubber, plastics, or furskins, whether or not lined or trimmed.	113,367
69111080	Porcelain or china (o/than bone china) household tableware & kitchenware, not in specified sets, nesoi	106,552
46021018	Baskets and bags of vegetable material, neosi	89,116
94060080	Prefabricated buildings, not of wood	60,515
46021080	Basketwork and other articles, neosi, of vegetables materials, nesoi	59,749
46021009	Baskets and bags of bamboo other than wickerwork	49,595
69111025	Bone china household table & kitchenware valued o/\$31.50/doz. pcs	48,704
73269085	Iron or steel, articles, nesoi	45,255
03049090	Frozen fish meat (excluding fillets), other than in bulk or in immediate containers weighing with their contents over 6.8 kg each.	42,842
19059090	Bakers' wares communion wafers, empty capsules suitable for pharmaceutical use, sealing wafers, rice paper and similar products, nesi.	42,006
35030055	Gelatin sheets and derivatives, nesoi; isinglass; other glues of animal origin, nesoi	42,000
94043040	Sleeping bags, containing 20% or more by weight of feathers and/or down	41,705
69111045	Porcelain or china (o/than bone china) household mugs and steins w/o attached pewter lids	37,392
19041000	Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products	32,836
68029300	Monumental or building stone & arts. thereof, of granite, further worked than simply cut/sawn, nesoi	29,121
90141090	Direction finding compasses, other than optical instruments, gyroscopic compasses or electrical	28,812
69111035	Porcelain or china (o/than bone china) househld tabl. & kitch.ware in sets in which aggregate val. of arts./US note 6(b) n/o \$56.	27,276
61178085	Headbands, ponytail holders & similar articles, of textile materials other than containing 70% or more by weight of silk, knitted/crocheted.	25,924
39261000	Office or school supplies, of plastics	25,016
39232100	Sacks and bags (including cones) for the conveyance or packing of goods, of polymers of ethylene	24,893
44189045	Builders' joinery and carpentry of wood, including cellular wood panels, nesoi	24,749
69149080	Ceramic (o/than porcelain or china) arts. (o/than tableware/kitchenware/household & ornament. arts), nesoi	23,288
19049001	Cereals, other than corn, in grain form or form flakes or other worked grain (not flour, groat & meal), pre-cooked or otherwise prepared, nesoi.	21,795
10063090	Rice semi-milled or wholly milled, whether or not polished or glazed, other than parboiled	21,416
69111015	Bone china household table & kitchenware valued n/o \$31.50/doz. pcs	19,635
74181950	Copper (o/than brass), table kitchen or other household articles and parts thereof, not coated or plated w/precious metals.	17,588
07108070	Vegetables nesi, uncooked or cooked by steaming or boiling in water, frozen, not reduced in size	17,108
33074100	Agarbatti and other odoriferous preparations which operate by burning, to perfume or deodorize rooms or used during religious rites.	16,249
39262090	Articles of apparel & clothing accessories, of plastic, nesoi	14,575
69111058	Porcelain or china (o/than bone china) hsehd tabl/kit ware n/in specif. sets, cups o/\$29/dz, saucers o/\$18.75/dz, bowls o/\$33/dz, etc.	12,983
94055040	Non-electrical lamps and lighting fixtures nesoi, not of brass	11,528
20089990	Fruit nesi, and other edible parts of plants nesi, other than pulp and excluding mixtures, otherwise prepared or preserved, nesi.	11,013
20019045	Mangoes, prepared or preserved by vinegar or acetic acid	9,432
74181920	Copper-zinc alloy (brass), table, kitchen or other household articles and parts thereof, not coated or plated w/precious metals.	9,138
70199050	Glass fibers (including glass wool), nesoi, and articles thereof, nesoi	8,458
92059040	Wind musical instruments, o/than w/elect. sound or ampl., woodwind instruments (o/than bagpipes)	8,168
09109960	Spices, nesi	7,911
56089023	Hammocks, of cotton	7,845
64059020	Disposable footwear, nesoi, designed for one-time use	7,700
07102940	Leguminous vegetables nesi, uncooked or cooked by steaming or boiling in water, frozen	7,173
20019038	Vegetables (including olives) nesoi, prepared or preserved by vinegar or acetic acid	6,660

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HTS sub-heading	Article description	2003 dollar value
19019090	Flour-, meal-, starch-, malt extract-or dairy-based food preps not containing cocoa and not containing specific amounts of dairy, nesoi.	6,615
10063010	Rice semi-milled or wholly milled, whether or not polished or glazed, parboiled	6,565
46021016	Baskets and bags of rattan or palm leaf other than wickerwork	6,520
10062040	Husked (brown) rice, other than Basmati	6,434
07133920	Dried beans nesi, shelled, if entered for consumption from May 1 through August 31, inclusive, in any year	5,663
62171085	Headbands, ponytail holders and similar articles, of textile materials containing < 70% by weight of silk, not knit/crochet.	5,432
41079180	Full grain unsplit bovine (not buffalo) & equine leather, not whole, w/o hair on, nesoi, fancy, prepared after tanning or crusting, not 4114.	5,245
17049035	Sugar confections or sweetmeats ready for consumption, not containing cocoa, other than candied nuts or cough drops.	4,723
07112038	Olives, n/pitted, nesoi	4,419
63049925	Wall hangings of jute, excluding those of heading 9404	3,997
40159000	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, excluding gloves, of vulcanized rubber other than hard rubber	3,411
17039030	Molasses, other than cane, imported for (a) the commercial extraction of sugar or (b) human consumption	3,340
04069025	Gjetost cheese, made from goats' milk, whey or whey obtained from a mixture of goats' & n/o 20% cows milk, not grated, powdered or processed.	3,084
56089030	Knotted netting of twine, cordage or rope or other made-up nets (not fish netting and nets) of textile materials (not cotton/manmade mat.).	2,985
17023040	Glucose and glucose syrup, not containing fructose or in the dry state less than 20 percent by weight of fructose, nesi.	2,808
07132020	Dried chickpeas (garbanzos), shelled	2,795
69139050	Ceramic (o/than porcelain, china or earthenware) ornamental articles, nesoi	2,770
46021045	Basketwork and other articles, neosi, of one or more of bamboo, rattan, willow or wood	2,762
41044120	Crust whole bovine hide and skin leather (not upper or lining), w/o hair on, surface n/o 2.6 sq m, tanned but not further prepared.	2,600
10064000	Broken rice	2,424
03037500	Dogfish and other sharks, frozen, excluding filets, livers, roes and fish meat of 0304	2,396
20019060	Fruits, nuts, and other edible parts of plants, nesi, prepared or preserved by vinegar or acetic acid	2,198
19023000	Pasta nesi	2,100
50079030	Woven silk fabrics, containing 85 percent or more by weight of silk or silk waste, nesoi	1,732
39241020	Plates, cups, saucers, soup bowls, cereal bowls, sugar bowls, creamers, gravy boats, serving dishes and platters, of plastics.	1,501
39241040	Tableware and kitchenware articles, nesoi, of plastics	1,070
67010030	Articles of feathers or down (other than articles & apparel filled or stuffed with feathers/down and worked quills & scapes).	784
62141010	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like, not knitted or crocheted, containing 70% or more silk or silk waste.	660
39264000	Statuettes and other ornamental articles, of plastics	389
62160046	Gloves, mittens & mitts, for sports use, incl. ski & snowmobile, of man-made fibers, not impregnated/coated with plastics or rubber.	315

Source: Compiled from data provided by the U.S. International Trade Commission, Department of Commerce, and Department of Homeland Security.

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OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE

Trade Policy Staff Committee; Initiation of Environmental Review of the Free Trade Negotiations With Certain Andean Countries; Public Comments on Scope of Environmental Review

AGENCY: Office of the United States Trade Representative.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: This publication gives notice that, pursuant to authority delegated by

the President in Executive Order 13277 (67 FR 70305) and consistent with Executive Order 13141 (64 FR 63169) and its implementing guidelines (65 FR 79442), the Office of the United States Trade Representative (USTR), through the Trade Policy Staff Committee (TPSC), is initiating an environmental review of the proposed United States Free Trade Agreement with certain Andean countries (Colombia, Peru, Ecuador and Bolivia). The TPSC is requesting written comments from the public on what should be included in the scope of the environmental review, including the potential environmental effects that might flow from the free trade agreement and the potential implications for U.S. environmental

laws and regulations, and identification of complementarities between trade and environmental objectives such as the promotion of sustainable development. The TPSC also welcomes public views on appropriate methodologies and sources of data for conducting the review. Persons submitting written comments should provide as much detail as possible on the degree to which the subject matter they propose for inclusion in the review may raise significant environmental issues in the context of the negotiation.

DATES: Public comments should be received no later than May 14, 2004.

ADDRESSES: Submissions by electronic mail: FR0422@ustr.gov.