

SUMMARY: Following receipt on January 11, 2007 of a request from the United States Trade Representative (USTR) under section 332(g) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1332 (g)), the Commission instituted investigation No. 332-483, *Advice Concerning Possible Modifications to the U.S. Generalized System of Preferences, 2006 Review*.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Information may be obtained from Cynthia B. Foreso, Project Leader, Office of Industries (202-205-3348 or cynthia.foreso@usitc.gov) or Falan Yinug, Deputy Project Leader, Office of Industries (202-205-2160 or falan.yinug@usitc.gov). For more information on legal aspects of the investigation, contact William Gearhart of the Commission's Office of the General Counsel at 202-205-3091 or william.gearhart@usitc.gov. The media should contact Margaret O'Laughlin, Office of External Relations at 202-205-1819 or margaret.olaughlin@usitc.gov.

Background: As requested by the USTR, in accordance with section 503(d)(1)(A), of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended (1974 Act), the Commission will provide advice on whether any industry in the United States is likely to be adversely affected by a waiver of the competitive need limits specified in section 503(c)(2)(A) of the 1970 Act for Argentina for HTS subheadings 2836.91.00 and 7202.99.20; Brazil for HTS subheadings 7403.11.00 and 7408.11.60; India for HTS subheadings 2001.10.00, 5703.10.20, and 8528.12.80; and Thailand for HTS subheading 4011.20.10. With respect to the competitive need limit in section 503(c)(2)(A)(i)(I) of the 1974 Act, the Commission, as requested, will use the dollar value limit of \$125 million. In an addendum received on January 17, 2007, the USTR also requested that this advice include the effect of such waivers on consumers.

As requested by the USTR, the Commission will provide its advice no later than April 11, 2007. The USTR indicated that those sections of the Commission's report and related working papers that contain the Commission's advice will be classified.

Public Hearing: A public hearing in connection with this investigation will be held beginning at 9:30 a.m. on February 22, 2007, at the United States International Trade Commission Building, 500 E Street SW, Washington, DC. All persons have the right to appear by counsel or in person, to present information, and to be heard. Persons wishing to appear at the public hearing should file a letter with the Secretary, United States International Trade

Commission, 500 E St., SW, Washington, DC 20436, not later than the close of business (5:15 p.m.) on February 5, 2007, in accordance with the requirements in the "Submissions" section below.

Written Submissions: In lieu of or in addition to participating in the hearing, interested parties are invited to submit written statements or briefs concerning these investigations. All written submissions, including requests to appear at the hearing, statements, and briefs, should be addressed to the Secretary, United States International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW, Washington, DC 20436. Any prehearing statements or briefs should be filed not later than 5:15 p.m., February 8, 2007; the deadline for filing posthearing statements or briefs is 5:15 p.m., February 27, 2007. All written submissions must conform with the provisions of section 201.8 of the *Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure* (19 CFR. 201.8). Section 201.8 of the rules requires that a signed original (or a copy designated as an original) and fourteen (14) copies of each document be filed. In the event that confidential treatment of the document is requested, at least four (4) additional copies must be filed, in which the confidential information must be deleted (see the following paragraph for further information regarding confidential business information). The Commission's rules do not authorize filing submissions with the Secretary by facsimile or electronic means, except to the extent permitted by section 201.8 of the rules (see Handbook for Electronic Filing Procedures, ftp://ftp.usitc.gov/pub/reports/electronic_filing_handbook.pdf).

Any submissions that contain confidential business information must also conform with the requirements of section 201.6 of the *Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure* (19 CFR. 201.6). Section 201.6 of the rules requires that the cover of the document and the individual pages be clearly marked as to whether they are the "confidential" or "nonconfidential" version, and that the confidential business information be clearly identified by means of brackets. All written submissions, except for confidential business information, will be made available in the Office of the Secretary to the Commission for inspection by interested parties.

The Commission may include some or all of the confidential business information submitted in the course of these investigations in the report it sends to the USTR. As requested by the USTR, the Commission will publish a

public version of the report, which will exclude portions of the report that the USTR has classified as confidential as well as any confidential business information. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Secretary at 202-205-2000.

By order of the Commission.

Issued: January 22, 2007.

Marilyn R. Abbott,

Secretary to the Commission.

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NATIONAL CREDIT UNION ADMINISTRATION

Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission to OMB for Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: National Credit Union Administration (NCUA).

ACTION: Request for comment.

SUMMARY: The NCUA intends to submit the following information collection to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). This information collection is published to obtain comments from the public.

DATES: Comments will be accepted until March 27, 2007.

ADDRESSES: Interested parties are invited to submit written comments to NCUA Clearance Officer listed below:

Clearance Officer: Mr. Neil McNamara, National Credit Union Administration, 1775 Duke Street, Alexandria, VA 22314-3428, Fax No. 703-837-2861, *E-mail:* mcnamara@ncua.gov.

OMB Desk Officer: Mr. Mark Menchik, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Docket Library, Room 10102, 725-17th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20503.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or a copy of the information collection request, should be directed to Tracy Sumpter at the National Credit Union Administration, 1775 Duke Street, Alexandria, VA 22314-3428, or at (703) 518-6444.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Proposal for the following collection of information:

OMB Number: 3133-0168.

Form Number: N/A.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Title: Maximum Borrowing Authority, 12 CFR 741.2.

Description: The collection of information requirement is for those federally insured state-chartered credit unions seeking a waiver from the maximum borrowing limitation of 50% of paid-in and unimpaired capital and surplus.

Respondents: Credit unions.

Estimated No. of Respondents/Record keepers: 2.

Estimated Burden Hours per Response: 8 hours.

Frequency of Response: Reporting, and on occasion.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 16 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Cost: \$0.00.

By the National Credit Union Administration Board on January 22, 2007.

Mary Rupp,

Secretary of the Board.

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NATIONAL CREDIT UNION ADMINISTRATION

Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission to OMB for Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: National Credit Union Administration (NCUA).

ACTION: Request for comment.

SUMMARY: The NCUA intends to submit the following information collection to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). This information collection is published to obtain comments from the public.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Proposal for the following collection of information:

Title: Federal Credit Union (FCU) Recordkeeping of Meeting Minutes and Other Documents.

OMB Number: 3133-0057.

Form Number: None.

Type of Review: Reinstatement, without change, of a previously approved collection.

Description: The Federal Credit Union (FCU) Act and NCUA's FCU Bylaws require each FCU to prepare and maintain minutes of its board and member meetings and copies of other documents and election results. Additionally, the board's secretary must inform the NCUA Board of any address change of a federal credit union.

Respondents: Federal credit unions.

Estimated No. of Respondents/Recordkeepers: 5,572.

Estimated Burden Hours per Response: 3.25 hours.

Frequency of Response: Recordkeeping and reporting on occasion and annually.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 19,223.4 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Cost: N/A.

By the National Credit Union Administration Board on January 22, 2007.

Mary Rupp,

Secretary of the Board.

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NATIONAL CREDIT UNION ADMINISTRATION

Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission to OMB for Reinstatement; Comment Request

AGENCY: National Credit Union Administration (NCUA).

ACTION: Request for comment.

SUMMARY: The NCUA intends to submit the following information collection to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). This information collection is published to obtain comments from the public.

DATES: Comments will be accepted until March 27, 2007.

ADDRESSES: Interested parties are invited to submit written comments to NCUA Clearance Officer listed below:

Clearance Officer: Mr. Neil McNamara, National Credit Union Administration, 1775 Duke Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22314-3428, Fax No. 703-837-2861, *E-mail:* mcnamara@ncua.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Requests for additional information or a

copy of the information collection request, should be directed to Tracy Sumpter at the National Credit Union Administration, 1775 Duke Street, Alexandria, VA 22314-3428, or at (703) 518-6444.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Proposal for the following collection of information:

Title: Application of a State Chartered Credit Union for Insurance of Accounts.

OMB Number: 3133-0011.

Form Number: NCUA 9600.

Type of Review: Reinstatement, without change, of a previously approved collection.

Description: Section 201 of the Federal Credit Union Act (12 U.S.C. 1781) requires state-chartered credit unions desiring federal insurance to submit an application. The requirement also applies to federal credit unions converting to state charters and desiring federal insurance.

Respondents: State chartered credit unions and federal credit unions converting to state charter that desire federal insurance of member accounts.

Estimated No. of Respondents/Recordkeepers: 15.

Estimated Burden Hours per Response: 3.6 hours.

Frequency of Response: Reporting. Upon application for federal insurance.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 54 hours.

Estimated Total Annual Cost: N/A.

By the National Credit Union Administration Board on January 22, 2007.

Mary Rupp,

Secretary of the Board.

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NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

National Endowment for the Arts; Arts Advisory Panel

Pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), as amended, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Arts Advisory Panel to the National Council on the Arts will be held by teleconference from the Nancy Hanks Center, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506 as follows (ending time is approximate):

National Initiatives (application review): February 22, 2007. This meeting, from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m., will be closed.

The closed portions of meetings are for the purpose of Panel review, discussion, evaluation, and