

Department) received a request to conduct a new-shipper review of the antidumping duty order on freshwater crawfish tail meat from the People's Republic of China (PRC). In accordance with section 751(a)(2)(B) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), and 19 CFR 351.214(d), we are initiating an antidumping duty new-shipper review.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Hermes Pinilla or Minoo Hatten at (202) 482-3477 and (202) 482-1690, respectively, Office 5, AD/CVD Operations, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Background**

The Department published the antidumping duty order on freshwater crawfish tail meat from the PRC in the **Federal Register** on September 15, 1997. *See Notice of Amendment to Final Determination of Sales at Less than Fair Value and Antidumping Duty Order: Freshwater Crawfish Tail Meat from the People's Republic of China*, 62 FR 48218 (September 15, 1997). On September 15, 2009, we received a timely request for a new-shipper review of the antidumping duty order on freshwater crawfish tail meat from the PRC from Nanjing Gemen International Co., Ltd. (Nanjing Gemen). At our request, on October 13, 2009, Nanjing Gemen submitted additional information to supplement its request for a new-shipper review. *See memorandum to file dated October 13, 2009.* Nanjing Gemen certified that it is the exporter of the subject merchandise upon which the request for a new-shipper review is based.

Pursuant to section 751(a)(2)(B)(i)(I) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.214(b)(2)(ii)(A), Nanjing Gemen certified that it did not export freshwater crawfish tail meat to the United States during the period of investigation (POI). Further, pursuant to 19 CFR 351.214(b)(2)(ii)(B), the producer, Henan Baoshu Aquatic Products Co., Ltd. (Henan Baoshu), certified that it did not export subject merchandise to the United States during the POI. In addition, pursuant to section 751(a)(2)(B)(i)(II) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.214(b)(2)(iii)(A), Nanjing Gemen certified that, since the initiation of the investigation, it has never been affiliated with any PRC exporter or producer who exported freshwater crawfish tail meat to the United States during the POI, including those not individually examined during the investigation. As required by 19 CFR 351.214(b)(2)(iii)(B),

Nanjing Gemen also certified that its export activities are not controlled by the central government of the PRC.

In addition to the certifications described above, pursuant to 19 CFR 351.214(b)(2)(iv), Nanjing Gemen submitted documentation establishing the date on which it first shipped freshwater crawfish tail meat for export to the United States and the date on which the freshwater crawfish tail meat was first entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption, the volume of its first shipment, and the date of its first sale to an unaffiliated customer in the United States.

The Department conducted a query of the U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) database to confirm that Nanjing Gemen's shipment of subject merchandise had entered the United States for consumption and had been suspended for antidumping duties. The Department also corroborated Nanjing Gemen's assertion that it made subsequent shipments to the United States by reviewing CBP data.

We did not receive comments from Crawfish Processors Alliance (the petitioner) on Nanjing Gemen's request for a new-shipper review.

**Initiation of New-Shipper Review**

Pursuant to section 751(a)(2)(B) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.214(d)(1), the Department finds that Nanjing Gemen's request meets the threshold requirements for initiation of a new-shipper review for the shipment of freshwater crawfish tail meat from the PRC. *See Memorandum to the File entitled: "New-Shipper Review Initiation Checklist"* dated October 26, 2009.

The period of review for this new-shipper review is September 1, 2008, through August 31, 2009. *See* 19 CFR 351.214(g)(1)(i)(A). The Department intends to issue the preliminary results of this review no later than 180 days from the date of initiation and final results of this review no later than 270 days from the date of initiation. *See* section 751(a)(2)(B)(iv) of the Act.

Interested parties requiring access to proprietary information in this new-shipper review should submit applications for disclosure under administrative protective order in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305 and 351.306.

Because Nanjing Gemen certified that it exported subject merchandise produced by Henan Baoshu, the sales of which form the basis for the request for a new-shipper review, we will instruct CBP to allow, at the option of the importer until the completion of the review, the posting of a bond or security

in lieu of a cash deposit for each entry of the subject merchandise produced by Henan Baoshu and exported by Nanjing Gemen in accordance with section 751(a)(2)(B)(iii) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.214(e). The bonding privilege will apply only to subject merchandise produced by Henan Baoshu and exported by Nanjing Gemen.

This initiation and notice are published in accordance with section 751(a)(2)(B) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.214 and 351.221(c)(1)(i).

Dated: October 26, 2009.

**John M. Andersen,**

*Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration**

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**New England Fishery Management Council; Public Meeting**

**AGENCY:** National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of a public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The New England Fishery Management Council (Council) will hold a 3-day Council meeting on November 17-19, 2009, to consider actions affecting New England fisheries in the exclusive economic zone (EEZ).

**DATES:** The meeting will begin on Tuesday, November 17 at 8:30 a.m. and Wednesday and Thursday, November 18 and 19, beginning at 8 a.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held at the Hyatt Regency Newport, 1 Goat Island, Newport, RI 02840; telephone: (401) 851-1234; fax: (401) 846-7210.

*Council address:* New England Fishery Management Council, 50 Water Street, Mill 2, Newburyport, MA 01950.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Paul J. Howard, Executive Director, New England Fishery Management Council; telephone: (978) 465-0492.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Tuesday, November 17, 2009**

Following introductions and any announcements, the Council will discuss and approve its management priorities for 2010. The Scientific and Statistical Committee (SSC) Chairman will then present the results of the committee's recent deliberations

concerning Atlantic herring. At the request of the Council, the SSC was asked to revisit the size of the 40% buffer between the herring Overfishing Level and Acceptable Biological Catch to consider whether application of recent years retrospective difference of about 17% is sufficient to account for scientific uncertainty caused by retrospective patterns. Prior to a lunch break the Herring Committee will ask the Council to approve final recommendations for multi-year herring fishery specifications (2010–12). The specifications will address overfishing levels, acceptable biological catch, management uncertainty and, among other issues, the Total Allowable Catch and Annual Catch Limits for each of the four herring management areas. The Council also will receive an update on the development of catch monitoring alternatives to be included in Amendment 5 to the Atlantic Herring Fishery Management Plan (FMP) and based on the discussion, may restructure the alternatives. This and the previous herring agenda item will be discussed until the meeting adjourns at the end of the afternoon.

#### Wednesday, November 18, 2009

The second day of the Council meeting will begin with a review and approval of final measures for inclusion in Framework 21 to the Atlantic Sea Scallop FMP. Measures under consideration for implementation in the 2010 fishing year will address compliance with a reasonable and prudent alternative provided in the most recent NMFS Biological Opinion for the FMP regarding sea turtle interactions, fishery specifications for both limited access and general category fleets, area rotation adjustments, and other measures. The Council also will review preliminary analyses concerning the potential impacts of various yellowtail flounder allocation alternatives on the scallop fishery. The allocation is being considered in a specifications package for the groundfish fishery for fishing years 2010–12.

The Groundfish Committee will ask the Council to approve Framework Adjustment 44 to the Northeast Multispecies FMP. The action is intended to include the specification of annual catch limits for fishing years 2010–12, and the yellowtail flounder sub-components for the scallop fishery. The Council also will address modifications to the groundfish common pool effort control measures such as trip limits or differential days-at-sea counting in order to meet the

Council's fishing mortality targets for several groundfish stocks.

#### Thursday, November 19, 2009

The Council will begin the last day of the meeting with a series of brief reports from the Council Chairman and Executive Director, the NOAA Fisheries Northeast Regional Administrator, Northeast Fisheries Science Center and Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council liaisons, NOAA General Counsel, representatives of the U.S. Coast Guard and the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission, as well as NOAA Enforcement. These reports will be followed by a review of any experimental fishery permit applications that have been received since the last Council meeting. The Council will also approve final recommendations for 2010 specifications for the red crab fishery. The discussion will include a review of the Red Crab Plan Development Team's analyses; the specifications will address acceptable biological catch based on the recommendation of the Council's SSC. Following a lunch break, the Council will accept public comments on issues related to fisheries management issues, but not listed on the meeting agenda. During the afternoon session, the Council plans to approve draft measures to be included in Amendment 5 to the Monkfish FMP. Issues to be considered will include annual catch limits, accountability measures, trip limits and days-at-sea for 2011–13. Following Council approval, the amendment and accompanying documents will be made available for public review and comment. The day will conclude with a review and possible development of Council positions on bluefin tuna and swordfish management. Before adjournment, the Council may address any other outstanding business related to this meeting.

Although other non-emergency issues not contained in this agenda may come before this Council for discussion, those issues may not be the subjects of formal action during this meeting. Council action will be restricted to those issues specifically listed in this notice and any issues arising after publication of this notice that require emergency action under section 305(c) of the Magnuson-Stevens Act, provided that the public has been notified of the Council's intent to take final action to address the emergency.

#### Special Accommodations

This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Paul

J. Howard (see **ADDRESSES**) at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

Dated: October 27, 2009.

#### Tracey L. Thompson,

*Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.*

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## COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

### Meetings; Sunshine Act

#### AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING:

Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

#### Sunshine Act Meetings

**TIME AND DATE:** 11 a.m., Friday, November 6, 2009.

**PLACE:** 1155 21st St., NW., Washington, DC, 9th Floor Commission Conference Room.

**STATUS:** Closed.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:** Surveillance Matters.

#### CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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*Assistant Secretary of the Commission.*

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