

We are issuing and publishing the final results and notice in accordance with sections 751(c), 752(b), and 777(i)(1) of the Act.

Dated: September 25, 2013.

Paul Piquado,

Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

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Carbon and Certain Alloy Steel Wire Rod From Brazil: Final Results of the Expedited Second Sunset Review of the Countervailing Duty Order

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

DATES: Effective October 2, 2013.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (Department) finds that revocation of the countervailing duty (CVD) order on carbon and certain alloy steel wire rod (wire rod) from Brazil would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of countervailable subsidies.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Austin Redington or Nancy Decker, AD/CVD Operations, Office 1, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230; telephone (202) 482-1664 or (202) 482-0196, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On June 3, 2013, the Department initiated the second sunset review of the CVD order¹ on wire rod from Brazil pursuant to section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act).²

On June 18, 2013, the Department received a notice of intent to participate from the following domestic parties: ArcelorMittal USA LLC, Schnitzer Steel Industries, Inc., DBA Cascade Steel Rolling Mills, Inc., Evraz Rocky Mountain Steel, Gerdau Ameristeel US Inc., Keystone Consolidated Industries, Inc., and Nucor Corporation (collectively, domestic interested parties), within the deadline specified

in 19 CFR 351.218(d)(1)(i). On July 2, 2013, the Department received an adequate substantive response from the domestic interested parties within the 30-day deadline specified in 19 CFR 351.218(d)(3)(i).

The Department did not receive any submissions from other interested parties. As a result, pursuant to 19 CFR 351.218(e)(1)(ii)(B)-(C), the Department is conducting an expedited (120-day) sunset review of the CVD order on wire rod from Brazil.

Scope of the Order

This order covers certain carbon and alloy steel wire rods. A full description of the scope of the order is contained in the Issues and Decision Memorandum,³ which is hereby adopted by this notice.

The Issues and Decision Memorandum is a public document and is on file electronically via Import Administration's Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Centralized Electronic Service System (IA ACCESS). IA ACCESS is available to registered users at <http://iaaccess.trade.gov> and in the Central Records Unit, room 7046 of the main Department of Commerce building. In addition, a complete version of the Issues and Decision Memorandum can be accessed directly on the Internet at <http://www.trade.gov/ia/>. The signed Issues and Decision Memorandum and the electronic versions of the Issues and Decision Memorandum are identical in content.

Analysis of Comments Received

All issues raised in this review are addressed in the Issues and Decision Memorandum. The issues include the likelihood of continuation or recurrence of a countervailable subsidy and the net countervailable subsidy likely to prevail if the order was revoked.

Final Results of Review

Pursuant to sections 752(b)(1) and (3) of the Act, we determine that revocation of the CVD order on wire rod from Brazil would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of countervailable subsidies at the following net countervailable subsidy rates:

| Manufacturers/producers/exporters | Net countervailable subsidy (percent) |
|---|---------------------------------------|
| Companhia Siderurgica Belgo-Mineira (Belgo Mineira) | 6.74 |
| Gerdau S.A | 2.31 |
| All Others | 4.53 |

This notice also serves as the only reminder to parties subject to administrative protective order (APO) of their responsibility concerning the return or destruction of proprietary information disclosed under APO in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305. Timely notification of the return or destruction of APO materials or conversion to judicial protective orders is hereby requested. Failure to comply with the regulations and terms of an APO is a violation which is subject to sanction.

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Dated: September 25, 2013.

Paul Piquado,

Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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Endangered and Threatened Species; Notice of Intent To Prepare a Recovery Plan for Main Hawaiian Islands Insular False Killer Whale Distinct Population Segment

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

ACTION: Notice of intent to prepare a recovery plan; request for information.

SUMMARY: The National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) is announcing its intent to prepare a recovery plan for the Main Hawaiian Islands insular false killer whale (*Pseudorca crassidens*) distinct population segment (MHI Insular FKW) and requests information from the public. NMFS is required by section 4(f) of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (ESA), as amended, to develop and implement recovery plans for the conservation and survival of federally listed species unless the

¹ See *Final Affirmative Countervailing Duty Determination and Final Negative Critical Circumstances Determination: Carbon and Certain Alloy Steel Wire Rod from Brazil*, 67 FR 55805 (August 30, 2002).

² See *Initiation of Five-Year ("Sunset") Review*, 78 FR 33063 (June 3, 2013).

³ "Issues and Decision Memorandum for the Final Results of the Expedited Sunset Review of the Countervailing Duty Order on Carbon and Certain Alloy Steel Wire Rod from Brazil" from Christian Marsh, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations, to Paul Piquado, Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, dated October 1, 2013 (Issues and Decision Memorandum).

Secretary finds that such a plan will not promote the conservation of the species.

DATES: To allow adequate time to conduct a review of information submitted, all information must be received no later than November 1, 2013.

ADDRESSES: Information may be submitted by any one of the following methods:

- *Via email:*

NMFS.PIR.FKWRecoveryPlan@noaa.gov (No files larger than 5MB can be accepted).

- *Mail or Hand-Delivery:* National Marine Fisheries Service Pacific Islands Regional Office, 1601 Kapiolani Blvd., Suite 1110, Honolulu, HI 96814. ATTN: Irene Kelly.

- *Via fax:* (808) 973-2941. Please include the following on the cover page of the fax "ATTN: Irene Kelly."

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Irene Kelly, NMFS Pacific Islands Regional Office, (808) 944-2239.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: NMFS is charged with the recovery of the MHI Insular FKW, listed as endangered under the Endangered species Act of 1973 (ESA). Recovery means improvement in the status of listed species to the point at which the protections of the ESA are no longer necessary. The ESA specifies that recovery plans must include: (1) A description of management actions necessary to achieve the plan's goals for the conservation and survival of the species; (2) objective, measurable criteria which, when met, would result in the species being removed from the list; and (3) estimates of the time and costs required to achieve the plan's goal and the intermediate steps towards that goal. Section 4(f) of the ESA requires that public notice and an opportunity for public review and comment be provided during recovery plan development. We are soliciting relevant information related to the MHI insular FKW and their habitat, including:

1. Criteria for removing MHI insular FKW from the list of threatened and endangered species;
2. Human activities that contribute to the ESA listing factors (section 4(a)(1)(A)-(E)):
 - (A) Present or threatened destruction, modification, or curtailment of its habitat or range;
 - (B) overutilization for commercial, recreational, scientific, or educational purposes;
 - (C) disease or predation;
 - (D) the inadequacy of existing regulatory mechanisms; or
 - (E) other natural or manmade factors affecting its continued existence.

3. Physical, biological or chemical features of the environment that limit the recovery of MHI insular FKW;

4. Strategies and/or actions to recover MHI insular FKW;

5. Estimates of the time and cost to implement recovery actions;

6. Critical knowledge gaps and/or uncertainties that need to be resolved to better inform recovery efforts; and
7. Research, monitoring, and evaluation needs to address knowledge gaps and uncertainties, or to assess the species' status, limiting factors, and threats relative to recovery goals.

Upon completion, the proposed Recovery Plan will be available for public review and comment through the publication of a **Federal Register** Notice.

Status Review Documents

NMFS developed a status review (NOAA Technical Memorandum NMFS-PIFSC-22) and an addendum to the status review (NOAA Internal Report NMFS-PIFSC-IR-12-038) for the MHI Insular FKW to help inform the recovery plan. Additional information that may help inform the recovery plan is the False Killer Whale Take Reduction Plan and the final rule to implement the Plan (77 FR 71260). The Plan and the final rule were developed to address the incidental mortality and serious injury of false killer whales in Hawaii's commercial longline fisheries. All of these above listed documents and information may be accessed at http://www.fpir.noaa.gov/PRD/prd_false_killer_whale.html.

Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*

Dated: September 27, 2013.

Angela Somma,

Chief, Endangered Species Division, Office of Protected Resources, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

Science Advisory Board Meeting

AGENCY: Office of Oceanic and Atmospheric Research (OAR), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Department of Commerce (DOC).

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: The NOAA Science Advisory Board (SAB) was established by a Decision Memorandum dated September 25, 1997, and is the only Federal Advisory Committee with

responsibility to advise the Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere on strategies for research, education, and application of science to operations and information services. NOAA SAB activities and advice provide necessary input to ensure that National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) science programs are of the highest quality and provide optimal support to resource management.

Time and Date: The meeting will be held Tuesday, November 19, 2013 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and Wednesday, November 20, 2013 from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. These times and the agenda topics described below are subject to change. Please refer to the Web page <http://www.sab.noaa.gov/Meetings/meetings.html> for the most up-to-date meeting agenda.

Place: The meeting will be held in the Washington, DC area; please check the SAB Web site <http://www.sab.noaa.gov/Meetings/meetings.html> for meeting location and directions.

Status: The meeting will be open to public participation with a 15 minute public comment period on November 19 at 5:15 p.m. (check Web site to confirm time). The NOAA SAB expects that public statements presented at its meetings will not be repetitive of previously submitted verbal or written statements. In general, each individual or group making a verbal presentation will be limited to a total time of five (5) minutes. Individuals or groups planning to make a verbal presentation should contact the NOAA SAB Executive Director by November 12, 2013 to schedule their presentation. Written comments should be received in the NOAA SAB Executive Director's Office by November 12, 2013 to provide sufficient time for NOAA SAB review. Written comments received by the NOAA SAB Executive Director after November 12, 2013 will be distributed to the NOAA SAB, but may not be reviewed prior to the meeting date. Seating at the meeting will be available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Special Accommodations: These meetings are physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for special accommodations may be directed no later than 12 p.m. on November 12, 2013, to Dr. Cynthia Decker, SAB Executive Director, SSMC3, Room 11230, 1315 East-West Hwy., Silver Spring, MD 20910.

Matters To Be Considered: The meeting may include the following topics: (1) Review Report on the Cooperative Institute for Research in the Atmosphere (CIRA); (2) Recommendations and Proposed New