

- Proposed draft MLs for total aflatoxins and ochratoxin A in nutmeg, dried chili and paprika, ginger, pepper and turmeric and associated sampling plans
- Draft Guidelines for risk analysis of instances of contaminants in food where there is no regulatory level or risk management framework established
- Establishment of new MLs for lead in commodities according to a prioritization approach
- Lead and cadmium in quinoa
- Revision of the Code of Practice for the Prevention and Reduction of Lead Contamination in Foods (CXC 56–2004)
- Development of a code of practice for the prevention and reduction of cadmium contamination in cocoa
- Establishment of MLs for methylmercury in additional fish species
- Establishment of MLs for HCN in cassava and cassava-based products and occurrence of mycotoxins in these products
- Establishment of MLs for total aflatoxins in cereals (wheat, maize, sorghum and rice), flour and cereal-based foods for infants and young children
- General guidance on data analysis for ML development
- Priority list of contaminants and naturally occurring toxicants for evaluation by JECFA
- Follow-up work to the outcome of JECFA evaluations
- Forward workplan for CCCF
- Other business and future work

Public Meeting

At the April 1, 2019, public meeting, draft U.S. positions on the agenda items will be described and discussed, and attendees will have the opportunity to pose questions and offer comments. Written comments may be offered at the meeting or sent to Henry Kim at henry.kim@fda.hhs.gov.

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Done at Washington, DC, on February 13, 2019.

Mary Lowe,

U.S. Manager for Codex Alimentarius.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Natural Resources Conservation Service

[Docket No. NRCS–2018–0012]

Lick Creek Watershed, Russell, Dickenson and Wise Counties, Virginia

AGENCY: Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), USDA.

ACTION: Notice of deauthorization of Federal funding.

SUMMARY: NRCS gives notice of the deauthorization of Federal funding for the Lick Creek Watershed project, Russell, Dickenson and Wise Counties, Virginia.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information contact John Bricker, VA State Conservationist, NRCS, 1606 Santa Rosa Road, Suite 209, Richmond, Virginia 23229, (804) 287–1691 or Jack.Bricker@va.usda.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act of 1954 (Pub. L. 83–566) and the Natural Resources Conservation Service Guidelines (7 CFR part 622), and John Bricker, VA State Conservationist, a determination has been made that the proposed works of

improvement for the Lick Creek Watershed project will not be installed. The sponsoring local organizations have concurred in this determination and agree that Federal funding should be deauthorized for the project. Information regarding this determination may be obtained from John Bricker, Virginia State Conservationist, at the above address and telephone number.

No administrative action on implementation of the proposed deauthorization will be taken until 60 days after the date of this publication in the **Federal Register**.

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance: Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 10.904, Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention. Executive Order 12372 regarding State and local clearinghouse review of Federal and federally assisted programs and project is applicable.

Signed this 11th day of February, 2019, in Richmond, Virginia.

John A. Bricker,

VA State Conservationist, Natural Resources Conservation Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Industry and Security

Materials Processing Equipment Technical Advisory Committee; Notice of Open Meeting

The Materials Processing Equipment Technical Advisory Committee (MPETAC) will meet on March 5, 2019, 9:00 a.m., Room 3884, in the Herbert C. Hoover Building, 14th Street between Pennsylvania and Constitution Avenues NW, Washington, DC. The Committee advises the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Export Administration with respect to technical questions that affect the level of export controls applicable to materials processing equipment and related technology.

Agenda

Open Session

1. Opening remarks and introductions.
2. Presentation of papers and comments by the Public.
3. Discussions on results from last, and proposals from last Wassenaar meeting.
4. Report on proposed and recently issued changes to the Export Administration Regulations.
5. Other business.

Closed Session

6. Discussion of matters determined to be exempt from the provisions relating to public meetings found in 5 U.S.C. app. 2 §§ 10(a)(1) and 10(a)(3).

The open session will be accessible via teleconference to 20 participants on a first come, first serve basis. To join the conference, submit inquiries to Ms. Yvette Springer at Yvette.Springer@bis.doc.gov, no later than February 26, 2019.

A limited number of seats will be available for the public session. Reservations are not accepted. To the extent that time permits, members of the public may present oral statements to the Committee. The public may submit written statements at any time before or after the meeting. However, to facilitate the distribution of public presentation materials to the Committee members, the Committee suggests that presenters forward the public presentation materials prior to the meeting to Ms. Springer via email.

For more information, call Yvette Springer at (202) 482-2813.

Yvette Springer,

Committee Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[C-570-980]

Crystalline Silicon Photovoltaic Cells, Whether or Not Assembled Into Modules, From the People's Republic of China: Preliminary Results of Countervailing Duty Administrative Review and Intent To Rescind the Review, in Part; 2016

AGENCY: Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (Commerce) preliminarily determines that producers and/or exporters subject to this administrative review received countervailable subsidies. Interested parties are invited to comment on these preliminary results of review.

DATES: Applicable February 20, 2019.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gene H. Calvert, AD/CVD Operations, Office VII, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482-3586.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On February 23, 2018, Commerce initiated the administrative review of the countervailing duty order on crystalline silicon photovoltaic cells, whether or not assembled into modules (solar cells) from the People's Republic of China (China).¹ The period of review is January 1, 2016, through December 31, 2016.

On January 23, 2018, Commerce exercised its discretion to toll all deadlines affected by the duration of the closure of the Federal Government from January 20 through January 22, 2018.² As a result, all deadlines in this segment of the proceeding were, at that time, extended by three days.

In addition, Commerce exercised its discretion to toll all deadlines affected by the partial federal government closure from December 22, 2018, through the resumption of operations on January 29, 2019.³ If the new deadline falls on a non-business day, in accordance with Commerce's practice, the deadline will become the next business day. The revised deadline for these preliminary results is now February 12, 2019.

Scope of the Order

The products covered by the countervailing duty order are crystalline silicon photovoltaic cells, and modules, laminates, and panels, consisting of crystalline silicon photovoltaic cells, whether or not partially or fully assembled into other products, including, but not limited to, modules, laminates, panels, and building integrated materials. For a complete description of the scope of this administrative review, see the Preliminary Decision Memorandum.⁴

Methodology

Commerce is conducting this administrative review in accordance

¹ See *Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative Reviews*, 83 FR 37 (February 23, 2018).

² See Memorandum, "Deadlines Affected by the Shutdown of the Federal Government," dated January 23, 2018.

³ See Memorandum to the Record from Gary Taverman, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations, performing the non-exclusive functions and duties of the Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Compliance, "Deadlines Affected by the Partial Shutdown of the Federal Government," dated January 28, 2019. All deadlines in this segment of the proceeding have been extended by 40 days.

⁴ See Memorandum, "Decision Memorandum for the Preliminary Results of the Countervailing Duty Administrative Review, Crystalline Silicon Photovoltaic Cells, Whether or Not Assembled Into Modules, from the People's Republic of China," dated concurrently with, and hereby adopted by this notice (Preliminary Decision Memorandum).

with section 751(a)(1)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act). For each of the subsidy programs found countervailable, we preliminarily find that there is a subsidy, (*i.e.*, a financial contribution from an authority that gives rise to a benefit to the recipient) and that the subsidy is specific.⁵ In making this preliminary determination, Commerce relied, in part, on facts otherwise available, with the application of adverse inferences.⁶ For further information, see "Use of Facts Otherwise Available and Application of Adverse Inferences" in the accompanying Preliminary Decision Memorandum. A list of topics discussed in the Preliminary Decision Memorandum is provided at Appendix I to this notice.

The Preliminary Decision Memorandum is a public document and is on file electronically via Enforcement and Compliance's Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Centralized Electronic Service System (ACCESS). ACCESS is available to registered users at <http://access.trade.gov> and to all parties in the Central Records Unit, room B8024 of the main Department of Commerce building. In addition, a complete version of the Preliminary Decision Memorandum can be accessed directly at <http://enforcement.trade.gov/frn/index.html>. The signed Preliminary Decision Memorandum and the electronic version of the Preliminary Decision Memorandum are identical in content.

Intent To Rescind Administrative Review, in Part

BYD (Shangluo) Industrial Co., Ltd. (BYD Shangluo) timely filed a no-shipments certification.⁷ Because no evidence on the record contradicts this certification, we preliminarily intend to rescind this administrative review with regard to BYD Shangluo. A final decision on whether to rescind the review with respect to BYD Shangluo will be made in the final results of this review.

Preliminary Results of Review

We preliminarily determine the net countervailable subsidy rates for the period January 1, 2016, through December 31, 2016, are as follows:

⁵ See sections 771(5)(B) and (D) of the Act regarding financial contribution; section 771(5)(E) of the Act regarding benefit; and section 771(5A) of the Act regarding specificity.

⁶ See section 776(a) of the Act.

⁷ See Letter from BYD Shangluo, "Crystalline Silicon Photovoltaic Cells, Whether Or Not Assembled Into Modules, from the People's Republic of China: No Shipment Statement from BYD (Shangluo) Industrial Co., Ltd.," dated March 26, 2018.