

including any determination that relied upon the use of adverse facts available pursuant to sections 776(a) and (b) of the Act.

**Final Results of Review**

As a result of this review, we determine the following net

countervailable subsidy rates for the POR of July 6, 2021, through December 31, 2022:

| Company                                       | Subsidy rate (percent <i>ad valorem</i> ) 2021 <sup>8</sup> | Subsidy rate (percent <i>ad valorem</i> ) 2022 <sup>9</sup> |
|---|---|---|
| Gujarat Fluorochemicals Limited <sup>10</sup> | 4.89  | 4.70  |

**Assessment Rates**

Pursuant to section 751(a)(2)(C) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.212(b), Commerce has determined, and U.S Customs and Border Protection (CBP) shall assess, countervailing duties on all appropriate entries of subject merchandise in accordance with the final results of this review, for the above-listed company at the applicable *ad valorem* assessment rates listed for the corresponding time periods (*i.e.*, July 6, 2021, to December 31, 2021, and January 1, 2022, to December 31, 2022). For entries made during the gap period (*i.e.*, on or after November 3, 2021, through March 10, 2022), we will continue to instruct CBP to liquidate the entries without regard to countervailing duties pursuant to section 703(d) of the Act. Commerce intends to issue assessment instructions to CBP no earlier than 35 days after the date of publication of the final results of this review in the **Federal Register**. If a timely summons is filed at the U.S. Court of International Trade, the assessment instructions will direct CBP not to liquidate relevant entries until the time for parties to file a request for a statutory injunction has expired (*i.e.*, within 90 days of publication).

**Cash Deposit Requirements**

In accordance with section 751(a)(1) of the Act, Commerce intends, upon publication of the final results, to instruct CBP to collect cash deposits of estimated countervailing duties in the amount shown for GFCL (and its cross-owned affiliate) listed above for 2022, the second year covered by the period of review, on shipments of subject merchandise entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after the date of publication of the final results of this administrative review. For all non-reviewed firms, we will instruct CBP to continue to collect cash deposits at the most recent company-specific, or all others rate (*i.e.*, 5.39 percent),<sup>11</sup> applicable to the company. These cash

deposit requirements, when imposed, shall remain in effect until further notice.

**Administrative Protective Order (APO)**

This notice also serves as a reminder to parties subject to an APO of their responsibility concerning the return or destruction of proprietary information disclosed under APO in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305(a)(3), which continues to govern business proprietary information in this segment of the proceeding. Timely written notification of the return or destruction of APO materials, or conversion to judicial protective order, is hereby requested. Failure to comply with the regulations and terms of an APO is a violation which is subject to sanction.

**Notification to Interested Parties**

We are issuing and publishing these final results of administrative review and notice in accordance with sections 751(a)(1) and 777(i) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.221(b)(5) and 19 CFR 351.213(h)(2).

Dated: September 3, 2024.

**Ryan Majerus,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy and Negotiations, performing the non-exclusive functions and duties of the Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Compliance.*

**Appendix**

**List of Topics Discussed in the Issues and Decision Memorandum**

- I. Summary
- II. Background
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- VIII. Discussion of the Issues
  - Comment 1: Whether the Remission of Duties and Taxes on Export Products (RODTEP) Program Provides a Countervailable Benefit

Comment 2: Whether GFCL Received a Benefit Under the RODTEP Program Prior to September 6, 2021

Comment 3: Whether Commerce Should Rely on the Petitioner's Proposed Benchmark for the Gujarat Industrial Development Corporation's (GIDC) Provision of Land for Less Than Adequate Remuneration (LTAR)

IX. Recommendation

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**National Institute of Standards and Technology**

**Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review and Approval; Comment Request; National Institute for Standards and Technology NIST Center for Neutron Research (NCNR) Information Management System (IMS) and Summer School Application**

**AGENCY:** National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection, request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce, in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on proposed, and continuing information collections, which helps us assess the impact of our information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. The purpose of this notice is to allow for 60 days of public comment preceding submission of the collection to OMB.

**DATES:** To ensure consideration, comments regarding this proposed information collection must be received on or before November 8, 2024.

**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit written comments by

<sup>8</sup> This subsidy rate applies to the period July 6, 2021, to December 31, 2021.

<sup>9</sup> This subsidy rate applies to the period January 1, 2022, to December 31, 2022.

<sup>10</sup> As stated in the *Preliminary Results*, Commerce found Inox Leasing and Finance Limited to be cross-owned with GFCL. See *Preliminary Results*, 89 FR at 24428.

<sup>11</sup> See *Amended Final Determination and Order*, 88 FR at 74154.

mail to Maureen O'Reilly, Management Analyst, NIST, at [PRANIST@nist.gov](mailto:PRANIST@nist.gov). Please reference OMB Control Number 0693-0081 in the subject line of your comments. Do not submit Confidential Business Information or otherwise sensitive or protected information.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Requests for additional information or specific questions related to collection activities should be directed to Siddharth Khosla, IT Specialist, NIST, 100 Bureau Drive, Stop 6100, Gaithersburg, MD 20899, 301-975-4640, [siddharth.khosla@nist.gov](mailto:siddharth.khosla@nist.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**I. Abstract**

The NIST Center for Neutron Research (NCNR) Information Management System (IMS) is a public facing, web-based application to collect, manage and report operational data related to NCNR's role as a unique national user facility which was chartered to serve the nation's scientific community by providing unique experimental apparatus for scientific studies using neutron scattering. In order to fulfill that mission, NCNR established a complex business process to fairly distribute available scientific resources to prospective external users, outlined by the following steps:

- Registration of NCNR users
- Collection of scientific experiment proposals
- Regularly scheduled peer review of said proposals
- Merit-based award of available experimental resources
- Experiment date scheduling for selected projects (instrument scheduling)
- Collection and management of data required by the NCNR site access protocol
- Managing the Health Physics training of arriving scientists
- Coordination of administrative data
- Collection of data in support of related activities such as NCNR Summer School for facility users
- Management of the research results such as collected data, and subsequent publications
- Numerous reporting functions used to evaluate and manage the NCNR activities.

**II. Method of Collection**

Information will be collected electronically through the internet.

**III. Data**

OMB Control Number: 0693-0081.  
Form Number(s): None.

*Type of Review:* Regular submission, extension of a current information collection.

*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 2,000.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* 1 hour.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 2,000 hours.

*Estimated Total Annual Cost to Public:* \$0.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Voluntary.

**IV. Request for Comments**

We are soliciting public comments to permit the Department/Bureau to: (a) Evaluate whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper functions of the Department, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) Evaluate the accuracy of our estimate of the time and cost burden for this proposed collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (c) Evaluate ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) Minimize the reporting burden on those who are to respond, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments that you submit in response to this notice are a matter of public record. We will include or summarize each comment in our request to OMB to approve this ICR. Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you may ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

**Sheleen Dumas,**

*Departmental PRA Clearance Officer, Office of the Under Secretary for Economic Affairs, Commerce Department.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**National Institute of Standards and Technology**

**Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Manufacturing Extension Partnership Management Information Reporting**

**AGENCY:** National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of information collection, request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce, in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on proposed, and continuing information collections, which helps us assess the impact of our information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. The purpose of this notice is to allow for 60 days of public comment preceding submission of the collection to OMB.

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**ADDRESSES:** Interested persons are invited to submit written comments by mail to Maureen O'Reilly, Management Analyst, NIST, by email to [PRANIST@nist.gov](mailto:PRANIST@nist.gov). Please reference OMB Control Number 0693-0032 in the subject line of your comments. Do not submit Confidential Business Information or otherwise sensitive or protected information.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Requests for additional information or specific questions related to collection activities should be directed to Melissa Davis, NIST, Manufacturing Extension Partnership, 100 Bureau Drive, Gaithersburg, MD 20899, MS4800, 240-277-0269, [melissa.davis@nist.gov](mailto:melissa.davis@nist.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**I. Abstract**

Manufacturing Extension Partnership (assist a national network of locally based manufacturing extension centers that assists small- and medium-sized manufacturers to improve their productivity, improve profitability, and enhance their economic competitiveness. The information collected will provide the MEP with information regarding MEP Center performance regarding the delivery of technology, and business solutions to U.S.-based manufacturers. The collected