The Commission will issue a final phase of the final phase of its investigation. The record is defined in sec. 207.2(f) of the Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR 207.2(f)).

International Trade Commission

Investigation No. 731–TA–1023 (Preliminary)

Certain Ceramic Station Post Insulators From Japan

Determination

On the basis of the record developed in the subject investigation, the United States International Trade Commission (Commission) determines, pursuant to section 733(a) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1673b(a)) (the Act), that there is a reasonable indication that an industry in the United States is materially injured by reason of imports from Japan of certain ceramic station post insulators, provided for in subheading 8546.20.00 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, that are alleged to be sold at less than fair value (LTFV).

Commencement of Final Phase Investigation

Pursuant to section 207.18 of the Commission’s rules, the Commission also gives notice of the commencement of the final phase of its investigation. The Commission will issue a final phase notice of scheduling, which will be published in the Federal Register as provided in section 207.21 of the Commission’s rules, upon notice from the Department of Commerce (Commerce) of an affirmative preliminary determination in the investigation under section 733(b) of the Act, or, if the preliminary determination is negative, upon notice of an affirmative final determination in that investigation under section 735(a) of the Act. Parties that filed entries of appearance in the preliminary phase of the investigation need not enter a separate appearance for the final phase of the investigation. Industrial users, and, if the merchandise under investigation is sold at the retail level, representative consumer organizations have the right to appear as parties in Commerce antidumping and countervailing duty investigations. The Secretary will prepare a public service list containing the names and addresses of all persons, or their representatives, who are parties to the investigation.

Background

On December 31, 2002, a petition was filed with the Commission and Commerce by Lapp Insulator Company, LLC, Lo Roy, NY; Newell Porcelain Co., Inc., Newell, WV; Victor Insulators, Inc., Victor, NY; and the IUE–CWA, AFL–CIO, Washington, DC, alleging that an industry in the United States is materially injured or threatened with material injury by reason of LTFV imports of certain ceramic station post insulators from Japan. Accordingly, effective December 31, 2002, the Commission instituted antidumping duty investigation No. 731–TA–1023 (Preliminary).

Notice of the institution of the investigation and of a public conference to be held in connection therewith was given by posting copies of the notice in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, Washington, DC, and by publishing the notice in the Federal Register of January 8, 2003 (68 FR 1068). The conference was held in Washington, DC, on January 21, 2003, and all persons who requested the opportunity were permitted to appear in person or by counsel.

The Commission transmitted its determination in this investigation and of a public conference to be held in connection therewith was given by posting copies of the notice in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, Washington, DC, and by publishing the notice in the Federal Register of January 8, 2003 (68 FR 1068). The conference was held in Washington, DC, on January 21, 2003, and all persons who requested the opportunity were permitted to appear in person or by counsel.

By order of the Commission:


Marilyn R. Abbott,
Secretary to the Commission.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Immigration and Naturalization Service

[INS No. 2247–02]


AGENCY: Immigration and Naturalization Service, Justice.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice confirms only editions dated May 31, 2001, or later, of the Form N–400, Application for Naturalization, as acceptable for filing by persons applying for United States citizenship. These revised editions include recent legislative changes, clarify the information required from applicants, eliminate obsolete questions, and update the data collection process.

This notice advises the public that all Forms N–400 that are mailed, postmarked or otherwise filed on or after March 31, 2003 must bear the edition date of May 31, 2001, or later.

DATES: This notice is effective March 31, 2003.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gerard Casale, Business Process and Reengineering Division, Immigration and Naturalization Service, 801 I Street, NW., Washington, DC 20536, telephone (202) 514–0788.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

In a Federal Register notice dated November 16, 2001, at 66 FR 57737–57739, the Department of Justice, Immigration and Naturalization Service (Service) announced the establishment of the revised Form N–400, bearing the edition date of May 31, 2001, as the only edition acceptable for applications for United States citizenship. That notice stated that earlier editions of Form N–400 would not be acceptable for filing after December 31, 2001.

Subsequent to publication of the November 16, 2001, notice the Service...
continued to allow additional time for transition to the processing of the current Form N–400, during which the previous edition has been accepted for processing. However, it is necessary to complete the conversion to an updated naturalization application format that reflects all current benefits and requirements.

Accordingly, as of March 31, 2003, only the May 31, 2001, or subsequent editions of Form N–400 will be valid for filing an application for naturalization.

To prevent applicants from mistakenly submitting obsolete editions after the termination date of March 31, 2003, offices involved in the distribution of naturalization applications should only provide editions of Form N–400 having an edition date of May 31, 2001, or later.

What Happens After the “Sunset Date” for Accepting the Previous Edition of Form N–400?

Beginning March 31, 2003, only the May 31, 2001, or later editions of Form N–400 will be valid for filing an application for naturalization.

Service Centers will no longer accept earlier editions of the form for filing. Any obsolete editions of the Form N–400 application that the Service Centers may receive on or after March 31, 2003 will be rejected and returned to the applicant with instructions to submit a current Form N–400.

Will the Service Continue to Process the Previous Edition Form N–400 Applications that were Filed Prior to March 31, 2003?

The previous edition of the naturalization applications, if it was properly filed at a Service Center before March 31, 2003 will be processed to completion. However, in cases where there is an eligibility issue that the previous edition does not cover, the Service may ask for additional information.

How Can Applicants Obtain the Current Edition of Form N–400?

Applicants can obtain copies of the current Form N–400 by calling the Service Forms Line at 1–800–870–3676. The current edition of Form N–400 also can be viewed, filled, and printed electronically from the Service’s Web site at www.ins.usdoj.gov.

Michael J. Garcia, Acting Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment Standards Administration, Wage and Hour Division

Minimum Wages for Federal and Federally Assisted Construction; General Wage Determination Decisions

General wage determination decisions of the Secretary of Labor are issued in accordance with applicable law and are based on the information obtained by the Department of Labor from its study of local wage conditions and data made available from other sources. They specify the basic hourly wage rates and fringe benefits which are determined to be prevailing for the described classes of laborers and mechanics employed on construction projects of a similar character and in the localities specified therein.

The determinations in these decisions of prevailing rates and fringe benefits have been made in accordance with 29 CFR Part 1, by authority of the Secretary of Labor pursuant to the provisions of the Davis-Bacon Act of March 3, 1931, as amended (46 Stat. 1494, as amended, 40 U.S.C. 276(a)) and of the other Federal statutes referred to in 29 CFR Part 1, Appendix, as well as such additional statutes as may from time to time be enacted containing provisions for the payment of wages determined to be prevailing by the Secretary of Labor in accordance with the Davis-Bacon Act. The prevailing rates and fringe benefits determined in these decisions shall, in accordance with the provisions of the foregoing statutes, constitute the minimum wages payable on Federal and federally assisted construction projects to laborers and mechanics of the specified classes engaged on contract work of the character and in the localities described therein.

Good cause is hereby found for not utilizing notice and public comment procedure thereon prior to the issuance of these determinations as prescribed in 5 U.S.C. 553 and not providing for delay in the effective date as prescribed in that section, because the necessity to issue current construction industry wage determinations frequently and in large volume causes procedures to be impractical and contrary to the public interest.

General wage determination decisions, and modifications and superseded decisions thereto, contain no expiration dates and are effective from the date of notice in the Federal Register, or on the date written notice is received by the agency, whichever is earlier. These decisions are to be used in accordance with the provisions of 29 CFR Parts 1 and 5. Accordingly, the applicable decision, together with any modifications issued, must be made a part of every contract for performance of the described work within the geographic area indicated as required by an applicable Federal prevailing wage law and 29 CFR Part 5. The wage rates and fringe benefits, notice of which is published herein, and which are contained in the Government Printing Office (GPO) document entitled “General Wage Determinations Issued Under the Davis-Bacon And Related Acts,” shall be the minimum paid by contractors and subcontractors to laborers and mechanics.

Any person, organization, or governmental agency having an interest in the rates determined as prevailing is encouraged to submit wage rate and fringe benefit information for consideration by the Department.

Further information and self-explanatory forms for the purpose of submitting this data may be obtained by writing to the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment Standards Administration, Wage and Hour Division, Division of Wage Determinations, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Room S–3014, Washington, DC 20210.

Modification to General Wage Determination Decisions

The number of the decisions listed to the Government Printing Office document entitled “General Wage Determinations Issued Under the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts” being modified are listed by Volume and State. Dates of publication in the Federal Register are in parentheses following the decisions being modified.

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