

academic, tribal, governmental and other national interests. The complete charter and summaries of prior meetings are located online at <http://www.nmfs.noaa.gov/ocs/mafacs/>.

#### Matters To Be Considered

This agenda is subject to change.

The meeting will include discussion of various MAFAC administrative and organizational matters, including: subcommittee membership, chairmanship, upcoming workplans and recruitment of new members. The Committee will hear presentations and discuss policies and guidance on the following topics: draft catch share policy; the Interim Report of the Interagency Ocean Policy Task Force, the policy framework, implementation, and marine spatial planning; revisions and update to MAFAC's *Vision 2020* document, and the new recreational fisheries advisor role. Updates will be presented on Magnuson-Stevens Act implementation, NOAA budgets, the legislative agenda, and the NOAA alignment of headquarters leadership.

#### Special Accommodations

These meetings are physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Mark Holliday, MAFAC Executive Director; (301) 713-2239 x120 by 5 p.m. on October 30, 2009.

Dated: October 20, 2009.

**John Oliver,**

*Deputy Assistant Administrator for Operations, National Marine Fisheries Service.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### United States Patent and Trademark Office

[Docket No. PTO-C-2009-0046]

#### Performance Review Board (PRB)

**AGENCY:** United States Patent and Trademark Office.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In conformance with the Civil Service Reform Act of 1978, 5 U.S.C. 4314(c)(4), the United States Patent and Trademark Office announces the appointment of persons to serve as members of its Performance Review Board.

**ADDRESSES:** Director, Human Capital Management, Office of Human

Resources, United States Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Karen Karlinchak at (571) 272-6200.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The membership of the United States Patent and Trademark Office Performance Review Board is as follows:

Sharon Barner, Chair, Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Deputy Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Stephen S. Smith, Vice Chair, Chief Administrative Officer, United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Robert K. Stoll, Commissioner for Patents, United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Lynne G. Beresford, Commissioner for Trademarks, United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Barry K. Hudson, Chief Financial Officer, United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Arti K. Rai, Administrator for External Affairs, United States Patent and Trademark Office.

John B. Owens II, Chief Information Officer, United States Patent and Trademark Office.

James A. Toupin, General Counsel, United States Patent and Trademark Office.

#### Alternates

Lois E. Boland, Director, Office of Intellectual Property Policy and Enforcement, United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Deborah S. Cohn, Deputy Commissioner for Trademark Operations, United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Margaret A. Focarino, Deputy Commissioner for Patent Operations, United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Dated: October 19, 2009.

**David J. Kappos,**

*Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[A-570-945]

#### Prestressed Concrete Steel Wire Strand From the People's Republic of China: Postponement of the Preliminary Determination of the Antidumping Duty Investigation

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

**DATES:** *Effective Date:* October 26, 2009.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Alan Ray, AD/CVD Operations, Office 9, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482-5403.

#### Background

On June 23, 2009, the Department of Commerce ("Department") published the initiation of the investigation of prestressed concrete steel wire strand ("PC Strand") from the People's Republic of China ("PRC"), covering the period of October 1, 2008, through March 31, 2009.<sup>1</sup> On July 28, 2009, the Department selected two companies as mandatory respondents for this investigation: Tianjin Shengte PC Steel Strand Co., ("Tianjin Shengte") and Silvery Dragon PC Steel Products ("Silvery Dragon").<sup>2</sup>

On August 7, 2009, the Department received a letter from Silvery Dragon stating that the company would no longer be participating in the investigation. Tianjin Shengte failed to properly file a response to the Department's questionnaire in a timely manner. Since the two originally selected mandatory respondents no longer participated, the Department determined that it was appropriate in this case to replace them with two new additional respondents. On August 14, 2009, the Department selected Jiangxi Xinhua Metal Products Co. as a mandatory respondent,<sup>3</sup> and on

<sup>1</sup> Prestressed Concrete Steel Wire Strand From the People's Republic of China: Initiation of Antidumping Duty Investigation, 74 FR 29655 (June 23, 2009).

<sup>2</sup> Memorandum to James C. Doyle, Office 9 Director, through Alex Villanueva, Office 9 Program Manager, from Alexis Polovina, Office 9 Case Analyst, dated July 28, 2009, Antidumping Duty Investigation of Prestressed Concrete Steel Wire Strand from the People's Republic of China ("PRC"): Respondent Selection ("Respondent Selection Memo").

<sup>3</sup> Memorandum to the File from Alan Ray, Office 9 Case Analyst, through Alex Villanueva, Office 9 Program Manager, dated August 14, 2009.