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to assess antidumping duties on all

antidumping duty order directing CBP

the Department will issue an

recommendation.

In accordance with section 735(d) of

the Act, we notified the International

Trade Commission (ITC) of our final

determination. As our final
determination is affirmative, and in

accordance with section 735(b)(2) of the

Act, the ITC will determine, within 45
days, whether the domestic industry in

the United States is materially injured,

or threatened with material injury, by

reason of imports or sales (or the

likelihood of sales) for importation of

NOES from Taiwan. If the ITC

determines that such injury does exist,

the Department will issue an

antidumping duty order directing CBP
to assess antidumping duties on all

imports of the subject merchandise

entered, or withdrawn from warehouse,

for consumption on or after the effective
date of the suspension of liquidation.

Notification Regarding Administrative

Protective Orders ("APO")

This notice also serves as a reminder
to the parties subject to APO of their

responsibility concerning the

disposition of propriety information
disclosed under APO in accordance

with 19 CFR 351.305. Timely written

notification of 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 sanctionable

violation.

Notification to Interested Parties

This determination is issued and

published in accordance with sections

735(d) and 777(i)(1) of the Act.

Dated: October 6, 2014.

Paul Piquado,

Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and

Compliance.

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Comment 1: Whether the Department

Should Exclude CSC's Sales Ultimately

Destined to a Third Country From the

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Comment 2: Difference Between POI Net

Cost of Manufacturing and Total Cost of

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Comment 3: Fixed Overhead (FOH) for

CONNUM 16216011

Recommendation

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric

Administration

Notice of Intent To Prepare an

Environmental Impact Statement on

the Issuance of Take Authorizations in

Cook Inlet, Alaska

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries

Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and

Atmospheric Administration (NOAA),

Commerce.

ACTION: Notice; request for comments.

SUMMARY: The National Marine

Fisheries Service (NMFS) announces its

intent to prepare an Environmental

Impact Statement (EIS) to analyze the

environmental impacts of issuing

Incidental Take Authorizations (ITAs)

pursuant to the Marine Mammal

Protection Act (MMPA) for the taking of

marine mammals incidental to

anthropogenic activities in the waters of

Cook Inlet, Alaska. NMFS will hold a

public scoping meeting to begin the

scoping process.

DATES: All comments, written

statements, and questions regarding the

scoping process and preparation of the

EIS must be received no later than

December 29, 2014.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments

and statements regarding the scoping for

this EIS, identified by NOAA–NMFS–

2014–0129, by any of the following

methods:

• Electronic Submission: Submit all

electronic public comments via the

Federal e-Rulemaking Portal

www.regulations.gov. To submit

comments via the e-Rulemaking Portal,

enter NOAA–NMFS–2014–0129 in the

keyword search. Locate the document

you wish to comment on from the

resulting list and click on the

“Comment Now” icon on the right of

that line.

• Mail: Jolie Harrison, Chief, Permits

and Conservation Division, Office of

Protected Resources, NMFS, 1315 East-

West Highway, Silver Spring, MD

20910.

• Fax: (301) 713–0376, Attn: Jolie

Harrison.

PUBLIC MEETING: Oral and written

comments will be accepted during the

upcoming public scoping meeting on

Monday, November 3, 2014. See

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION, Public

Meetings for more information.

Instructions: Comments must be

submitted by one of the above methods
to ensure that the comments are

received, documented, and considered

by NMFS. Comments sent by any other

method, to any other address or

individual, or received after the end of

the comment period, may not be

considered. All comments received are

a part of the public record and will

generally be posted for public viewing

on www.regulations.gov without change.

All personal identifying information

(e.g., name, address, etc.) submitted

voluntarily by the sender will be

publicly accessible. Do not submit

confidential business information, or

otherwise sensitive or protected

information. NMFS will accept

anonymous comments (enter “N/A” in

the required fields if you wish to remain

anonymous). Attachments to electronic

comments will be accepted in Microsoft

Word or Excel or Adobe PDF file

formats only. We request that you

include background documents to

support your comments as appropriate.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jolie

Harrison, Office of Protected Resources,

NMFS, at (301) 427–8401.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

Sections 101 (a)(5)(A) and (D) of the

MMPA (16 U.S.C. 1361 et seq.) direct

the Secretary of Commerce to allow,

upon request, the incidental, but not

intentional taking of small numbers of

marine mammals by U.S. citizens who

engage in a specified activity (other than

commercial fishing) within a specified

geographical region if certain findings

are made and either regulations are

issued or, if the taking is limited to

harassment for a period of one year or

less, a notice of proposed authorization

is provided to the public for review. The

term "harass" under the MMPA means “to

harass, hunt, capture or kill, or attempt
to harass, hunt, capture, or kill.” Except

with respect to certain activities not

pertinent here, the MMPA defines

“harassment” as “any act of pursuit,
torrent, or annoyance which (i) has the

potential to injure a marine mammal or

marine mammal stock in the wild [Level

A harassment]; or (ii) has the potential
to disturb a marine mammal or marine

mammal stock in the wild by causing

disruption of behavioral patterns,
including, but not limited to, migration,

breathing, nursing, breeding, feeding, or

sheltering [Level B harassment].”

Authorization for incidental takings

shall be granted if NMFS finds that the
taking will have a negligible impact on the species or stock(s), will not have an unmitigable adverse impact on the availability of the species or stock(s) for subsistence uses (where relevant), and if the permissible methods of taking and requirements pertaining to the mitigation, monitoring and reporting of such takings are set forth. NMFS has defined “negligible impact” in 50 CFR 216.103 as “an impact resulting from the specified activity that cannot be reasonably expected to, and is not reasonably likely to, adversely affect the species or stock through effects on annual rates of recruitment or survival.”

Geographic Area To Be Considered

For the purposes of this EIS, NMFS intends to analyze the effects on the human environment of issuing authorizations for the incidental take of marine mammals from activities occurring in both the state and Federal waters of Cook Inlet, AK, from Knik Arm in the northern part of the Inlet to the southeastern part of the Inlet and to the southern edge of Cape Douglas on the southwestern part of the Inlet.

Objectives of the EIS

NMFS prepares environmental analyses under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) to support the issuance of ITAs for specific activities under sections 101(a)(5)(A) and (D) of the MMPA. This programmatic EIS will analyze the potential impacts on the human environment of issuing MMPA ITAs for various anthropogenic activities in Cook Inlet. An EIS that analyzes multiple activities over multiple years will provide a comprehensive decision-support tool for NMFS, allowing us to address cumulative effects over a longer time frame, consider a wider range of reasonable alternatives consistent with our statutory mandates, and analyze a wider range of practicable mitigation and monitoring measures for protecting marine mammals and the availability of marine mammals for subsistence uses.

Anthropogenic activities are prevalent in Cook Inlet, and there are indications that the level of activities may increase in the coming years. Additionally, NMFS continues to be concerned about the lack of recovery of the small resident population of Cook Inlet beluga whales, which is both depleted under the MMPA and listed as endangered under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). Preparation of an EIS, which will allow for a more comprehensive analysis of alternatives and mitigation and monitoring measures, will not only achieve greater administrative efficiency for NMFS’ ITA program but will increase NMFS’ options and flexibility for processing MMPA ITA requests in the region while ensuring compliance with MMPA, ESA, and NEPA mandates. NMFS has determined that the preparation of such an EIS will provide the best decision support tool for processing MMPA ITA requests in Cook Inlet.

Types of Information Requested

NMFS invites the participation of Federal agencies, State of Alaska, local, and tribal government entities, Native American and Native Alaskan organizations, environmental and fish and wildlife organizations, the oil and gas industry, non-energy industries, other interested organizations and entities, and the general public, for use in the preparation of this EIS. To help us determine the scope and the significant issues to be analyzed in depth, NMFS is seeking a wide array of information about: (1) The ecological, social, and economic environments and values in Cook Inlet, Alaska; (2) the potential impact of various types of human activities in Cook Inlet (e.g., oil and gas exploration and development, construction, port redevelopment projects, etc.) on the marine, coastal and human environments; (3) subsistence activities and uses of marine mammals in Cook Inlet; (4) the acoustic environment in Cook Inlet; (5) proposed and upcoming projects within Cook Inlet; (6) ways to assess, mitigate, minimize, and monitor impacts of activities on marine mammals (especially beluga whales) and their habitats (including prey species); and (7) any other relevant information.

Public Meetings

We will hold a public scoping meeting in Anchorage, AK, on Monday, November 3, 2014, from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the Loussac Library’s Wilda Marston Theater located at 3600 Denali Street, Anchorage, AK 99503. Written and oral comments will be accepted at the public meeting.


Donna S. Wieting,
Director, Office of Protected Resources,
National Marine Fisheries Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

Notice of Indirect Cost Rates for the Damage Assessment, Remediation, and Restoration Program for Fiscal Year 2013

AGENCY: National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of Indirect Cost Rates for the Damage Assessment, Remediation, and Restoration Program for Fiscal Year 2013.

SUMMARY: The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration’s (NOAA’s) Damage Assessment, Remediation, and Restoration Program (DARRP) is announcing new indirect cost rates on the recovery of indirect costs for its component organizations involved in natural resource damage assessment and restoration activities for fiscal year (FY) 2013. The indirect cost rates for this fiscal year and date of implementation are provided in this notice. More information on these rates and the DARRP policy can be found at the DARRP Web site at www.darrp.noaa.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information, contact LaTonya Burgess at 301–713–4248, ext. 211, by fax at 301–713–4389, or email at LaTonya.Burgess@noaa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The mission of the DARRP is to restore natural resource injuries caused by releases of hazardous substances or oil under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) (42 U.S.C. 9601 et seq.) and the Oil Pollution Act of 1990 (OPA) (33 U.S.C. 2701 et seq.), and to support restoration of physical injuries to National Marine Sanctuary resources under the National Marine Sanctuaries Act (NMSA) (16 U.S.C. 1431 et seq.). The DARRP consists of three component organizations: the Office of Response and Restoration (ORR) within the National Ocean Service; the Restoration Center within the National Marine Fisheries Service; and the Office of the General Counsel Natural Resources Section (GCNRS). The DARRP conducts Natural Resource Damage Assessments (NRDAs) as a basis for recovering damages from responsible parties, and uses the funds recovered to restore injured natural resources.

Consistent with federal accounting requirements, the DARRP is required to account for and report the full costs of...