

legislative history for purposes of the tie-vote rule. The statute refers to critical circumstances interchangeably as a determination or finding. Therefore, we conclude that Section 771(11) applies to critical circumstances determinations and that it is appropriate to treat the tie vote in this case as an affirmative critical circumstances determination.

All unliquidated entries of coumarin from the PRC, that are entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after May 6, 1994, the date 90 days prior to the publication of the Department's preliminary determination, except for imports by Jiangsu Native Import and Export Corporation (Jiangsu Native), are liable for the assessment of antidumping duties. In the case of Jiangsu Native, the effective date of suspension of liquidation is August 4, 1994, the date of publication of the Department's preliminary determination, (59 FR 39727).

In accordance with section 736(a)(1) of the Act, the Department will direct Customs officers to assess, upon further advice by the administering authority, antidumping duties equal to the amount by which the foreign market exceeds the United States price for all relevant entries of coumarin from the PRC. Customs officers must require, at the same time as importers would normally deposit estimated duties on this merchandise, a cash deposit equal to the estimated weighted-average antidumping duty margins as noted below. The 'All Others' rate applies to all exporters of PRC coumarin not specifically listed below.

The *ad valorem* weighted-average dumping margins are as follows:

Manufacturer/producer/exporter	Weighted-average margin percentage	Critical circumstances
Jiangsu Native Produce I/E Corp.	15.04	Negative.
Tianjin Native Produce I/E Corp.	50.35	Affirmative.
All others .....	160.80	Affirmative.

This notice constitutes the antidumping duty order with respect to coumarin from the PRC. Interested parties may contact the Central Records Unit, Room B-099 of the Main Commerce Building, for copies of an updated list of antidumping duty orders currently in effect.

This order is published in accordance with section 736(a) of the Act and 19 CFR 353.21.

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## National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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### Endangered Species; Permits

**AGENCY:** National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of receipt of two applications for scientific research permits (P45Q and P770#69) and receipt of an application for modification 1 to scientific research permit 914 (P770#67).

Notice is hereby given that the National Biological Survey in Corvallis, OR (NBS) and the Northwest Fisheries Science Center, NMFS in Seattle, WA (NWFSC) have applied in due form for scientific research permits (P45Q and P770#69) and that the Northwest Fisheries Science Center, NMFS in Seattle, WA (NWFSC) has applied in due form for Modification 1 to scientific research Permit 914 (P770#67) to take listed species as authorized by the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (ESA) (16 U.S.C. 1531-1543) and the NMFS regulations governing listed fish and wildlife permits (50 CFR parts 217-227).

NBS requests authorization for a lethal take of juvenile, endangered, naturally produced Snake River spring/summer chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) as part of a study designed to compare the physiological responses of wild chinook smolts with hatchery-produced chinook smolts when subjected to the bypass and collection facility at Lower Granite Dam on the Lower Snake River in Washington. A comparison of the physiological responses of wild and hatchery-produced chinook smolts may indicate what aspects of bypass and collection for downriver transportation past hydropower projects are most stressful to wild listed fish. The requested duration of the permit is April 15 to June 30, 1995.

NWFSC requests a permit to conduct research with a take of the following endangered species: Juvenile Snake River sockeye salmon (*Oncorhynchus nerka*), juvenile, naturally produced and artificially propagated, Snake River spring/summer chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*), and

juvenile Snake River fall chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*). NWFSC will capture, handle, and tag subyearling, endangered, fall chinook salmon at McNary Dam on the Columbia River as part of a study comparing the adult recoveries of run-of-river subyearling chinook salmon subjected to transport past hydropower dams versus those migrating inriver under as favorable passage conditions as possible. The other two listed species will be captured and handled incidental to the research. NWFSC will capture, handle, and tag the subyearling fish from June 15 to September 15 during each of 3 separate years, not necessarily in succession. The requested duration of the permit is 5 years.

Permit 914 authorizes NWFSC to capture, handle, and release juvenile, endangered, naturally produced and artificially propagated Snake River spring/summer chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) and juvenile, endangered, Snake River fall chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*) as part of a study to assess the incidence of gas bubble disease (GBD) in selected aquatic biota of the Columbia River Basin during episodes of high spill volumes at Ice Harbor Dam on the Snake River and Bonneville Dam on the Columbia River in the Pacific Northwest. For Modification 1, NWFSC requests an increase in the take of the two listed species already authorized to be taken and authorization to capture, handle, and release juvenile, endangered, Snake River sockeye salmon (*Oncorhynchus nerka*) to carry out a new study objective. The purpose of the new objective is to compare the prevalence of signs of GBD in juvenile salmonids collected from the reservoir and tailrace of Ice Harbor Dam on the Snake River and the reservoir of McNary Dam on the Columbia River with the prevalence of signs of GBD in fish examined by Fish Passage Center Smolt Monitoring Program personnel at the same two dams. The requested duration for the new study objective is from April 15 to June 15, 1995. Permit 914 expires on December 31, 1998.

Written data or views, or requests for a public hearing on this application should be submitted to the Chief, Endangered Species Division, Office of Protected Resources, F/PR8, NMFS, 1315 East-West Highway, Silver Spring, MD 20910-3226, within 30 days of the publication of this notice. Those individuals requesting a hearing should set out the specific reasons why a hearing on this particular application would be appropriate. The holding of such hearing is at the discretion of the Assistant Administrator for Fisheries,