

published the notice of initiation of this second sunset review of the *Order*, pursuant to section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), and 19 CFR 351.218(c).³ On June 12, 2026, Commerce received a notice of intent to participate in this review from Cornerstone Chemical Company (the domestic interested party), within the deadline specified in 19 CFR 351.218(d)(1)(i).⁴ The domestic interested party claims that it has interested party status within the meaning of section 771(9)(C) of the Act as a manufacturer in the United States of the domestic like product.⁵

On July 1, 2026, Commerce received an adequate substantive response from the domestic interested party, within the 30-day deadline specified in 19 CFR 351.218(d)(3)(i).⁶ Commerce did not receive a substantive response from either the Government of China or a respondent interested party to this proceeding. On June 22, 2026,

Commerce notified the U.S. International Trade Commission (ITC) that it did not receive an adequate substantive response from respondent interested parties.⁷ As a result, pursuant to section 751(c)(3)(B) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.218(e)(1)(ii)(C)(2), Commerce is conducting an expedited (120-day) sunset review of the *Order*.

Scope of the Order

The product covered by this *Order* is melamine from China. For the full description of the scope of the *Order*, see the Issues and Decision Memorandum.⁸

Analysis of Comments Received

A complete discussion of all issues raised in this sunset review, including the likelihood of continuation or recurrence of subsidization and the countervailable subsidy rates likely to prevail if the *Order* were to be revoked, is contained in the Issues and Decision

Memorandum.⁹ A list of the topics discussed in the Issues and Decision Memorandum is attached as an appendix to this notice. The Issues and Decision Memorandum is a public document and is on file electronically via Enforcement and Compliance's Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Centralized Electronic Service System (ACCESS), which is available to registered users at <https://access.trade.gov>. In addition, complete versions of the Issues and Decision Memorandum can be accessed directly at <https://access.trade.gov/frnotices>.

Final Results of Sunset Review

Pursuant to sections 751(c) and 752(b) of the Act, Commerce determines that revocation of the *Order* would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of countervailable subsidies at the following net countervailable subsidy rates.

Producers/exporters	Net countervailable subsidy rate (percent <i>ad valorem</i>)
Far-Reaching Chemical Co., Ltd	154.00
M and A Chemicals Corp China	154.00
Qingdao Unichem International Trade Co., Ltd	154.00
Shandong Liahed Chemical Industry Co., Ltd	156.90
Zhongyuan Dahua Group Co., Ltd	154.00
All Others	154.58

Notification Regarding Administrative Protective Orders (APOs)

This notice also serves as the only 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. Timely notification of the return or destruction of APO materials, or conversion to judicial protective, orders 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 in accordance with sections 751(c), 752(c), and 777(i)(1) of the Act, and 19 CFR 351.218 and 19 CFR 351.221(c)(5)(ii).

Dated: September 29, 2026.

Scot Fullerton,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations.

Appendix

List of Topics Discussed in the Issues and Decision Memorandum

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[RTID 0648–XG014]

New England Fishery Management Council; Public Meeting

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

ACTION: Notice of public meeting.

SUMMARY: The New England Fishery Management Council (Council) is scheduling a public meeting of its Joint Groundfish Committee and Advisory Panel via webinar to consider actions affecting New England fisheries in the exclusive economic zone (EEZ). Recommendations from this group will

³ See *Initiation of Five-Year (Sunset) Reviews*, 91 FR 32377 (June 1, 2026).

⁴ See Cornerstone's Letter, "Domestic Interested Party Notice of Intent to Participate," dated June 12, 2026.

⁵ *Id.* at 2.

⁶ See Cornerstone's Letter, "Domestic Interested Party Substantive Response," dated July 1, 2026.

⁷ See Commerce's Letter, "Sunset Reviews Initiated on June 1, 2026," dated June 22, 2026.

⁸ See Memorandum, "Issues and Decision Memorandum for the Final Results of the Expedited

⁹ *Id.*

be brought to the full Council for formal consideration and action, if appropriate.

DATES: This meeting will be held on Monday, October 19, 2026 at 9 a.m. EDT Webinar registration URL information: <https://nefmc-org.zoom.us/meeting/register/R1P-sfcpTCG3zhlsFz2PFg>.

ADDRESSES: Council address: New England Fishery Management Council, 50 Water Street, Mill 2, Newburyport, MA 01950.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Cate O'Keefe, Executive Director, New England Fishery Management Council; telephone: (978) 465-0492.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Agenda

The Groundfish Committee and Advisory Panel will receive an update on development of Framework 74/ Specifications and Management Measures. They will also receive an update on development of Framework 68, including development of draft alternatives for ABC stability tools. The Committee and Advisory Panel will discuss the draft 2027 Council Priorities for Groundfish and provide feedback for Council consideration at the December 2026 Council meeting. They will discuss other business as necessary.

Although non-emergency issues not contained on the agenda may come before this Council for discussion, those issues may not be the subject of formal action during this meeting. Council action will be restricted to those issues specifically listed in this notice and any issues arising after publication of this notice that require emergency action under section 305(c) of the Magnuson-Stevens Act, provided the public has been notified of the Council's intent to take final action to address the emergency. The public also should be aware that the meeting will be recorded. Consistent with 16 U.S.C. 1852, a copy of the recording is available upon request.

Special Accommodations

This meeting is physically accessible to people with disabilities. Requests for sign language interpretation or other auxiliary aids should be directed to Cate O'Keefe, Executive Director, at (978) 465-0492, at least 5 days prior to the meeting date.

Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*

Dated: September 30, 2026.

Rey Israel Marquez,

Acting Deputy Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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Takes of Marine Mammals Incidental to Specified Activities; Taking Marine Mammals Incidental to Marine Structure Maintenance and Pile Replacement Program in Puget Sound, Washington

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

ACTION: Notice; issuance of incidental harassment authorization.

SUMMARY: In accordance with regulations implementing the Marine Mammal Protection Act (MMPA) as amended, notification is hereby given that NMFS has issued an incidental harassment authorization (IHA) to the United States Navy (Navy) for authorization to take marine mammals incidental to the Marine Structure Maintenance and Pile Replacement Program in Puget Sound, Washington. **DATES:** This authorization is effective from September 25, 2026 through September 24, 2027.

ADDRESSES: Electronic copies of the application and supporting documents, as well as a list of the references cited in this document, may be obtained online at: <https://www.fisheries.noaa.gov/national/marine-mammal-protection/incidental-take-authorizations-construction-activities>. In case of problems accessing these documents, please call the contact listed below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kate Fleming, Office of Protected Resources, NMFS, (301) 427-8401.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The MMPA prohibits the "take" of marine mammals, with certain exceptions. Section 101(a)(5)(A) and (D) of the MMPA (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*) directs the Secretary of Commerce (as delegated to NMFS) 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 proposed or, if the taking is limited to harassment, a notice of a proposed IHA is provided to the public for review.

Authorization for incidental takings shall be granted if NMFS finds that the

taking will have a negligible impact on the species or stock(s) and will not have an unmitigable adverse impact on the availability of the species or stock(s) for taking for subsistence uses (where relevant). Further, NMFS must prescribe the permissible methods of taking; other "means of effecting the least practicable adverse impact" on the affected species or stocks and their habitat, paying particular attention to rookeries, mating grounds, and areas of similar significance, and on the availability of the species or stocks for taking for certain subsistence uses (referred to as "mitigation"); and requirements pertaining to the monitoring and reporting of the takings. The definitions of all applicable MMPA statutory terms used above are included in the relevant sections below (see also 16 U.S.C. 1362; 50 CFR 216.3, 216.103).

Summary of Request

On February 26, 2026, NMFS received a request from the Navy for an IHA to take marine mammals incidental to construction associated with the Navy's 2026 Marine Structure Maintenance and Pile Replacement project in Puget Sound, Washington. Following NMFS' review of the application, and subsequent discussions between NMFS and the Navy, the application was deemed adequate and complete on June 4, 2026. The Navy submitted a revised application reflecting the previous discussions on June 26, 2026. We received another revision on August 6, 2026 and a final revision on August 12, 2026. The Navy's request is for take of 10 species of marine mammals, by Level B harassment and, for a subset of these species, Level A harassment. Neither the Navy nor NMFS expect serious injury or mortality to result from this activity and, therefore, an IHA is appropriate.

NMFS previously promulgated regulations for (84 FR 15963, April 17, 2019) and issued two consecutive IHAs to (89 FR 47539, June 3, 2024) the Navy for related and similar work. The Navy complied with all the requirements (e.g., mitigation, monitoring, and reporting) of the previous IHAs, and information regarding their monitoring results may be found in the Effects of the Specified Activity on Marine Mammals and their Habitat.

Description of the Specified Activity

Overview

To ensure continuance of necessary missions at its installations, the Navy must conduct annual maintenance and repair activities at existing marine waterfront structures, including removal and replacement of piles of various