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2. Estimated production.....	77,000
3. Estimated imports.....	85,000
4. Total supply.....	368,000

**B. Disappearance plus allowance for carry-over.**

<i>Bales</i>	
1. Estimated domestic consumption.....	120,000
2. Estimated exports (excluding exports which cannot be taken into account in this determination).....	0
3. Total estimated consumption and exports.....	120,000
4. Allowance for a carryover (120,000 times 50 percent).....	60,000
5. Estimated domestic consumption and exports plus allowance for carryover.....	180,000

**C. Surplus supply determination.**

<i>Bales</i>	
1. Total supply.....	368,000
2. Estimated domestic consumption and exports plus allowance for carryover.....	180,000
3. Surplus supply for the 1968-69 marketing year (368,000-180,000).....	180,000

Pursuant to the provisions of Public Law 88-638, the surplus supply of extra long staple cotton for the 1968-69 marketing year is hereby determined to be 188,000 bales.

(Sec. 3, 78 Stat. 1038; 7 U.S.C. 1852a)

Signed at Washington, D.C., on July 8, 1968.

ORVILLE L. FREEMAN,  
*Secretary of Agriculture.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**Maritime Administration**

[Docket No. S-213]

**OCEANIC STEAMSHIP CO.**

**Amended Notice of Hearing**

The notice appearing in the FEDERAL REGISTER issue of June 26, 1968 (33 F.R. 9351), concerning a public hearing to be held July 23, 1968, with respect to an application, dated October 18, 1967, filed by the Oceanic Steamship Co. for a waiver under section 804 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, as amended (46 U.S.C. 1222), to permit its parent company, Matson Navigation Co., to engage in certain activities in connection with Trans-Pacific foreign commerce operations under a Basic Shoreside Container Service Agreement, No. FMC 9626, with Nippon Yusen Kaisha, a competitive Japanese-flag company, is hereby modified in the following respects:

(1) To reflect an amendment to the aforesaid application which adds thereto a request for a waiver under section 804 "to permit container vessels of Nippon Yusen Kaisha, a Japanese-flag line and container vessels of Showa Shipping Co., a Japanese-flag line, to use, on or after July 1, 1968, the facilities and equipment of the container piers, container yards and container freight stations and the services of Matson Navigation Co. and Matson Terminals, Inc., on the Pacific Coast of North America (which term

shall be deemed to include Hawaii) pursuant to the provisions of said Agreement, No. FMC 9626."

(2) By changing the date "July 12, 1968" wherever it appears therein to "July 15, 1968."

In all other respects the aforesaid notice remains unchanged.

Dated: July 9, 1968.

By order of the Acting Maritime Administrator.

JAMES S. DAWSON, Jr.,  
*Secretary.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE**  
**Food and Drug Administration**  
**OLONIUM CHLORIDE TABLETS**

**Drugs for Human Use; Drug Efficacy Study Implementation Announcement**

The Food and Drug Administration has evaluated a report received from the National Academy of Sciences—National Research Council, Drug Efficacy Study Group, on the following preparation: Tolonium chloride marketed as Blutene Chloride tablets (100 milligrams) by Abbott Laboratories, 14th and Sheridan Road, North Chicago, Ill. 60064.

The Academy evaluated this drug as ineffective for its one indication, dysfunctional uterine bleeding. The Food and Drug Administration concurs in that evaluation. Accordingly, the Commissioner of Food and Drugs intends to initiate proceedings to withdraw approval of the new-drug application for this drug.

Prior to initiating such action, however, the Commissioner invites the holder of the new-drug application for this drug and any interested person who may be adversely affected by removal of this drug from the market to submit any pertinent data bearing on the proposal within 30 days following the date of publication of this notice in the FEDERAL REGISTER. Any data should be addressed to the Special Assistant for Drug Efficacy Study Implementation, Bureau of Medicine, Food and Drug Administration, 200 C Street SW., Washington, D.C. 20204.

This announcement of the proposed action and implementation of the NAS-NRC report for this drug is made to give notice to persons who might be adversely affected by withdrawal of this drug from the market. Promulgation of an order withdrawing approval of the new-drug application will cause any such drug on the market to be a new drug for which an approved new-drug application is not in effect and will make it subject to regulatory action.

The holder of the new-drug application for this drug has been mailed a copy of the NAS-NRC report. Any interested person may obtain a copy of the NAS-

NRC report on tolonium chloride tablets by writing to the Food and Drug Administration, Press Relations Office, 200 C Street SW., Washington, D.C. 20204.

This notice is issued pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare by the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (secs. 502, 505, 52 Stat. 1050-53, as amended; 21 U.S.C. 352, 355) and delegated to the Commissioner (21 CFR 2.120).

Dated: July 2, 1968.

WINTON B. RANKIN,  
*Deputy Commissioner of Food and Drugs.*

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**COMBINATION DRUG CONTAINING PIPERIDOLATE HYDROCHLORIDE, ASCORBIC ACID, AND HESPERIDIN COMPLEX**

**Drugs for Human Use, Drug Efficacy Study Implementation Announcement**

The Food and Drug Administration has evaluated a report from the National Academy of Sciences—National Research Council, Drug Efficacy Study Group, on the following preparation: Dactil-OB tablets containing piperidolate hydrochloride (100 milligrams), ascorbic acid (50 milligrams), and hesperidin complex (50 milligrams), and marketed by Lakeside Laboratories, 1707 East North Avenue, Milwaukee, Wis. 53201.

The Academy report states that this product may possibly be effective; however, the Academy also states that the claims made for the drug—as an aid in the prevention of premature delivery, to increase the chances of fetal survival, to prolong gestation, and to reduce bed rest requirements—are considered inappropriate in the absence of sound documentation for such claims.

The Food and Drug Administration concurs in the opinion that the claims are inappropriate unless there is sound documentation substantiating such indications. The holder of the new-drug application for this drug is invited to submit within 60 days following the date of publication of this notice in the FEDERAL REGISTER documentation (not previously submitted) adequate to support the representations made for the product.

The holder of the new-drug application for this drug has been mailed a copy of the NAS-NRC report. Any interested person may obtain a copy of the NAS-NRC report on Dactil-OB by writing to the Food and Drug Administration, Press Relations Office, 200 C Street SW., Washington, D.C. 20204.

Any written comments on this announcement may be addressed to the Special Assistant for Drug Efficacy Study Implementation, Bureau of Medicine, Food and Drug Administration, 200 C Street SW., Washington, D.C. 20204.

This notice is issued pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of

Health, Education, and Welfare by the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (secs. 502, 505, 52 Stat. 1050-53, as amended; 21 U.S.C. 352, 355) and delegated to the Commissioner of Food and Drugs (21 CFR 2.120).

Dated: July 2, 1968.

WINTON B. RANKIN, Deputy Commissioner of Food and Drugs.

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AMERICAN CYANAMID CO.

Notice of Withdrawal of Petition for Food Additive Diethylcarbazine

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 409(b), 72 Stat. 1786; 21 U.S.C. 348(b)), the following notice is issued:

In accordance with § 121.52 Withdrawal of petitions without prejudice of the procedural food additive regulations (21 CFR 121.52), American Cyanamid Co., Post Office Box 400, Princeton, N.J. 08540, has withdrawn its petition, notice of which was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER of May 17, 1966 (31 F.R. 7192), proposing an amendment to § 121.214 Diethylcarbazine to provide for the safe use of diethylcarbazine in dog food for the prevention of heartworms (filariasis).

Dated: July 1, 1968.

J. K. KIRK, Associate Commissioner for Compliance.

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ARIZONA FEEDS

Notice of Filing of Petition for Food Additive Disodium EDTA

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 409(b)(5), 72 Stat. 1786; 21 U.S.C. 348(b)(5)), notice is given that a petition has been filed by Arizona Feeds, Post Office Box 3054, Tucson, Ariz. 85702, proposing that § 121.271 Disodium EDTA be amended to provide for the safe use of disodium EDTA as a trace mineral solubilizer in the feed of nonruminant animals.

Dated: July 1, 1968.

J. K. KIRK, Associate Commissioner for Compliance.

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C. J. PATTERSON CO.

Notice of Filing of Petition for Food Additives

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act

(sec. 409(b)(5), 72 Stat. 1786; 21 U.S.C. 348(b)(5)), notice is given that a petition (FAP 8A2309) has been filed by C. J. Patterson Co., 3947 Broadway, Kansas City, Mo. 64111, proposing an amendment to § 121.1211 Sodium stearoyl-2-lactylate (21 CFR 121.1211) to provide for the safe use of sodium stearoyl-2-lactylate as an emulsifier in puddings and prepared pudding mixes.

Dated: July 1, 1968.

J. K. KIRK, Associate Commissioner for Compliance.

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CARLISLE CHEMICAL WORKS, INC.

Notice of Withdrawal of Petition for Food Additives

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 409(b), 72 Stat. 1786; 21 U.S.C. 348(b)), the following notice is issued:

In accordance with § 121.52 Withdrawal of petitions without prejudice of the procedural food additive regulations (21 CFR 121.52), Carlisle Chemical Works, Inc., West Street, Reading, Ohio 45215, has withdrawn its petition (FAP 8B2215), notice of which was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER of September 28, 1967 (32 F.R. 13605), proposing the issuance of a regulation to provide for the safe use of dimyristyl thiodipropionate as an antioxidant in plastics intended for food-contact use.

Dated: July 1, 1968.

J. K. KIRK, Associate Commissioner for Compliance.

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FULTS-SANKO

Notice of Filing of Petition for Food Additives Lignin Sulfonate, Poloxalene

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 409(b)(5), 72 Stat. 1786; 21 U.S.C. 348(b)(5)), notice is given that a petition has been filed by Fults-Sanko, Post Office Box 331, Tulare, Calif. 93274, proposing that the food additive regulations be amended to provide for the safe use of:

- 1. Poloxalene as a nonionic wetting agent; and
2. Lignin sulfonate as a binding aid in the manufacture of steamflaked feed grains.

Dated: July 1, 1968.

J. K. KIRK, Associate Commissioner for Compliance.

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GULF OIL CORP.

Notice of Withdrawal of Regarding Pesticide Ch

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 408(d)(1), 68 Stat. 512; 21 CFR 261.1211), the following notice is issued:

In accordance with § 121.52 Withdrawal of petitions without prejudice of the pesticide regulations (21 CFR 121.52), Gulf Oil Corp., Dwight Building, City, Mo. 64105, has withdrawn its petition (PP 8F0688), notice of which was published in the FEDERAL REGISTER of January 26, 1968 (33 F.R. 1027), proposing the establishment of tolerances for negligible residues of the herbicide ban (4-chloro-2-butynyl m-banilate) in or on the raw agricultural commodities barley, flax, lentil, tannin seed, peas, safflower seed, sugar beets, sunflower seed, and soybeans at 0.1 part per million.

Dated: July 1, 1968.

J. K. KIRK, Associate Commissioner for Compliance.

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JOHNS-MANVILLE

Notice of Filing of Petition for Food Additive Diatomaceous Earth

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 409(b)(5), 72 Stat. 1786; 21 U.S.C. 348(b)(5)), notice is given that a petition has been filed by Johns-Manville Research & Engineering Center, Post Office Box 159, Manville, N.J. 08835, proposing an amendment of the food additive regulations to provide for the safe use of 2 percent of diatomaceous earth as an inert carrier or diluent in animal feed as an inert carrier or diluent.

Dated: July 1, 1968.

J. K. KIRK, Associate Commissioner for Compliance.

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MONSANTO CO.

Notice of Filing of Petition for Food Additives

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (sec. 409(b)(5), 72 Stat. 1786; 21 U.S.C. 348(b)(5)), notice is given that a petition (FAP 8B2308) has been filed by Monsanto Co., Post Office Box 1531, St. Louis, Mo. 63103, proposing an amendment to § 121.2536 Filters, resins, and other materials used in the manufacture of phenol-formaldehyde resins, to provide for the safe use of phenol-formaldehyde resins which have been chemically modified with cyanoguanidine urea as resins which may be used