

and BPI service list. Pursuant to § 207.7(a) of the Commission's rules, the Secretary will make BPI gathered in this investigation available to authorized applicants representing interested parties (as defined in 19 U.S.C. 1677(9)) who are parties to the investigation under the APO issued in the investigation, provided that the application is made not later than seven days after the publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**. A separate service list will be maintained by the Secretary for those parties authorized to receive BPI under the APO.

**Conference.** The Commission's Director of Operations has scheduled a conference in connection with this investigation for 9:30 a.m. on December 11, 2002, at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building, 500 E Street SW., Washington, DC. Parties wishing to participate in the conference should contact Jim McClure (202-205-3191) not later than December 9, 2002, to arrange for their appearance. Parties in support of the imposition of antidumping duties in this investigation and parties in opposition to the imposition of such duties will each be collectively allocated one hour within which to make an oral presentation at the conference. A nonparty who has testimony that may aid the Commission's deliberations may request permission to present a short statement at the conference.

**Written submissions.** As provided in §§ 201.8 and 207.15 of the Commission's rules, any person may submit to the Commission on or before December 16, 2002, a written brief containing information and arguments pertinent to the subject matter of the investigation. Parties may file written testimony in connection with their presentation at the conference no later than three days before the conference. If briefs or written testimony contain BPI, they must conform with the requirements of §§ 201.6, 207.3, and 207.7 of the Commission's rules. The Commission's rules do not authorize filing of submissions with the Secretary by facsimile or electronic means except to the extent provided by § 201.8 of the Commission's rules, as amended, 67 FR 68036 (November 8, 2002).

In accordance with §§ 201.16(c) and 207.3 of the rules, each document filed by a party to the investigation must be served on all other parties to the investigation (as identified by either the public or BPI service list), and a certificate of service must be timely filed. The Secretary will not accept a document for filing without a certificate of service.

**Authority:** This investigation is being conducted under authority of title VII of the Tariff Act of 1930; this notice is published pursuant to § 207.12 of the Commission's rules.

By order of the Commission.

Issued: November 22, 2002.

**Marilyn R. Abbott,**

*Secretary to the Commission.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Drug Enforcement Administration

#### Horst G. Blume, M.D.; Revocation of Registration

On July 26, 2002, the Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Division Control, Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), issued an Order to Show Cause by certified mail to Horst G. Blume, M.D. (Dr. Blume), notifying him of an opportunity to show cause as to why the DEA should not revoke his DEA Certificate of Registration, AB4035146, pursuant to 21 U.S.C. 824(a)(3), and deny any pending applications for renewal of such registration, pursuant to 21 U.S.C. 823(f), on the ground that, effective August 1, 2001, Dr. Blume voluntarily surrendered his medical license to the Iowa Board of Medical Examiners. The Order also notified Dr. Blume that if a request for hearing is not filed within 30 days of receipt, his right to a hearing would be deemed waived.

The Order to Show Cause was sent to Dr. Blume at his DEA registered premises in Sioux City, Iowa. DEA received a signed receipt indicating that the Order to Show Cause was received on behalf of Dr. Blume at that location. Since that time, DEA has not received a request for hearing or any other reply from Dr. Blume or anyone purporting to represent him in this matter.

Therefore, the Deputy Administrator, finding that (1) 30 days have passed since the receipt of the Order to Show Cause, and (2) no request for a hearing has been received concludes that Dr. Blume is deemed to have waived his right to a hearing. Following a complete review of the investigative file in this matter, the Deputy Administrator now enters his final order without a hearing pursuant to 21 CFR 1301.4 (d) and (e), and 1301.46.

The Deputy Administrator finds that Dr. Blume currently possesses DEA Certificate of Registration AB4035146, issued to him in Iowa. On July 11, 2001, Dr. Blume submitted a letter to the Iowa Board of Medical Examiners in which

he voluntarily surrendered his Iowa medical license and agreed to no longer practice medicine in Iowa, effective August 1, 2001. The letter also stated that Dr. Blume understood that he was not eligible to reapply for medical license in the State of Iowa. The license surrender by Dr. Blume resolved the disciplinary action initiated by the Iowa Board of Medical Examiners. The investigative file contains no evidence that Dr. Blume's medical license has been reinstated in Iowa.

The DEA does not have the statutory authority under the Controlled Substances Act to issue or to maintain a registration if the applicant or registrant is without state authority to handle controlled substances in the state in which he or she practices. See 21 U.S.C. 823(f) and 824(a)(3). This prerequisite has been consistently upheld in prior DEA cases. See Willard W. Leiske, M.D., 67 FR 35,588 (2002); Graham Travers Schuler, M.D., 65 FR 50,570 (2000); Romeo J. Perez, M.D., 62 FR 16, 193 (1997); Demetris A. Green, M.D., 61 FR 60728 (1996); Dominick A. Ricci, M.D., 58 FR 51104 (1993).

In the instant case, the Deputy Administrator finds that there is evidence demonstrating that Dr. Blume is not authorized to practice medicine in Iowa, and therefore, the Deputy Administrator infers that Dr. Blume is also not authorized to handle controlled substances in Iowa, the state in which he holds his DEA Certificate of Registration.

Accordingly, the Deputy Administrator of the Drug Enforcement Administration pursuant to the authority vested in him by 21 U.S.C. 823 and 824 and 28 CFR 0.100(b) and 0.104, hereby orders that the DEA Certificate of Registration AB40335146, previously issued to Horst G. Blume, M.D., be, and is hereby is, revoked. The Deputy Administrator further orders that any pending applications for renewal or modification of said registration be, and hereby are, denied. This order is effective December 30, 2002.

Dated: November 20, 2002.

**John B. Brown, III,**

*Deputy Administrator.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Drug Enforcement Administration

#### Christopher E. Castle, M.D., Revocation of Registration

On March 14, 2002, the Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of