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The Southern Shrimp Alliance (SSA) is a non-profit alliance of members of the U.S. shrimp industry in eight states committed to preventing the continued deterioration of America's shrimp industry and to ensuring the industry's future viability. SSA serves as the national voice for the shrimp fishermen and processors in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Texas.

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## Questions Regarding CDSOA Certifications:

How many originals need to be submitted: one per claim or one per country/antidumping order?

**A claimant should file an original certification for each ADD/CVD order they are filing on. Using the shrimp industry as an example, we will accept one original certification with all 6 cases or separate original certifications for each case being filed on.**

Per question 41 of the certification, how is the total amount of prior distributions to be calculated: on the basis of the distributions related to each country/antidumping order or distributions collectively received?

**A claimant can account for prior year disbursements on an ADD/CVD case basis or by the total amount collectively received on all cases.**

Per question 41, how is the net amount of qualifying expenditures to be calculated: is the calculation total qualifying expenditures minus total prior distributions received or is the calculation total qualifying expenditures minus total prior distribution received in that particular case (meaning that a differing amount of qualifying expenditures will be reported for each country/antidumping order)?

**The net amount of qualifying expenditures is equal to the total amount of qualifying expenditures currently and previously certified less total amount of prior distributions for the particular ADD/CVD case.**

## CDSOA online Application

There is an alternative to the paper application for the CDSOA Claim form.

[Pay.GovOnline Application](#)

Click the link above and follow the instructions as indicated. Upon completion you will receive a confirmation number.

## CDSOA Q & A

For questions and answers concerning the CDSOA claim form please see

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