

Notice is hereby given that the prehearing conference in this matter will commence at 9:00 a.m. on June 27, 1995, in Courtroom C (Room 217), U.S. International Trade Commission Building, 500 E St. SW., Washington, DC, and the hearing will commence immediately thereafter.

The Secretary shall publish this notice in the **Federal Register**.

Issued: June 20, 1995.

**Paul J. Luckern,**

*Administrative Law Judge.*

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**[Investigations Nos. 731-TA-711 and 716-717 (Final)]**

**OCTG From Argentina, Mexico, and Spain**

**AGENCY:** International Trade Commission.

**ACTION:** Institution and scheduling of final antidumping investigations.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission hereby gives notice of the institution of antidumping investigations Nos. 731-TA-711 and 716-717 (Final) under section 735(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. § 673d(b)) (the Act) to determine whether an industry in the United States is materially injured, or is threatened with material injury, or is the establishment of an industry in the United States is materially retarded, by reason of imports from Argentina, Mexico, and Spain of oil country tubular goods (OCTG),<sup>1</sup> provided for in subheadings 7304.20, 7305.20, and 7306.20 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States.

For further information concerning the conduct of these investigations, hearing procedures, and rules of general application, consult the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, part 207, subparts A and C (19 CFR part 207).

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** June 20, 1995.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Douglas Corkran (202-205-3177), Office of Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW., Washington, DC 20436. Hearing-impaired persons can obtain information on this matter by contacting

<sup>1</sup> For the purposes of these investigations, OCTG are hollow steel products of circular cross-section. These products include oil well casing, tubing, and drill pipe, of iron (other than cast iron) or steel (both carbon and alloy), whether or not conforming to American Petroleum Institute ("API") or non-API specifications, whether finished or unfinished (including green tubes). These investigations do not cover casing, tubing, or drill pipe containing 10.5 percent or more of chromium.

the Commission's TDD terminal on 202-205-1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at 202-205-2000.

Information can also be obtained by calling the Office of Investigations' remote bulletin board system for personal computers at 202-205-1895 (N,8,1).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Background.**—The subject investigations are being instituted as a result of affirmative final determinations by the Department of Commerce that imports of OCTG from Argentina, Mexico, and Spain are being sold in the United States at less than fair value (LTFV) within the meaning of section 733 of the Act (19 U.S.C. § 1673b). Commerce's preliminary determinations of sales at LTFV were negative (60 F.R. 6503, February 2, 1995, and 60 F.R. 13119, March 10, 1995). These investigations were requested in petitions filed on June 30, 1994, by Bellville Tube Corp. (Bellville, TX); IPSCO Steel, Inc. (Camanche, IA); Koppel Steel Corp. (Beaver Falls, PA); Maverick Tube Corp. (Chesterfield, MO); North Star Steel Ohio (Youngstown, OH); U.S. Steel Group (Pittsburgh, PA); and USS/Kobe Steel Co. (Lorain, OH). The schedule for the subject investigations will be identical to that of the Commission's ongoing countervailing and antidumping duty investigations of the subject product (60 F.R. 10107, February 23, 1995).

**Participation in the investigations and public service list.**—Any person having already filed an entry of appearance in the ongoing countervailing and antidumping duty investigations on OCTG is considered a party in the subject antidumping investigations. Any other persons wishing to participate in the investigations as parties must file an entry of appearance with the Secretary to the Commission not later than two (2) days after publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**. The time limits established in section 201.11(b) of the Commission's rules are hereby waived.

**Limited disclosure of business proprietary information (BPI) under an administrative protective order (APO) and BPI service list.**—The Secretary will make BPI gathered in these final investigations available to additional authorized applicants under the APO issued in the investigations, provided that the application is made not later than two (2) days after the publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**. The time limits established in section 207.7(a) of the Commission's rules are

hereby waived. A separate service list will be maintained by the Secretary for those parties authorized to receive BPI under the APO.

**Staff report.**—The prehearing staff report in these investigations was placed in the nonpublic record on June 14, 1995, and a public version was issued on June 16, 1995, pursuant to section 207.21 of the Commission's rules.

**Hearing.**—The Commission will hold a hearing in connection with these investigations beginning at 9:30 a.m. on June 27, 1995, at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building. All parties and nonparties desiring to appear at the hearing and make oral presentations should attend a prehearing conference to be held at 9:30 a.m. on June 22, 1995, at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building. Oral testimony and written materials to be submitted at the public hearing are governed by sections 201.6(b)(2), 201.13(f), and 207.23(b) of the Commission's rules.

Requests for a separate hearing in these investigations for the limited purpose of supplementing the June 27, 1995, hearing record with testimony and evidence solely related to these antidumping duty investigations should be filed in writing with the Commission not later than June 30, 1995. If such a hearing is requested, parties will be contacted regarding the dates for the hearing and for the filing of briefs.

**Written submissions.**—Each party is encouraged to submit a prehearing brief to the Commission. Prehearing briefs must conform with the provisions of section 207.22 of the Commission's rules; the deadline for filing is June 21, 1995. Parties may also file written testimony in connection with their presentation at the hearing, as provided in section 207.23(b) of the Commission's rules, and posthearing briefs, which must conform with the provisions of section 207.24 of the Commission's rules. The deadline for filing posthearing briefs is July 6, 1995; witness testimony must be filed no later than three (3) days before the hearing. In addition, any person who has not entered an appearance as a party to the investigations may submit a written statement of information pertinent to the subject of the investigations on or before July 6, 1995. All written submissions must conform with the provisions of section 201.8 of the Commission's rules; any submissions that contain BPI must also conform with the requirements of sections § 201.6, 207.3, and 207.7 of the Commission's rules.

In accordance with sections § 201.16(c) and 207.3 of the rules, each

document filed by a party to the investigations must be served on all other parties to the investigations (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:** These investigations are being conducted under authority of the Tariff Act of 1930, title VII. This notice is published pursuant to section 207.20 of the Commission's rules.

By order of the Commission.

Issued: June 20, 1995

**Donna R. Koehnke,**

*Secretary.*

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#### [Investigation No. 731-TA-710 (Final)]

#### **Certain Seamless Carbon and Alloy Standard, Line, and Pressure Steel Pipe From Italy**

**AGENCY:** United States International Trade Commission.

**ACTION:** Institution and scheduling of final antidumping investigation.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission hereby gives notice of the institution of final antidumping investigation No. 731-TA-710 (Final) under section 735(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1673d(b)) (the Act) to determine whether an industry in the United States is materially injured, or is threatened with material injury, or the establishment of an industry in the United States is materially retarded, by reason of imports of certain seamless carbon and alloy standard, line, and pressure steel pipe<sup>1</sup> from Italy. Such imports are provided for in subheadings 7304.10.10, 7304.10.50, 7304.31.60, 7304.39.00, 7304.51.50, 7304.59.60, and 7304.59.80 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States. The Commission will make its final injury determination within 75 days after receipt of Commerce's notification of its final determination (19 U.S.C. 1673d(b)).

For further information concerning the conduct of this investigation and rules of general application, consult the Commission's rules of practice and

<sup>1</sup> The imports subject to investigation are seamless carbon and alloy (other than stainless) steel pipes, of circular cross-section, not more than 114.3mm (4.5 inches) in outside diameter, regardless of wall thickness, manufacturing process (hot-finished or cold-drawn), end finish (plain end, bevelled end, upset end, threaded, or threaded and coupled), or surface finish. The subject imports are further defined in the U.S. Department of Commerce's notice of final determination of sales at less than fair value (60 FR 31981, June 19, 1995).

procedure, part 207, subparts A and C (19 CFR part 207).

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** June 14, 1995.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Diane J. Mazur (202-205-3184), Office of Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW., Washington, DC 20436. Hearing-impaired persons can obtain information on this matter by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on 202-205-1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at 202-205-2000. Information can also be obtained by calling the Office of Investigations' remote bulletin board system for personal computers at 202-205-1895 (N,8,1).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

#### **Background**

The subject antidumping investigation is being instituted as a result of the affirmative final determination by the Department of Commerce (60 FR 31981, June 19, 1995) that imports of certain seamless carbon and alloy standard, line, and pressure steel pipe from Italy are being sold in the United States at less than fair value (LTFV) within the meaning of section 733 of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1673b). Commerce's preliminary determination of sales at LTFV was negative (60 FR 5358, January 27, 1995). This investigation was requested in a petition filed on June 23, 1994, on behalf of the Gulf States Tube Division of Quanex Corp., Rosenberg, TX. The schedule for the subject investigation will be identical to that of the Commission's ongoing countervailing and antidumping duty investigations of the subject product (60 FR 11110, March 1, 1995).

#### **Participation in the Investigation and Public Service List**

Any person having already filed an entry of appearance in the related countervailing duty investigation is considered a party in this antidumping investigation. Any other persons wishing to participate in the investigation as parties must file an entry of appearance with the Secretary to the Commission, as provided in § 201.11 of the Commission's rules, not later than twenty-one (21) days after publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**. The Secretary will prepare a public service list containing the names and addresses of all persons, or their representatives, who are parties to the

investigations upon the expiration of the period for filing entries of appearance.

#### **Limited Disclosure of Business Proprietary Information (BPI) Under an Administrative Protective Order (APO) and BPI Service List.**

Pursuant to § 207.7(a) of the Commission's rules, the Secretary will make BPI gathered in this final investigation available to authorized applicants under the APO issued in the investigation, provided that the application is made not later than twenty-one (21) 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.

#### **Staff Report.**

A prehearing staff report applicable to this investigation was placed in the nonpublic record on June 7, 1995, and a public version was issued on June 8, 1995, pursuant to § 207.21 of the Commission's rules.

#### **Hearing**

The Commission will hold a hearing in connection with the ongoing countervailing and antidumping duty investigations (Invs. Nos. 701-TA-362 and 731-TA-707-709 (Final)) of the subject product, beginning at 9:30 a.m. on June 20, 1995, at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building. At that hearing, the Commission will hear testimony and receive evidence regarding the antidumping investigation instituted herein. Oral testimony and written materials to be submitted at the public hearing are governed by § 201.6(b)(2), 201.13(f), and 207.23(b) of the Commission's rules.

Requests for a separate hearing in this investigation for the limited purpose of supplementing the June 20, 1995, hearing record with testimony and evidence solely related to the antidumping duty investigation, should be filed in writing with the Commission not later than June 27, 1995. If such a hearing is requested, parties will be contacted regarding dates for the hearing and for the filing of briefs.

#### **Written Submissions**

Parties may file written testimony in connection with their presentation at the hearing, as provided in § 207.23(b) of the Commission's rules, and posthearing briefs, which must conform with the provisions of § 207.24 of the Commission's rules. The deadline for filing posthearing briefs is June 28, 1995; witness testimony must be filed