751(a)(1) of the Tariff Act (19 U.S.C. 1675(a)(1)) and 19 CFR 353.22.

Dated: July 28, 1995.

Susan G. Esserman,

Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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[A-588-836]

Notice of Postponement of Preliminary Determination: Antidumping Duty Investigation of Polyvinyl Alcohol From Japan

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ellen Grebasch, Dorothy Tomaszewski or Erik Warga, Office of Antidumping Investigations, Import Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington D.C. 20230; telephone (202) 482–3773, (202) 482–0631, or (202) 482– 0922, respectively.

The Applicable Statute

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the statute are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Tariff Act of 1930 (the Act) by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act (URAA).

Postponement of Preliminary Determination

On July 21, 1995, petitioner, Air Products and Chemicals Inc., made a timely request that the Department of Commerce ("the Department") postpone until October 2, 1995, its preliminary determination in this proceeding. Accordingly, pursuant to section 733(c)(1)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930 ("the Act"), we have done so.

This notice is published pursuant to section 733(c)(2) of the Act.

Dated: August 1, 1995.

Barbara R. Stafford.

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Investigations, Import Administration.

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[A-570-001]

Potassium Permanganate From the People's Republic of China; Termination of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of termination of antidumping duty administrative review.

summary: On February 15, 1995, the Department of Commerce (the Department) published in the Federal Register (60 FR 8629) the notice of initiation of the administrative review of the antidumping duty order on potassium permanganate from the People's Republic of China. This review has now been terminated as a result of the withdrawal by the petitioner of its request for the review.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 4, 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Paul Stolz, Office of Antidumping Compliance, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230, telephone: (202) 482–4474.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On January 27, 1995, Carus Chemical Company (Carus) requested an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on potassium permanganate from the People's Republic of China for the period January 1, 1994 through December 31, 1994, pursuant to 19 CFR 353.22(a)(1)(1994). On February 15, 1995, the Department published in the **Federal Register** (60 FR 8629) the notice of initiation of that administrative review.

Carus timely withdrew its request for a review on May 16, 1995, pursuant to 19 CFR 353.22(a)(5). As a result, the Department has terminated the review.

This notice is published in accordance with section 751 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (19 U.S.C. 1675) and 19 CFR 353.22(a)(5).

Dated: July 28, 1995.

Joseph A. Spetrini,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Compliance. [FR Doc. 95–19270 Filed 8–3–95; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3510–DS–M

[A-570-804]

Sparklers From the People's Republic of China; Preliminary Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of preliminary results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review.

SUMMARY: In response to a request by the petitioners, the Elkton Sparkler Company and the Diamond Sparkler Company, the Department of Commerce (the Department) has conducted an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on sparklers from the People's Republic of China (PRC). The review was requested for one manufacturer, Guangxi Native Produce Import and Export Corporation, Beihai Fireworks and Firecrackers Branch (Guangxi). The review covers the period June 1, 1993 through May 31, 1994.

As a result of this review, we have preliminarily determined to assess an antidumping duty of 93.54 percent on the merchandise subject to the review. Interested parties are invited to comment on these preliminary results of the review.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 4, 1995.
FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
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482–5831/4114.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On June 18, 1991, the Department published in the Federal Register the antidumping duty order on sparklers from the PRC (56 FR 27946). On June 7, 1994, the Department published a notice in the Federal Register notifying interested parties of the opportunity to request an administrative review of sparklers from the PRC (58 FR 31941). On June 23, 1994, the petitioners requested, in accordance with 19 CFR 353.22(a), that we conduct an administrative review of exports to the United States by Guangxi, for the period June 1, 1993 through May 31, 1994. We published a notice of initiation of the antidumping duty administrative review on July 15, 1994 (58 FR 39007).

The initiation notice indicated that the review would cover Guangxi and would cover conditionally all other exporters of this merchandise. The Department is now conducting a review in accordance with section 751 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act).

Scope of the Review

The products covered by this administrative review are sparklers from the PRC. Sparklers are fireworks, each comprising a cut-to-length wire, one end of which is coated with a chemical mix that emits bright sparks while burning. Sparklers are currently classifiable