

comply with the regulations and terms of an APO is a sanctionable violation.

This notice of changed circumstances administrative review and intent to revoke are in accordance with sections 751 (b)(1) and (d) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1675 (b)(1) and (d) (1995)) and 19 CFR 353.22(f) and 353.25(d) (1994).

Dated: August 16, 1995.

**Susan G. Esserman,**

*Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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### **Certain Circular Welded Carbon Steel Pipes and Tubes From Thailand: Final Results of Countervailing Duty Administrative Review**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of Final Results of Countervailing Duty Administrative Review.

**SUMMARY:** On June 8, 1995, the Department of Commerce (the Department) published in the **Federal Register** its preliminary results of its administrative review of the countervailing duty order on certain circular welded carbon steel pipe and tubes from Thailand for the period January 1, 1993, through December 31, 1993. We have completed this review and determine the net subsidy to be 0.23 percent *ad valorem* for all companies during this review period. In accordance with 19 CFR 355.7, this rate is *de minimis*. Therefore, the Department intends to instruct the Customs Service to liquidate, without regard to countervailing duties, all shipments of the subject merchandise from Thailand exported on or after January 1, 1993 and on or before December 31, 1993.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** August 23, 1995.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Tre Moore, Stephen Lebowitz or Kelly Parkhill, Office of Countervailing Compliance, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482-2786.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

#### **Background**

On June 8, 1995, the Department published in the **Federal Register** (60 FR 30284) the preliminary results of its administrative review of the

countervailing duty order on certain circular welded carbon steel pipes and tubes from Thailand. The Department has now completed this review in accordance with section 751 of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act).

The review covers the period January 1, 1993 through December 31, 1993, one manufacturer/exporter, and the following nine programs:

- (A) Export Packing Credits
- (B) Tax Certificates for Exporters
- (C) Electricity Discounts for Exporters
- (D) Tax and Duty Exemptions Under Section 28 of the Investment Promotion Act
- (E) Repurchase of Industrial Bills
- (F) Export Processing Zones
- (G) International Trade Promotion Fund/Export Promotion Fund
- (H) Reduced Business Taxes for Producers of Intermediate Goods for Export Industries
- (I) Additional Incentives under the IPA

#### **Applicable Statute and Regulations**

The Department is conducting this administrative review in accordance with section 751(a) of the Act. Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the statute and to the Department's regulations are in reference to the provisions as they existed on December 31, 1994.

#### **Scope of Review**

The Department clarified the Harmonized Tariff Schedule (HTS) numbers that were applicable to the subject merchandise (see Memorandum to Susan Esserman from Susan Kuhbach, dated March 29, 1994, regarding Change of Scope in Administrative Review of Certain Circular Welded Carbon Steel Pipes and Tubes from Thailand which is on file in the Central Records Unit, Room B099, Main Commerce Building). This clarification was necessary because of annual changes in the HTS. The scope now reads:

Imports covered in this review are circular welded carbon steel pipes and tubes (pipes and tubes) with an outside diameter of 0.375 inch or more but not over 16 inches, of any wall thickness. These products, commonly referred to in the industry as standard pipe or structural tubing, are produced to various ASTM specifications, most notably A-120, A-53 and A-135. During the review period, this merchandise was classified under item numbers 7306.30.10 and 7306.30.50 of the HTS. The HTS numbers are provided for convenience and Customs purposes. The written description remains dispositive.

#### **Analysis of Comments Received**

We gave interested parties an opportunity to comment on the preliminary results. We received no comments, and have made no changes to the preliminary results.

#### **Final Results of Review**

For the period January 1, 1993 through December 31, 1993, we determine the total net subsidy to be 0.23 percent *ad valorem*. In accordance with 19 CFR 355.7, any rate less than 0.5 percent *ad valorem* is *de minimis*.

As a result of this review, the Department will instruct the Customs Service to liquidate, without regard to countervailing duties, all shipments of the subject merchandise from Thailand, exported on or after January 1, 1993, and on or before December 31, 1993. Further, as provided by section 751(a)(1) of the Act, the Department will instruct Customs to collect cash deposits of estimated countervailing duties at a rate of zero percent of the f.o.b. invoice price on all shipments of the subject merchandise from Thailand entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after the date of publication of the final results of this administrative review. These instructions shall remain in effect until publication of the final results of the next administrative review.

This notice also serves as a reminder to parties subject to administrative protective order (APO) of their responsibility concerning the disposition of proprietary information disclosed under APO in accordance with 19 CFR 355.43(d). Timely written notification of return/destruction of APO materials or conversion to judicial protective order is hereby requested. Failure to comply with the regulations and the terms of an APO is a sanctionable violation.

This administrative review and notice are in accordance with section 751(a)(1) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1675(a)(1)) and 19 CFR 355.22.

Dated: August 16, 1995.

**Susan G. Esserman,**

*Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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#### **North American Free Trade Agreement, Article 1904, Binational Panel Reviews: Notice of Completion of Panel Review**

**AGENCY:** NAFTA Secretariat, United States Section, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.