

Joseph A. Spetrini to Robert S. LaRussa, Extension of Time Limit for the Preliminary Results of Antidumping Administrative Reviews: Certain Corrosion-Resistant Carbon Steel Flat Products From Japan, dated August 2, 1999, it is not practicable to complete this review within the time limits mandated by section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act.

Therefore, in accordance with section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act, the Department is extending the time limits for the preliminary results 7 days to August 9, 1999. The final results continue to be due 120 days after the publication of the preliminary results.

Dated: August 2, 1999.

Joseph A. Spetrini,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

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Certain Hot-Rolled Flat-Rolled Carbon-Quality Steel Products From Brazil: Notice of Amended Final Determination of Antidumping Duty Investigation

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

SUMMARY: In the Notice of Final Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value: Certain Hot-Rolled Flat-Rolled Carbon-Quality Steel Products from Brazil, 64 FR 38756, 38792 (July 19, 1999) (Hot-Rolled Steel Final Determination) the Department of Commerce (the Department) made an inadvertent error in the suspension of liquidation section. The Department is amending its final determination to clarify that we will instruct Customs to continue the suspension of liquidation of all entries of hot-rolled, flat-rolled, carbon-quality steel products from Brazil pursuant to section 734(h)(2)(B) of the Act.

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Applicable Statute and Regulations

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), are to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Act by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act. In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department's regulations are to the regulations codified at 19 CFR part 351 (1999).

Background

On July 6, 1999, the Department signed a suspension agreement with CSN, USIMINAS, and COSIPA suspending this investigation. Also on July 6, 1999, the Department issued its Hot-Rolled Steel Final Determination as well as the Suspension of Antidumping Duty Investigation: Hot-Rolled Flat-Rolled Carbon-Quality Steel Products From Brazil, 64 FR 38792, (July 19, 1999), (Notice of Suspension of Investigation). As correctly stated in the Notice of Suspension of Investigation, we are continuing the suspension of liquidation in accordance with section 734(h)(2)(B). Since the Hot-Rolled Steel Final Determination inadvertently indicated that suspension of liquidation would be terminated, we are issuing this amended final determination to correct the error.

Amendment

We are amending the Hot-Rolled Steel Final Determination as follows: In accordance with section 734(f)(2)(B) of the Act, the suspension of liquidation of entries of the subject merchandise in effect since the publication of the affirmative preliminary determination of the same case on February 19, 1999, shall continue. See Notice of Preliminary Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value: Hot-Rolled Flat-Rolled Carbon-Quality Steel Products from Brazil, 64 FR 8299 (February 19, 1999). Pursuant to section 734(f)(3) of the Act, the suspension of liquidation of entries of the subject merchandise will terminate at the close of the 20-day period beginning on the day of publication of the Notice of Suspension of Investigation, July 19, 1999 (unless an interested party files a petition with the International Trade Commission for a review of the suspension agreement under such section). In addition, any cash deposits of entries of subject merchandise shall be refunded and any bonds shall be released after the close of such 20-day period.

As provided in section 734(f)(2)(B) of the Act, the Department may adjust the required security to reflect the effect of the agreement. Pursuant to this

provision, the Department has found that the Agreement eliminates completely the injurious effect of imports of subject merchandise. Accordingly, effective as of July 19, 1999, the Department has adjusted the security required from producers and/or exporters to zero. The security rates in effect for nonsignatory producers/exporters remain as published in our final determination.

This amended final determination is issued and published in accordance with sections 735(d) and (e) of the Act.

Dated: July 30, 1999.

Joseph A. Spetrini,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

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Industrial Nitrocellulose From the United Kingdom; 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: The Department of Commerce (the Department) is conducting an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on industrial nitrocellulose (INC) from the United Kingdom in response to a request by the petitioner, Hercules Incorporated. This review covers one manufacturer/exporter of the subject merchandise to the United States during the period of July 1, 1997 through June 30, 1998. Based on our analysis, the Department has preliminarily determined that a dumping margin exists for the manufacturer/exporter during the period of review (POR). If these preliminary results are adopted in our final results of administrative review, we will instruct the United States Customs Service (Customs) to assess antidumping duties as appropriate. Interested parties are invited to comment on these preliminary results. Parties who submit comments in this proceeding are requested to submit with each comment (1) a statement of the issue, and (2) a brief summary of the comment.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 6, 1999.