

portions of meetings of these Committees and of any Subcommittees thereof, dealing with the classified materials listed in 5 U.S.C. 552(c)(1) shall be exempt from the provisions relating to public meetings found in section 10(a)(1) and (a)(3), of the Federal Advisory Committee Act. The remaining series of meetings or portions thereof will be open to the public.

A copy of the Notice of Determination to close meetings or portions of meetings of these Committees is available for public inspection and copying in the Central Reference and Records Inspection Facility, Room 6020, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC. For further information or copies of the minutes call Lee Ann Carpenter, 202-482-2583.

Dated: October 20, 1999.

Lee Ann Carpenter,

Committee Liaison Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-859-801]

Notice of Postponement of Preliminary Antidumping Duty Determination: Certain Cold-Rolled Flat-Rolled Carbon-Quality Steel Products from Slovakia

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

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 27, 1999.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

LaVonne Jackson, Doug Campau, or Abdelali Elouaradia, Office V, DAS Group II, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, US Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone (202) 482-3003, 482-1784, or (202) 482-0498, respectively.

Postponement of Preliminary Determination

The Department of Commerce ("the Department") is postponing the preliminary determination in the antidumping duty investigation of cold-rolled, flat-rolled, carbon-quality steel products from Slovakia. The deadline for issuing the preliminary determination in this investigation is now December 8, 1999.

On June 21, 1999, the Department initiated an antidumping investigation of cold-rolled, flat-rolled, carbon-quality

steel products from Slovakia. See *Initiation of Antidumping Duty Investigations: Certain Cold-Rolled Flat-Rolled Carbon-Quality Steel Products from Argentina, Brazil, the People's Republic of China, Indonesia, Japan, the Russian Federation, Slovakia, South Africa, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey, and Venezuela*, 64 FR 34194. The notice stated that the Department would issue its preliminary determinations no later than 140 days after the date of initiation (i.e., November 8, 1999).

On October 13, 1999, pursuant to section 771(18)(B) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended ("the Act"), the Department revoked the non-market economy status of Slovakia. As a result, the Department discontinued the use of its non-market economy methodology in this investigation, and is now proceeding using its market economy methodology. Thus, the Department must now gather additional data, review responses, and address all issues using its market economy investigation methodology. Consequently, in accordance with section 733(c)(1)(B) of the Act, the Department concludes that this case is extraordinarily complicated, and that additional time is necessary to issue the preliminary determination. Therefore, pursuant to section 733(c)(1) of the Act, the Department is postponing the deadline for issuing this determination until December 8, 1999. This extension is in accordance with section 733(c) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.205(b)(2).

Dated: October 19, 1999.

Richard W. Moreland,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-412-803]

Industrial Nitrocellulose From the United Kingdom: Rescission of Antidumping Administrative Review

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

SUMMARY: On August 30, 1999, the Department of Commerce ("the Department") initiated an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on industrial nitrocellulose from the United Kingdom for Imperial Chemical Industries PLC ("ICI"), a manufacturer and exporter of

industrial nitrocellulose. This administrative review was requested by ICI and is for the period July 1, 1998 through June 30, 1999. The Department is rescinding this review after receiving a timely withdrawal from ICI of its request for review.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 27, 1999.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Thomas Futtner or Ron Trentham, Group II, Office 4, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, US Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone (202) 482-3814 and (202) 482-6320, respectively.

The Applicable Statute

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended ("the Act"), are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the Uruguay Round Agreements Act ("URAA"). In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department's regulations are to the regulations at 19 CFR part 351 (1998).

Background

On July 26, 1999, ICI requested that the Department conduct an administrative review of the subject merchandise it exported from the United Kingdom for the period July 1, 1998 through June 30, 1999.

On August 30, 1999, the Department published in the **Federal Register** (64 FR 47167) a notice of initiation of administrative review with respect to ICI for the period July 1, 1998 through June 30, 1999. On September 29, 1999, ICI requested that it be allowed to withdraw its request for a review and that the review be terminated.

Rescission of Review

Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), the Department will rescind an administrative review if a party that requested the review withdraws the request within 90 days of the date of publication of the notice of initiation of the requested review. Because ICI's request for termination was submitted within the 90-day time limit, and there were no requests for review from other interested parties, we are rescinding this review. We will issue appropriate appraisement instructions directly to the US Customs Service.

This notice is in accordance with section 771(i) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, and 19 CFR 351.213(d)(4).