insurance expenses. In addition, where appropriate, we made adjustments under section 773(a)(6)(C)(iii) of the Act for differences in circumstances of sale for imputed credit expenses and imputed inventory carrying costs. We also made adjustments, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.410(e), for indirect selling expenses incurred in the comparison market or on U.S. sales where commissions were granted on sales in one market but not in the other (the commission offset).

Currency Conversion

We made currency conversions into U.S. dollars in accordance with section 773A(a) of the Act based on the exchange rates in effect on the dates of the home market sales and U.S. sales, where appropriate, as certified by the Federal Reserve.

Verification

As provided in section 782(i) of the Act, we will verify all information to be used in making our final determination.

Suspension of Liquidation

In accordance with section 733(d)(2) of the Act, we are directing U.S. Customs and Border Protection (''CBP'') to suspend liquidation of all imports of subject merchandise from Indonesia, except imports of subject merchandise produced and exported by Indorama which has a *de minimis* rate, that are entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**. We will instruct CBP to require a cash deposit or the posting of a bond equal to the weighted-average amount by which the NV exceeds the EP or CEP, as indicated in the chart below. These suspension-of-liquidation instructions will remain in effect until further notice. The weighted-average dumping margins are as follows:

Exporter/manufacturer	Weighted-average margin percentage
P.T. Indorama Synthetics Tbk.	0.74 (*de minimis*)
P.T. Polypet Karyapersada.	27.61
P.T. SK Keris	27.61
All Others	18.65

All Others

All companies that we examined have either a *de minimis* margin or rates based on total AFA. Therefore, for purposes of determining the all-others rate and pursuant to section 735(c)(5)(B) of the Act, we have calculated a simple average of the three margin rates we have determined in the investigation.

ITC Notification

In accordance with section 733(f) of the Act, we have notified the ITC of our determination. If our final determination is affirmative, the ITC will determine before the later of 120 days after the date of this preliminary determination or 45 days after our final determination whether these imports are materially injuring, or threaten material injury to, the U.S. industry.

Disclosure

We will disclose the calculations used in our analysis to parties in this proceeding in accordance with 19 CFR 351.224(b).

Public Comment

Case briefs for this investigation must be submitted to the Department no later than 50 days after the date of publication of this preliminary determination or one week after the issuance of the last verification report, whichever is later. Rebuttal briefs must be filed five days after the deadline for submission of case briefs. A list of authorities used, a table of contents, and an executive summary of issues should accompany any briefs submitted to the Department. Executive summaries should be limited to five pages total, including footnotes.

Section 774 of the Act provides that the Department will hold a public hearing to afford interested parties an opportunity to comment on arguments raised in case or rebuttal briefs, provided that such a hearing is requested by an interested party. If a request for a hearing is made in this investigation, the hearing will tentatively be held two days after submission of the rebuttal briefs at the U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230. Parties should confirm by telephone the time, date, and place of the hearing 48 hours before the scheduled time.

Interested parties who wish to request a hearing, or to participate if one is requested, must submit a written request to the Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Room 1870, within 30 days of the publication of this notice. Requests should contain: (1) The party's name, address, and telephone number; (2) the number of participants; and (3) a list of the issues to be discussed. Oral presentations will be limited to issues raised in the briefs.

If this investigation proceeds normally, we will make our final determination within 75 days of this preliminary determination.

This determination is published pursuant to sections 733(f) and 777(i) of the Act.

Dated: October 20, 2004.

James J. Jochum,

Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A–351–828]

Hot-Rolled Flat-Rolled Carbon Quality Steel Products From Brazil: Notice of Initiation of Antidumping Duty New Shipper Review

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

ACTION: Notice of Initiation of Antidumping New Shipper Review of Hot-Rolled Flat-Rolled Carbon Quality Steel Products from Brazil.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 28, 2004.

SUMMARY: On September 27, 2004, the Department of Commerce (''the Department'') received a request to conduct a new shipper review of the antidumping duty (''AD'') order on hot-rolled flat-rolled carbon quality steel products from Brazil. In accordance with section 751(a)(2)(B) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), and 19 CFR 351.214(d) (2003), we are initiating an AD new shipper review for Companhia Siderrgica de Tubaro (''CST''), a producer and exporter of hot-rolled flat-rolled carbon quality steel products from Brazil.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Helen Kramer or Kristin Najdi at (202) 482–0405 and (202) 482–8221, respectively; Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations, Office 7, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On September 27, 2004, the Department received a timely request from CST, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.214(c), for a new shipper review of the AD order on certain hot-rolled flat-rolled carbon quality steel products from Brazil, which has a September semiannual anniversary month. *See Antidumping Duty Order: Certain Hot-Rolled Flat-Rolled Carbon Quality Steel*

Products from Brazil, 67 FR 11093 (March 12, 2002).

As required by 19 CFR 351.214(b)(2)(i) and (iii)(A), CST certified that it did not export subject merchandise to the United States during the period of investigation (''POI''), and that it has never been affiliated with any exporter or producer who exported subject merchandise during the POI. Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.214(b)(2)(iv), the company submitted documentation establishing the date on which it first shipped the subject merchandise to the United States. CST indicated in its request that because it sold the subject merchandise to an unaffiliated customer, it could not provide the Department with documentation establishing the exact date of entry. *See* submission from Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP on behalf of Companhia Siderrgica de Tubaro to the Department regarding Request for New Shipper Review, dated September 27, 2004 (''NSR Request''). Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.214(b)(2)(iv), CST also submitted documentation establishing the volume of the shipment and the date of the first sale to an unaffiliated customer in the United States. Both the date of shipment and the date of sale of the subject merchandise fall in the March 1, 2004, through August 31, 2004, period of review. *See* NSR Request.

Initiation of Reviews

In accordance with section 751(a)(2)(B) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.214(d), and based on record information and our analysis of proprietary import data from U.S. Customs and Border Protection (''CBP''), we find that CST has met the Department's requirements for initiating an AD new shipper review. See New Shipper Initiation Checklist on file in Import Administration's Central Records Unit, Room B–099 of the Herbert H. Hoover Building, 1401 Constitution Avenue, NW. Therefore, we are initiating a new shipper review for CST. We intend to issue the preliminary results of this new shipper review not later than 180 days after initiation of this review. *See* 19 CFR 351.214(i).

In accordance with 19 CFR 351.214(g)(1)(i)(B), the POR for a new shipper review, initiated in the month following the semiannual anniversary month, will be the six-month period immediately preceding the semiannual anniversary month. Therefore, the POR for this new shipper review is:

New shipper review proceeding	Period of review
Companhia Siderúrgica de Tubarão	03/01/04–08/31/04

We will instruct CBP to allow the importer, until the completion of the review, to post a bond or security in lieu of a cash deposit for each entry of the subject merchandise produced and exported by the above-listed company, in accordance with section 751(a)(2)(iii) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.214(e). Because CST certified that it both produced and exported the subject merchandise, the sale of which is the basis for this new shipper review request, we will permit the bonding privilege only with respect to entries of subject merchandise for which CST is both the producer and exporter.

Interested parties that need access to proprietary information in this new shipper review should submit applications for disclosure under administrative protective orders in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305 and 351.306.

This initiation and notice are in accordance with section 751(a) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.214(d).

Dated: October 22, 2004.

Jeffrey A. May,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

A–427–818

Notice of Extension of Time Limit for Preliminary Results of Administrative Review: Low Enriched Uranium from France

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

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 751(a)(3)(A)of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, (the Act), the Department of Commerce (the Department) is extending the time limit for the preliminary results in the antidumping duty administrative review of low enriched uranium from France until no later than February 28, 2005.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 28, 2004.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Elfi Blum or Myrna Lobo at (202) 482–0197 or (202) 482–2371, respectively; Office of Antidumping/Countervailing Duty Operations, Office VI, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

Statutory Time Limits

Section 751(a)(3)(A)of the Act and section 351.213(h)(1) of the Department's regulations require the Department to issue the preliminary results of an administrative review within 245 days after the last day of the anniversary month of an order for which a review is requested. However, if it is not practicable to complete the preliminary results within the prescribed time period, section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act, and section 351.213(h)(2) of the Department's regulations, allow the Department to extend the deadline to a maximum of 365 days after the last day of the anniversary month of an order for which a review is requested.

Background

On March 26, 2004, the Department initiated an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on low enriched uranium from France in order to determine whether subject merchandise was sold into the United States at less–than-fair–value. *See Notice of Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative Reviews and Requests for Revocation in Part* (69 FR 15788). The period of review (POR) is February 1, 2003 through January 31, 2004.

Extension of Time Limits for Preliminary Results

Due to the complexity of the cost of production issues in this case, including a major input cost allegation by petitioners, the Department finds that it is not practicable to complete the preliminary results within the time limits mandated by section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act and section 351.213(h)(1) of the Department's regulations. Consequently, in accordance with section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act and section 351.213(h)(2) of the Department's regulations, the Department is extending the time limit for the completion of the preliminary results, from October 31, 2004 until no later than February 28, 2005. This notice is published pursuant to sections 751(a)(1) and 777(i)(1) of the Act.

Dated: October 21, 2004.

Jeffrey A. May,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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