Comments should be sent to the address in the preamble.
Dated November 18, 2011.

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Associate Administrator, Agricultural Research Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
International Trade Administration
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Certain Pasta From Italy: Notice of Partial Rescission of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

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

DATES: Effective Date: December 12, 2011.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Dennis McClure or George McMahon AD/CVD Operations, Office 3, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–5973 or (202) 482–1167, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background


Partial Rescission of the 2010–2011 Administrative Review
Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), the Secretary will rescind an administrative review, in whole or in part, if the parties that requested a review withdraw the request within 90 days of the date of this notice.

In accordance with 19 CFR 351.212(c)(1)(i), the Department will instruct CBP to assess the cash deposits on the relevant entries for each company at the rate the company was assessed for the period of review, July 1, 2010, through June 30, 2011, pursuant to the Final Initiation Notice.

This notice serves as a reminder to importers of their responsibility under 19 CFR 351.402(2) to file a certificate regarding the reimbursement of antidumping duties prior to liquidation of the relevant entries during this review period. Failure to comply with the certificate filing requirement will result in the assessment of liquidation interest as provided in 19 CFR 351.12(c).

1 See Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation; Opportunity To Request Administrative Review, 76 FR 38609 (July 1, 2011).
2 The Department notes that, “(a) In August 31, 2010, the Department deferred the 7/1/2009–6/30/2011 administrative review to the following companies for the period of review, August 31, 2010, through June 30, 2011, to December 12, 2011: Botticelli, Fiamma, Filiberto, Fratelli, Granoro,8 Rustichella, Indalco, Labor, Afeltra, Di Martino, Labor, Lenzi, Indalco, PAM, P.A.P., Riscossa, and Rustichella.7 The instant review will continue with respect to Botticelli, Fiamma, Filiberto, Fratelli, Granoro,8 Rustichella, Indalco, Labor, Afeltra, Di Martino, Labor, Lenzi, Indalco, PAM, P.A.P., Riscossa, and Rustichella, antidumping duties shall be assessed at rates equal to the cash deposit of estimated antidumping duties required at the time of entry, or withdrawal from warehouse, for consumption, during the period July 1, 2010, through June 30, 2011, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.212(c)(1)(i).
4 See Memorandum from Christopher Hargett to Melissa Skinner titled “Customs and Border Protection Data for Selection of Respondents for Individual Review,” dated September 13, 2011.
7 The instant review of Granoro continues only for the period of review, July 1, 2010, through June 30, 2011. See Granoro: Partial Rescission of Deferred Review.
this requirement could result in the Secretary’s presumption that reimbursement of antidumping and/or countervailing duties occurred and the subsequent increase in the amount of antidumping and/or countervailing duties reimbursed.

Notification Regarding Administrative Protective Order

This notice serves as a final reminder to parties subject to administrative protective orders (“APOs”) of their responsibility concerning the disposition of proprietary information disclosed under an APO in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305(a)(3), which continues to govern business proprietary information in this segment of the proceeding. Timely written notification of the return/destruction of APO materials or conversion to judicial protective order is hereby requested. Failure to comply with the regulations and terms of an APO is a violation which is subject to sanction.

This notice is issued and published in accordance with sections 751(a)(1) and 777(i)(1) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, and 19 CFR 351.213(d)(4).

Dated: November 28, 2011.

Christian Marsh,
Deputy Assistant Secretary for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[81–570–932]

Certain Steel Threaded Rod From the People’s Republic of China: Extension of Time Limits for the Preliminary Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

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

DATES: Effective Date: December 12, 2011.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Tim Lord, Office 9, AD/CVD Operations, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–7425.

Background

On April 1, 2011, the Department of Commerce (“Department”) published a notice of opportunity to request an administrative review on the antidumping order on certain steel threaded rod from the People’s Republic of China (“PRC”) for the period of review (“POR”) April 1, 2010, through March 31, 2011. See Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation; Opportunity To Request Administrative Review, 76 FR 18153 (April 1, 2011). Based upon requests for review from various parties, on May 27, 2011, the Department initiated an antidumping duty administrative review on certain steel threaded rod from the PRC, covering 192 companies. See Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative Reviews, 76 FR 30912, 30916–18 (May 27, 2011). The preliminary results are currently due December 31, 2011.

Statutory Time Limits

Section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (“Act”), requires the Department to make a preliminary determination within 245 days after the last day of the anniversary month of an order for which a review is requested and a final determination within 120 days after the date on which the preliminary results are published. However, if it is not practicable to complete the review within these time periods, section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act allows the Department to extend the time limit for the preliminary determination to a maximum of 365 days after the last day of the anniversary month.

Extension of Time Limit for Preliminary Results of Review

We determine that it is not practicable to complete the preliminary results of this review within the current time limits. The Department requires additional time to analyze questionnaire (including supplemental questionnaire) responses and surrogate country and value data. This additional time also takes into account analysis of data related to the margin calculation for the individually-reviewed respondent, and the consideration of any issues that may be raised by parties during the course of this proceeding. Therefore, the Department is hereby extending the time limit for completion of the preliminary results by 90 days. The preliminary results will now be due no later than March 30, 2012. The final results continue to be due 120 days after the publication of the preliminary results.

This notice is published in accordance with sections 751(a)(3)(A) and 777(i)(1) of the Act.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A–570–909]

Certain Steel Nails From the People’s Republic of China: Extension of Time Limit for the Final Results of the Second Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

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

DATES: Effective Date: December 12, 2011.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Alexis Polovina, Javier Barrientos, or Ricardo Martinez, AD/CVD Operations, Office 9, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230; telephone (202) 482–3927, (202) 482–2243, or (202) 482–4532, respectively.

Background

On September 12, 2011, the Department of Commerce (“Department”) published in the Federal Register its Preliminary Results of the antidumping duty order on certain steel nails (“steel nails”) from the People’s Republic of China (“PRC”). The period of review (“POR”) is August 1, 2009, through July 31, 2010. The final results are currently due no later than January 10, 2012.

Extension of Time Limit for the Final Results

Section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (“Act”), requires that the Department issue the final results of an administrative review within 120 days after the date on which the preliminary results are published. If it is not practicable to complete the review within that time period, section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act allows the Department to extend the deadline for the final results to a maximum of 180 days after the date on which the preliminary results are published.