DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
International Trade Administration
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Steel Wire Garment Hangers From the People’s Republic of China: Extension of Time Limit for Preliminary Results of the Third Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

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

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Background
On November 30, 2011, the Department of Commerce (“the Department”) published in the Federal Register a notice of initiation of an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on steel wire garment hangers from the People’s Republic of China (“PRC”) covering the period, October 1, 2010, through September 30, 2011.1 On December 22, 2011, the Department selected Shanghai Wells Hanger Co., Ltd. (“Shanghai Wells”) and Shaoxing Liangbao Metal Manufactured Co., Ltd. (“Shaoxing Liangbao”), as mandatory respondents in the above referenced review.2 On December 28, 2011, the Department issued a non-market economy antidumping questionnaire to Shanghai Wells and Shaoxing Liangbao.3 As stated in the cover letter of our questionnaire, the deadlines for Section A was January 18, 2012, and for Sections C and D were February 3, 2012.4 Shaoxing Liangbao did not respond to the Department’s Section A questionnaire and did not request an extension by the stated deadline. On February 6, 2012, we selected an additional mandatory respondent, Pu Jiang County Command Metal Products Co., Ltd (“Pu Jiang”) as a replacement for Shaoxing Liangbao.5 In our cover letter, we established a Section A questionnaire response deadline of February 27, 2012.6 Pu Jiang did not respond to the Department’s Section A questionnaire and did not request an extension by the stated deadline. On March 8, 2012, we selected Shaoxing Shunji Metal Clotheshorse Co., Ltd. (“Shaoxing Shunji”) as a replacement mandatory respondent for Pu Jiang and served its U.S. counsel with the questionnaire.7 In our cover letter, we established a Section A questionnaire response deadline of March 29, 2012.8 Shaoxing Shunji did not respond to the Department’s Section A questionnaire and did not request an extension by the stated deadline. On April 9, 2012, we selected Shaoxing Zhongbao Metal Manufactured Co., Ltd. (“Shaoxing Zhongbao”) as a replacement mandatory respondent and served its U.S. counsel with the questionnaire.9 In our cover letter, we established a Section A questionnaire response deadline of April 30, 2012.10 Shaoxing Zhongbao did not respond to the Department’s Section A questionnaire and did not request an extension by the stated deadline.

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2 See Memorandum to James Doyle, Director, Office 9, from Kabir Archuleta, Senior International Trade Compliance Analyst, Office 9, regarding Third Administrative Review of Steel Wire Garment Hangers from the People’s Republic of China: Selection of Mandatory Respondents (December 22, 2011).
3 See Letters to Shanghai Wells and Shaoxing Liangbao from Catherine Bertrand, Program Manager, Office 9, Import Administration; regarding the Antidumping Duty Administrative Review of Steel Garment Wire Hangers from the People’s Republic of China: Non-market Economy Questionnaire (December 28, 2011).
4 See id.
5 See Memorandum to James C. Doyle, Director, Office 9, from Kabir Archuleta, International Trade Compliance Analyst, Office 9, regarding Third Administrative Review of Steel Wire Garment Hangers from the People’s Republic of China: Selection of Additional Mandatory Respondent (February 6, 2012).
6 See Letter to Pu Jiang from Catherine Bertrand, Program Manager, Office 9, Import Administration; regarding the Antidumping Duty Administrative Review of Steel Wire Garment Hangers from the People’s Republic of China: Non-market Economy Questionnaire (February 6, 2012).
7 See Memorandum to James C. Doyle, Director, Office 9, from Kabir Archuleta, International Trade Compliance Analyst, Office 9, regarding Third Administrative Review of Steel Wire Garment Hangers from the People’s Republic of China: Selection of Additional Mandatory Respondent (March 8, 2012).
8 See Letter to Shaoxing Shunji from Catherine Bertrand, Program Manager, Office 9, Import Administration; regarding the Antidumping Duty Administrative Review of Steel Wire Garment Hangers from the People’s Republic of China: Non-market Economy Questionnaire (March 8, 2012).
9 See Memorandum to James C. Doyle, Director, Office 9, from Kabir Archuleta, International Trade Compliance Analyst, Office 9, regarding Third Administrative Review of Steel Wire Garment Hangers from the People’s Republic of China: Selection of Additional Mandatory Respondent (March 8, 2012).
10 See Letter from Catherine Bertrand, Program Manager, Office 9, Import Administration; regarding the Antidumping Duty Administrative Review of Steel Wire Garment Hangers from the People’s Republic of China: Non-market Economy Questionnaire (April 9, 2012).
11 See Letter from Catherine Bertrand, Program Manager, Office 9, Import Administration; regarding the Third Administrative Review of Steel Wire Garment Hangers from the People’s Republic of China: Deadlines for the Surrogate Country and Surrogate Value Comments (March 2, 2012).