INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation No. 731–TA–1103 (Review)]

Certain Activated Carbon from China; Notice of Commission Determination To Conduct a Full Five-Year Review and Scheduling of a Full Five-Year Review Concerning the Antidumping Duty Order on Certain Activated Carbon From China


ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Commission hereby gives notice of its determination to conduct, and scheduling of, a full review pursuant to section 751(c)(5) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1675(c)(5)) (the Act) to determine whether revocation of the antidumping duty order on certain activated carbon from China would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of material injury within a reasonably foreseeable time, for further information concerning the conduct of this review and rules of general application, consult the Commission’s Rules of Practice and Procedure, part 201, subparts A through E (19 CFR part 201), and part 207, subparts A, D, E, and F (19 CFR part 207).

DATES: Effective Date: June 4, 2012.


SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background.—On June 4, 2012, the Commission found that both the domestic and respondent interested party group responses to its notice of institution were adequate and determined that it should proceed to a full review in the subject five-year review pursuant to section 751(c)(5) of the Act. A record of the Commissioners’ votes, the Commission’s statement on adequacy, and any individual Commissioner’s statements are available from the Office of the Secretary and at the Commission’s Web site. Participation in the review and public service list.—Persons, including industrial users of the subject merchandise and, if the merchandise is sold at the retail level, representative consumer organizations, wishing to participate in this review as parties must file an entry of appearance with the Secretary to the Commission, as provided in section 201.11 of the Commission’s rules, by 45 days after publication of this notice. A party that filed a notice of appearance following publication of the Commission’s notice of institution of the review need not file an additional notice of appearance. The Secretary will maintain a public service list containing the names and addresses of all persons, or their representatives, who are parties to the review.

Limited disclosure of business proprietary information (BPI) under an administrative protective order (APO) and BPI servicing pursuant to section 207.7(a) of the Commission’s rules, the Secretary will make BPI gathered in this review available to authorized applicants under the APO issued in the review, provided that the application is made by 45 days after publication of this notice. Authorized applicants must represent interested parties, as defined by 19 U.S.C. 1677(9), who are parties to the review. A party granted access to BPI following publication of the Commission’s notice of institution of the review need not reapply for such access. A separate service list will be maintained by the Secretary for those parties authorized to receive BPI under the APO.

Staff report.—The prehearing staff report in the review will be placed in the nonpublic record on November 28, 2012, and a public version will be issued thereafter, pursuant to section 207.64 of the Commission’s rules.

Hearing.—The Commission will hold a hearing in connection with the review beginning at 9:30 a.m. on December 18, 2012, at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building. Requests to appear at the hearing should be filed in writing with the Secretary to the Commission on or before December 10, 2012. A nonparty who has testimony that may aid the Commission’s deliberations may request permission to present a short statement at the hearing. All parties and nonparties desiring to appear at the hearing and make oral presentations should attend a prehearing conference to be held at 9:30 a.m. on December 12, at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building. Oral testimony and written materials to be submitted at the public hearing are governed by sections 201.6(b)(2), 201.13(f), 207.24, and 207.66 of the Commission’s rules. Parties must submit any request to present a portion of their hearing testimony in camera no later than 7 business days prior to the date of the hearing.

Written submissions.—Each party to the review may submit a prehearing brief to the Commission. Prehearing briefs must conform with the provisions of section 207.65 of the Commission’s rules; the deadline for filing is December 7, 2012. Parties may also file written testimony in connection with their presentation at the hearing, as provided in section 207.24 of the Commission’s rules, and posthearing briefs, which must conform with the provisions of section 207.67 of the Commission’s rules. The deadline for filing posthearing briefs is January 4, 2013; witness testimony must be filed no later than three days before the hearing. In addition, any person who has not entered an appearance as a party to the review may submit a written statement of information pertinent to the subject of the review on or before January 4, 2013. On January 31, 2013, the Commission will make available to parties all information on which they have not had an opportunity to comment. Parties may submit final comments on this information on or before February 4, 2013, but such final comments must not contain new factual information and must otherwise comply with section 207.68 of the Commission’s rules. All written submissions must conform with the provisions of section 201.8 of the Commission’s rules; any submissions that contain BPI must also conform with the requirements of sections 201.6, 207.3, and 207.7 of the Commission’s rules. Please be aware that the Commission’s rules with respect to electronic filing have been amended. The amendments took effect on November 7, 2011. See 76 Fed. Reg. 61937 (Oct. 6, 2011) and the newly revised Commission’s Handbook on E-Filing, available on the Commission’s Web site at http://edis.usitc.gov.

Additional written submissions to the Commission, including requests pursuant to section 201.12 of the Commission’s rules, shall not be accepted unless good cause is shown for accepting such submissions, or unless the submission is pursuant to a specific request by a Commissioner or Commission staff.

In accordance with sections 201.16(c) and 207.3 of the Commission’s rules, each document filed by a party to the review must be served on all other...
PARTIES TO THE REVIEW (AS IDENTIFIED BY EITHER THE PUBLIC OR BPI SERVICE LIST, AND A CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE MUST BE TIMELY FILED. THE SECRETARY WILL NOT ACCEPT A DOCUMENT FOR FILING WITHOUT A CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE.

AUTHORITY: THIS REVIEW IS BEING CONDUCTED UNDER AUTHORITY OF TITLE VII OF THE TARIFF ACT OF 1930; THIS NOTICE IS PUBLISHED PURSUANT TO SECTION 207.62 OF THE COMMISSION’S RULES.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION.

LISA R. BARTON,
ACTING SECRETARY TO THE COMMISSION.


(1) PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION (B) OF SECTION 337 OF THE TARIFF ACT OF 1930, AS AMENDED, AN INVESTIGATION BE INSTITUTED TO DETERMINE WHETHER THERE IS A VIOLATION OF SUBSECTION (A)(1)(A) OF SECTION 337 IN THE IMPORTATION INTO THE UNITED STATES, THE SALE FOR IMPORTATION, OR THE SALE WITHIN THE UNITED STATES AFTER IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN RUBBER RESINS AND PROCESSES FOR MANUFACTURING SAME BY REASON OF MISAPPROPRIATION OF TRADE SECRETS, THE THREAT OR EFFECT OF WHICH IS TO DESTROY OR SUBSTANTIALLY INJURE AN INDUSTRY IN THE UNITED STATES;

(2) FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE INVESTIGATION SO INSTITUTED, THE FOLLOWING ARE HEREBY NAMED AS PARTIES UPON WHICH THIS NOTICE OF INVESTIGATION SHALL BE SERVED:

(a) THE COMPLAINT IS: SI GROUP, INC., 2750 BALLTOWN ROAD, SCHENECTADY, NY 12309.

(b) THE RESPONDENTS ARE THE FOLLOWING ENTITIES ALLEGED TO BE IN VIOLATION OF SECTION 337, AND ARE THE PARTIES UPON WHICH THE COMPLAINT IS TO BE SERVED:

RED AVENUE CHEMICAL CORP. OF AMERICA, 95 MOUNT ROAD BOULEVARD #149, ROCHESTER, NY 14611–1923;

THOMAS R. CRUMLISH, JR., 2728 EDDERMERE DRIVE, ROCHESTER, NY 14612–1151;

PRECISION MEASUREMENT INTERNATIONAL LLC, 8182 PICKERING PLACE, WESTLAND, MI 48183;

SINO LEGEND (ZHANGJIANG) CHEMICAL CO., LTD., NO. 99, TIANBA ROAD, YANGTZE INTERNATIONAL CHEMICAL INDUSTRIAL PARK, ZHANGJIANG CITY, JIANGSU PROVINCE, CHINA;

SINO LEGEND HOLDING GROUP, INC., C/O MR. RICHARD A. PETERS, HARNEY WESTWOOD & RIEGELS, 7502 INTERNATIONAL COMMERCE CENTRE, ONE AUSTIN ROAD WEST, KOWLOON, HONG KONG;

SINO LEGEND HOLDING GROUP LIMITED, C1, RM. 1708 NAN FUNG TOWER, 173 DES VOEUX ROAD CENTRAL, HONG KONG;

HONG KONG SINO LEGEND GROUP, LTD., FLAT 01B3 101F, CARNIVAL COMMERCIAL BUILDING, 18 JAVA ROAD, NORTH POINT, HONG KONG;

RED AVENUE CHEMICAL CO., LTD., RED AVENUE GROUP, 9/F, CITIGROUP TOWER, 33 HUA YUAN SHI QIAO RD., PUDONG NEW AREA, SHANGHAI 200120, CHINA;

NING ZHANG, 668 BEACHVIEW DRIVE, NORTH VANCOUVER, BC, V7G 1R1 CANADA;

QUANHAI YANG, DOOR 1, UNIT 08C, BUILDING 2, NO. 9 GUANGHUA ROAD, CHAOYANG DISTRICT, BEIJING, CHINA;

SHANGHAI LUNSAI INTERNATIONAL TRADING COMPANY, BUILDING 7, UNIT 102, NO. 2899, CHUAN NAN FENG GONG ROAD, PUDONG NEW DISTRICT, SHANGHAI CITY, CHINA;

(c) THE OFFICE OF UNFAIR IMPORT INVESTIGATIONS, U.S. INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION, 500 E STREET SW., SUITE 401, WASHINGTON, DC 20436; AND

(3) FOR THE INVESTIGATION SO INSTITUTED, THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE, U.S. INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION, SHALL DESIGNATE THE PRESIDING ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE.


FAILURE OF A RESPONDENT TO FILE A TIMELY RESPONSE TO EACH ALLEGATION IN THE COMPLAINT AND IN THIS NOTICE MAY BE DEEMED TO CONSTITUTE A WAIVER OF THE RIGHT TO APPEAR AND CONTEND THE ALLEGATIONS OF THE COMPLAINT AND THIS NOTICE, AND TO AUTHORIZE THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE AND THE COMMISSION, WITHOUT FURTHER NOTICE TO THE RESPONDENT, TO FIND THE FACTS TO BE AS ALLEGED IN THE COMPLAINT AND THIS NOTICE AND TO ENTER AN INITIAL DETERMINATION AND A FINAL DETERMINATION CONTAINING SUCH FINDINGS, AND MAY RESULT IN THE ISSUANCE OF AN EXCLUSION ORDER OR A CEASE AND DESIST ORDER OR BOTH DIRECTED AGAINST THE RESPONDENT.

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