Any party having a substantial interest in these proceedings may request a public hearing on the matter. A written request for a hearing must be submitted to the Trade Adjustment Assistance for Firms Division, Room 7106, Economic Development Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20230, no later than ten (10) calendar days following publication of this notice. Please follow the requirements set forth in EDA’s regulations at 13 CFR 315.9 for procedures to request a public hearing. The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance official number and title for the program under which these petitions are submitted is 11.313, Trade Adjustment Assistance for Firms.


Miriam Kearse,
Eligibility Examiner.

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Analysis of Comments Received

All issues raised in the case and rebuttal briefs filed by parties in this review are addressed in the Memorandum from Christian Marsh, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations, to Paul Piquado, Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, “Oil Country Tubular Goods from the People’s Republic of China: Issues and Decision Memorandum for the Final Results of the First Administrative Review (“Issues and Decision Memorandum”),” dated concurrently with, and hereby adopted by, this notice. A list of the issues that parties raised and to which the Department responded in the Issues and Decision Memorandum follows as an appendix to this notice. The Issues and Decision Memorandum is a public document and is on file electronically via Import Administration’s Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Centralized Electronic Service System (“IA ACCESS”). IA ACCESS is available to registered users at http://iaaccess.trade.gov and is available to all parties in the Central Records Unit (“CRU”), room 7046 of the main Department of Commerce building. In addition, a complete version of the Issues and Decision Memorandum can be accessed directly on the Internet at http://www.trade.gov/ia/. The signed Issues and Decision Memorandum and the electronic versions of the Issues and Decision Memorandum are identical in content.

Period of Review

The POR is May 19, 2010, through April 30, 2011.

Scope of the Order

The merchandise covered by the order consists of certain OCTG. The merchandise covered by the order is currently classified in the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (“HTSUS”) under item numbers: 7304.29.41.60, 7304.29.41.80, 7304.29.50.15, 7304.29.50.30, 7304.29.50.45, 7304.29.50.60, 7304.29.50.75, 7304.29.50.15, 7304.29.61.30, 7304.29.61.45, 7304.29.61.60, 7304.29.61.75, 7305.20.20.00, 7305.20.40.00, 7305.20.60.00, 7305.20.80.00, 7306.29.10.30, 7306.29.10.90, 7306.29.20.00, 7306.29.31.00, 7306.29.41.00, 7306.29.60.10, 7306.29.60.50, 7306.29.81.10, and 7306.29.81.50.

The OCTG coupling stock covered by the order may also enter under the following HTSUS item numbers: 7304.39.00.24, 7304.39.00.28, 7304.39.00.32, 7304.39.00.36, 7304.39.00.40, 7304.39.00.44, 7304.39.00.48, 7304.39.00.52, 7304.39.00.56, 7304.39.00.62, 7304.39.00.68, 7304.39.00.72, 7304.39.00.76, 7304.39.00.80, 7304.59.60.00, 7304.59.80.15, 7304.59.80.20, 7304.59.80.25, 7304.59.80.30, 7304.59.80.35, 7304.59.80.40, 7304.59.80.45, 7304.59.80.50, 7304.59.80.55, 7304.59.80.60, 7304.59.80.65, 7304.59.80.70, and 7304.59.80.80.

For the final results, the Department is rescinding the review with respect to companies on which this review was initiated but had not received a separate rate in the Final Determination. As described above, U.S. Steel withdrew its review request covering these companies. The Department did not rescind this review at the time of the preliminary results for those companies that had not established their eligibility for a separate rate in the Final Determination and were considered part of the PRC-wide entity which could potentially be under review for the final results of this administrative review. The PRC-wide entity did not come under review for these final results. Therefore, the Department is rescinding this review with respect to these companies in the final results.

Changes Since the Preliminary Results

Based on an analysis of the comments received, the Department has made the following changes in the margin calculation.

• The Department is valuing steel billets using SVs for both alloy and nonalloy steel.

• The Department is valuing thread protectors as a material input only.

Final Results Margin

The Department determined the weighted-average dumping margins for the period May 19, 2010, through April 30, 2011, to be:

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<th>Exporter</th>
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<td>Jiangsu Chengde, Yangzhou Chengde, Taizhou Chengde (collectively, The Chengde Group)</td>
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Assessment Rates

Upon issuance of the final results, the Department will determine, and U.S. Customs and Border Protection (“CBP”) shall assess, antidumping duties on all appropriate entries covered by this review. The Department intends to issue assessment instructions to CBP 15 days after the publication date of the final results of this review. For any individually examined respondents whose weighted-average dumping margin is above de minimis, we calculated importer-specific ad valorem duties.

8 See OCTG Prelim. 77 FR at 34014–15.

9 See Appendix III for a list of these companies.

10 See Comment 1 of the accompanying Issues and Decision Memorandum.

11 See Comment 7 of the accompanying Issues and Decision Memorandum.


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7 See Appendix II for a list of these companies.
duty assessment rates based on the ratio of the total amount of dumping calculated for the importer’s examined sales to the total entered value of those same sales in accordance with 19 CFR 351.212(b)(1).12 We will instruct CBP to assess antidumping duties on all appropriate entries covered by this review when the importer-specific assessment rate calculated in the final results of this review is above de minimis (i.e., 0.50 percent). Where either the respondent’s weighted-average dumping margin is zero or de minimis, or an importer-specific assessment rate is zero or de minimis, we will instruct CBP to liquidate the appropriate entries without regard to antidumping duties.

**Cash Deposit Requirements**

The following cash deposit requirements will be effective upon publication of the final results of this administrative review for all shipments of the subject merchandise entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after the publication date, as provided for by section 751(a)(2)(C) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the “Act”): (1) For the exporters listed above, the cash deposit rate will be the rate established in the final results of this review (except, if the rate is zero or de minimis, i.e., less than 0.5 percent, a zero cash deposit rate will be required for that company); (2) for previously investigated or reviewed PRC and non-PRC exporters not listed above that have separate rates, the cash deposit rate will continue to be the exporter-specific rate published for the most recent period; (3) for all PRC exporters of subject merchandise that have not been found to be entitled to a de minimis, the cash deposit rate will be the PRC-wide rate of 99.14 percent; and (4) for all non-PRC exporters of subject merchandise which have not received their own rate, the cash deposit rate will be the rate applicable to the PRC exporter(s) that supplied that non-PRC exporter. These deposit requirements, when imposed, shall remain in effect until further notice.

**Notification to Importers**

This notice also serves as a final reminder to importers of their responsibility under 19 CFR 351.402(f)(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 this requirement could result in the Secretary’s presumption that reimbursement of the antidumping duties occurred and the subsequent assessment of double antidumping duties.

**Notification to Interested Parties**

This notice also serves as a reminder to parties subject to administrative protective orders (“APOs”) of their responsibility concerning the return or destruction of proprietary information disclosed under the 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 orders is hereby requested. Failure to comply with the regulations and terms of an APO is a violation which is subject to sanction.

**Disclosure**

The Department will disclose the calculations performed within five days of the date of publication of this notice to parties in this proceeding in accordance with 19 CFR 351.224(b). The Department is issuing and publishing the final results and notice in accordance with sections 751(a)(1) and 777(i)(1) of the Act.

Dated: December 5, 2012.

Paul Piquardo,
Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

**Appendix I**

**Issues for the Final Results**

Comment 1: Valuation of Sales
Comment 2: Whether To Grant Chengde a By-Product Offset
Comment 3: Valuation of Brokerage and Handling
Comment 4: Surrogate Financial Ratios
Comment 5: Assessment
Comment 6: Valuation of Labor
Comment 7: Double Counting of Thread Protectors
Comment 8: Valuation of Ocean Freight
Comment 9: Valuation of Inland Freight

**Appendix II**

**Companies With Separate Rates From the Final Determination for Which the Review Request Was Withdrawn**

1. Anhui Tianda Oil Pipe Co., Ltd.
2. Benxi Northern Steel Pipes Co., Ltd.
3. Faray Petroleum Steel Pipe Co., Ltd.
5. Hengyang Steel Tube Group Int’l Trading Inc.
6. Jiangyin City Changjiang Steel Pipe Co., Ltd.
7. Shandong Dongbao Steel Pipe Co., Ltd.
8. Shandong Molong Petroleum Machinery Co., Ltd.
10. Shengli Oil Field Freet Petroleum Steel Pipe Co., Ltd.
11. Shengli Oil Field Highland Petroleum Equipment Co., Ltd.
12. Tianjin Pipe International Economic & Trading Corp.
13. Tianjin Tiangang Special Petroleum Pipe Manufacturer Co., Ltd.
15. Wuxi Seamless Oil Pipe Co., Ltd.
16. Wuxi Zhenda Special Steel Tube Manufacturing Co., Ltd.
17. Xigang Seamless Steel Tube Co., Ltd. and Yangzhou Lonlin Steel Tube Co., Ltd.

**Appendix III**

**Companies Without Separate Rates From the Final Determination for Which the Review Request Was Withdrawn**

1. Baoshan Iron & Steel Co., Inc.
2. Baosteel Group
3. Cangzhou Huaye Metal Products Co., Ltd.
4. Cangzhou Qiancheng Steel Pipe Co.
5. Freet Petroleum Equipment Group Co., Ltd.
7. Hebei Machinery Import & Export Co., Ltd.
8. Hebei Zhongyuan Steel Pipe Manufacturing Co., Ltd.
9. Hebei Zijin Steel Tube Manufacturing Co., Ltd.
10. Hengyang Valin MPM Tube Co., Ltd.
11. Hengyang Valin Steel Tube Co., Ltd.
12. Huai’an Zhenda Steel Tube Manufacturing Co., Ltd.
13. Huludao Steel Pipe Industrial Co., Ltd.
14. Huludao City Steel Pipe Industrial Co., Ltd.
15. Jiangsu Changbao Precision Tube Co., Ltd.
16. Jiangsu Changbao Steel Tube Co., Ltd.
17. Jiangsu Yulong Steel Pipe Co., Ltd.
18. Jiangyin Chuangze Oil Pipe Factory
19. Jiangyin City Seamless Steel Tube Factory
20. Jinan Meide Casting Co., Ltd.
22. Shandong Molong Group Co.
23. Shengli Oil Field Freet Import & Export Co., Ltd.
25. Tianjin Pipe Group Co., Ltd.
26. Tianjin Shuangjie Pipeline Co., Ltd.
27. Wuxi Fastube Industry Co.
28. Wuxi Huayou Special Steel Co., Ltd.
29. Wuxi Seamless Special Pipe Co., Ltd.
30. Xi’an Meixinte Industrial & Trading Co., Ltd.
31. Yantai Yuanhua Steel Tubes Co., Ltd.
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
International Trade Administration

Application(s) for Duty-Free Entry of Scientific Instruments

Pursuant to Section 6(c) of the Educational, Scientific and Cultural Materials Importation Act of 1966 (Pub. L. 89–651, as amended by Pub. L. 106–352), the Department of Commerce, International Trade Administration, hereby announces its decision to consider duty-free entries of instruments into the United States.

There are no instruments of the same general category manufactured in the United States.

Application Number: 12–053. Applicant: Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 190 Albany St., NW21–121, Cambridge, MA 02139. Instrument: AFT Microwave GmbH, Germany. Intended Use: The instrument is part of a magnetic field-aligned Ion Cyclotron RF antenna, which is used to automatically follow the load variation in real time and make the antenna system load tolerant. The instrument’s unique specifications are its frequency range of 50–80 MHz and 5 MW circulating power. Justification for Duty-Free Entry: There are no instruments of the same general category manufactured in the United States. Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs: November 2, 2012.

Docket Number: 12–054. Applicant: Purdue University, 525 Northwestern Ave., West Lafayette, IN 47907–2036. Instrument: DD Neutron Generator. Manufacturer: NSD Fusion, Germany. Intended Use: The instrument will be used to determine the behavior of produced scintillation light and ionization electrons of low energy nuclear recoils of Xenon, as well as to compare the combination of energy released in these two channels to energy released in electronic recoils of the same energy. The scintillation and ionization signals are studied in a detector vessel that lies underneath 5 meters of water, thus the instrument needs to be water tight. To study the scintillation light and ionization behavior of liquid xenon to neutrons from a mono-energetic neutron source with energies close to 2.5 MeV, each neutron interaction must be resolved separately, and thus arrive at most once every millisecond. The instrument has been proven to show less than a few hundred counts per second when operated at low voltage, and thus meets this requirement. Justification for Duty-Free Entry: There are no instruments of the same general category manufactured in the United States. Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs: November 2, 2012.

Docket Number: 12–057. Applicant: University of Colorado Boulder, 1800 Grant St., Suite 500, Denver, CO 80203. Instrument: HF2L1 Lock-In System. Manufacturer: Zurich Instruments AG, Switzerland. Intended Use: The instrument will be used to measure detected near-field signals scattered off an Atomic Force Microscope (AFM) tip in a scattering-Scanning Near-field Optical Microscope (s-SNOM). The instrument will detect the magnitude and phase of the light scattered by an AFM tip to measure the electromagnetic near-field of optical antennas, plasmonics metamaterials and semiconductors (including graphene), photonic crystals, and other nanoscale spectroscopy applications. The instrument has the ability to fully digitize the measured signal and analyze it at 50 MHz, as well as the ability to demodulate many frequencies at once, which is essential to the measurement technique. Demodulation at 50 MHz is necessary because the AFM tip oscillates at 350–300 kHz, and higher harmonics (5th or 6th) of this oscillation must be measured to isolate the near-field signal. Justification for Duty-Free Entry: There are no instruments of the same general category manufactured in the United States. Application accepted by Commissioner of Customs: November 15, 2012.


Gregory W. Campbell,
Director of Subsidies Enforcement, Import Administration.

COMMODITY FUTURES TRADING COMMISSION

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection, Comment Request: Form TO, Annual Notice Filing for Counterparties to Unreported Trade Options

AGENCY: Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Commodity Futures Trading Commission (“Commission” or “CFTC”) is announcing an opportunity for public comment on the proposed collection of certain information by the agency. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act (“PRA”), 44 U.S.C. 3501 et seq., Federal agencies are required to publish notice in the Federal Register concerning each proposed collection of information and to allow 60 days for public comment. The Commission recently adopted a final rule and interim final rule, as required by the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act (“Dodd-Frank Act”), governing commodity options. That rulemaking includes a requirement that counterparties to unreported trade options must file an annual notice with the Commission on new Form TO. This notice solicits comments on the reporting requirement that would be imposed by Form TO.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before February 15, 2013.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, regarding the burden estimated or any other aspect of the information collection, including suggestions for reducing the burden, to the Secretary of the Commission, Three Lafayette Centre, 1155 21st Street NW., Washington, DC 20581. You may also submit comments electronically to FormTO@cftc.gov.


Mail: Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Attention: Desk Officer for CFTC, 725 17th Street, Washington, DC 20503.

The Agency’s Web site, at http://comments.cftc.gov/. Follow the instructions for submitting comments through the Web site.


Hand Delivery/Courier: Same as mail above.