

established for the PRC-wide entity in this proceeding is 47.64 percent.¹¹

Public Comment

Interested parties are invited to comment on these preliminary results and submit written arguments or case briefs within 30 days after the date of publication of this notice, unless otherwise notified by the Department (see 19 CFR 351.309(c)(ii)). Parties are reminded that they should not submit new factual information in written arguments or case briefs. Rebuttal briefs, limited to issues raised in the case briefs, will be due five days later (see 19 CFR 351.309(d)). Parties who submit case or rebuttal briefs are requested to submit with each argument: (1) A statement of the issue; and (2) a brief summary of the argument. Parties are also requested to provide a summary of the arguments not to exceed five pages and a table of statutes, regulations, and cases cited (see 19 CFR 351.309).¹²

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 Enforcement and Compliance, U.S. Department of Commerce, filed electronically using ACCESS (see 19 CFR 351.310(c)). An electronically filed document must be received successfully in its entirety by the Department's electronic records system, ACCESS, by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, within 30 days after the date of publication of this notice. Requests should contain the party's name, address, and telephone number, the number of participants, and a list of the issues to be discussed. If a request for a hearing is made, the Department will inform parties of the scheduled date for the hearing which will be held at the U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230, at a time and location to be determined. Parties should confirm by telephone the date, time, and location of the hearing.

The Department intends to issue the final results of this administrative review, including the results of our analysis of issues raised in the written

non-market economy entity will not be under review unless a party specifically requests, or the Department self-initiates, a review of the entity. Because no party requested a review of the entity, the entity is not under review and the entity's rate is not subject to change.

¹¹ See *Implementation of Determinations Under Section 129 of the Uruguay Round Agreements Act: Certain New Pneumatic Off-the-Road Tires; Circular Welded Carbon Quality Steel Pipe; Laminated Woven Sacks; and Light-Walled Rectangular Pipe and Tube From the People's Republic of China*, 77 FR 52683, 52688 (August 30, 2012).

¹² See also 19 CFR 351.303 for filing requirements.

comments, within 120 days of publication of these preliminary results in the **Federal Register** (see section 751(a)(3)(A) and the Act and 19 CFR 351.213(h)(1)).

Assessment Rates

Upon issuance of the final results, the Department will determine, and CBP shall assess, antidumping duties on all appropriate entries covered by this review (see 19 CFR 351.212(b)(1)). The Department intends to issue assessment instructions to CBP 15 days after the date of publication of the final results of review. For the final results, if we continue to treat the nine companies upon which the review was initiated as part of the PRC-wide entity, we will instruct CBP to apply an *ad valorem* assessment rate of 47.64 percent to all entries of subject merchandise during the POR which were produced and/or exported by those companies.

The Department announced a refinement to its assessment practice in non-market economy ("NME") cases.¹³ Pursuant to this refinement in practice, for entries that were not reported by companies examined during this review, the Department will instruct CBP to liquidate such entries at the NME-wide rate. In addition, if the Department determines that an exporter under review had no shipments of the subject merchandise, any suspended entries that entered under that exporter's case number (*i.e.*, at that exporter's rate) will be liquidated at the NME-wide rate.¹⁴

Cash Deposit Requirements

The following cash deposit requirements will be effective upon publication of the final results of this administrative review for shipments of the subject merchandise from the PRC entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after the publication date, as provided by sections 751(a)(2)(C) of the Act: (1) For previously investigated or reviewed PRC and non-PRC exporters that received a separate rate in a prior segment of this proceeding, the cash deposit rate will continue to be the existing exporter-specific rate; (2) for all PRC exporters of subject merchandise that have not been found to be entitled to a separate rate (including those companies identified above upon which this review was initiated), the cash deposit rate will be that for the PRC-wide entity; and (3) for all non-PRC exporters of subject

¹³ For a full discussion of this practice, see *Non-Market Economy Antidumping Proceedings: Assessment of Antidumping Duties*, 76 FR 65694 (October 24, 2011) ("NME Assessment 2011").

¹⁴ *Id.*

merchandise which have not received their own rate, the cash deposit rate will be the rate applicable to the PRC exporter that supplied that non-PRC exporter. These deposit requirements, when imposed, shall remain in effect until further notice.

Notification to Importers

This notice serves as a preliminary reminder to the 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 antidumping duties occurred and the subsequent assessment of double antidumping duties.

This notice is published in accordance with sections 751(a)(1) and 777(i)(1) of the Act, and 19 CFR 351.221(b)(4).

Dated: January 22, 2015.

Paul Piquado,

Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Compliance.

Appendix

List of Topics Discussed in the Preliminary Decision Memorandum

1. Summary
2. Background
3. Scope of the Order
4. Discussion of Methodology
5. Recommendation

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

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Brass Sheet and Strip From Japan: Rescission of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review; 2013-2014

AGENCY: Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (the Department) is rescinding the administrative review of the antidumping duty order on brass sheet and strip from Japan for the period of review August 1, 2013, through July 31, 2014, based on the timely withdrawal of the request for review.

DATES: Effective January 28, 2015.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mary Kolberg, AD/CVD Operations, Office I, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration,

U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482-1785.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On August 1, 2014, the Department published the notice of opportunity to request an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on brass sheet and strip from Japan for the period of review August 1, 2013, through July 31, 2014.¹ On August 27, 2014, Global Brass and Copper Holdings, Inc., dba Olin Brass, Heyco Metals, Inc., Aurubis Buffalo, Inc., PMX Industries, Inc., and Revere Copper Products, Inc. (collectively, the petitioners) requested that the Department conduct an administrative review of the following 22 exporters/producers: (1) Dowa Metals & Mining Co., Ltd.; (2) Fujisawa Co., Ltd.; (3) Furukawa Electric Co., Ltd.; (4) Harada Metal Industry; (5) Hitachi Alloy, Ltd.; (6) Hitachi Cable, Ltd.; (7) JX Nippon Mining & Metals Corp.; (8) Kicho Shindosho Co., Ltd.; (9) Kitz Metal Works Corp.; (10) Kobe Steel, Ltd.; (11) Mitsubishi Electric Metecs Co., Ltd.; (12) Mitsubishi Materials Corp.; (13) Mitsubishi Shindoh Co., Ltd.; (14) Mitsui Mining & Smelting Co., Ltd. (Mitsui Kinzoku); (15) Mitsui Sumitomo Metal Mining Brass & Copper Co., Ltd.; (16) NGK Insulators (NGK Metals); (17) Ohki Brass & Copper Co., Ltd.; (18) Sambo Copper Alloy Co., Ltd.; (19) Sugino Metal Industry Co., Ltd.; (20) Sumitomo Metal Mining Brass & Copper Co., Ltd.; (21) Uji Copper & Alloy Co., Ltd.; and (22) YKK Corporation.² Pursuant to this request, and in accordance with 19 CFR 351.221(c)(1)(i), the Department published a notice initiating an administrative review of the above-mentioned companies.³ The petitioners withdrew their request for an administrative review of all 22 exporters/producers on December 16, 2014.⁴

Rescission of Review

Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), the Department will rescind an administrative review, in whole or in part, if the party or parties that

¹ See *Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation; Opportunity To Request Administrative Review*, 79 FR 44740 (August 1, 2014).

² See Letter from the petitioners to the Department, dated August 27, 2014, at 1–2.

³ See *Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative Reviews*, 79 FR 58729 (September 30, 2014).

⁴ See Letter from the petitioners, dated December 16, 2014, at 2.

requested a review withdraws the request within 90 days of the publication date of the notice of initiation of the requested review. As noted above, the petitioners withdrew their request for review of the 22 exporters/producers within 90 days of the publication date of the notice of initiation. No other parties requested an administrative review of the order. Therefore, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), we are rescinding this review in its entirety.

Assessment

The Department will instruct U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) to assess antidumping duties on all appropriate entries of brass sheet and strip from Japan. 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 in accordance with 19 CFR 351.212(c)(1)(i). The Department intends to issue appropriate assessment instructions to CBP 15 days after the date of publication of this notice of rescission of administrative review.

Notifications

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 presumption that reimbursement of antidumping duties occurred and the subsequent assessment of double antidumping duties.

This notice also serves as a final reminder to parties subject to administrative protective order (APO) of their responsibility concerning the return or destruction of proprietary information disclosed under an APO in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305(a)(3). Timely written notification of the return or 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 sanctionable violation.

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: January 22, 2015.

Christian Marsh,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A–570–898]

Chlorinated Isocyanurates From the People's Republic of China: Final Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review; 2012–2013

AGENCY: Enforcement and Compliance, Department of Commerce.

SUMMARY: On July 25, 2014, the Department of Commerce (the Department) published its *Preliminary Results* of the administrative review of the antidumping duty order on chlorinated isocyanurates (chloro isos) from the People's Republic of China (PRC).¹ The period of review (POR) is June 1, 2012, through May 31, 2013. This review covers five producers/exporters: (1) Arch Chemicals (China) Co. Ltd. (Arch China); (2) Hebei Jiheng Chemical Co., Ltd. (Jiheng); (3) Heze Huayi Chemical Co. Ltd. (Heze); (4) Juancheng Kangtai Chemical Co., Ltd. (Kangtai); and (5) Zhucheng Taisheng Chemical Co., Ltd. (Zhucheng). Jiheng and Kangtai are the two producers/exporters being individually examined as mandatory respondents. We invited parties to comment on our *Preliminary Results*. Based on our analysis of the comments received, we made certain changes to our margin calculations for Jiheng and Kangtai. The final dumping margins for this review are listed in the “Final Results” section below.

DATES: *Effective Date:* January 28, 2015.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sean Cary, AD/CVD Operations, Office VII, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–3964 or (202) 482–0176, respectively.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On July 25, 2014, the Department published its *Preliminary Results*. On July 30, 2014, the Department extended the deadline for the filing of case and rebuttal briefs.² On September 8 and 9,

¹ See *Chlorinated Isocyanurates From the People's Republic of China: Preliminary Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review; 2012–2013*, 79 FR 43391 (July 25, 2014) (*Preliminary Results*).

² See Memorandum to the File, “2012–2013 Administrative Review of the Antidumping Duty Order on Chlorinated Isocyanurates From the People's Republic of China: Phone Call with Counsel for Kangtai,” (July 30, 2014), denying Kangtai's request for an additional questionnaire

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