

- ASTM A-496 (ASME SA 496);
- ASTM A-199;
- ASTM A-500;
- ASTM A-556;
- ASTM A-565;
- API 5L; and
- API 5CT

except that any cold-drawn tubing product certified to one of the above excluded specifications will not be excluded from the scope if it is also dual- or multiple-certified to any other specification that otherwise would fall within the scope of these orders.

The products subject to the orders are currently classified in the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS) under item numbers: 7304.31.3000, 7304.31.6050, 7304.51.1000, 7304.51.5005, 7304.51.5060, 7306.30.5015, 7306.30.5020, 7306.50.5030. Subject merchandise may also enter under numbers 7306.30.1000 and 7306.50.1000. The HTSUS subheadings above are provided for convenience and customs purposes only. The written description of the scope of the orders is dispositive.

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

#### Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation; Opportunity To Request Administrative Review

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

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Brenda E. Brown, Office of AD/CVD Operations, Customs Liaison Unit, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20230, telephone: (202) 482-4735.

#### Background

Each year during the anniversary month of the publication of an antidumping or countervailing duty order, finding, or suspended investigation, an interested party, as defined in section 771(9) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), may request, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.213, that the Department of Commerce (Commerce) conduct an administrative review of that antidumping or countervailing duty order, finding, or suspended investigation.

All deadlines for the submission of comments or actions by Commerce

discussed below refer to the number of calendar days from the applicable starting date.

#### Respondent Selection

In the event Commerce limits the number of respondents for individual examination for administrative reviews initiated pursuant to requests made for the orders identified below, Commerce intends to select respondents based on U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) data for U.S. imports during the period of review. We intend to release the CBP data under Administrative Protective Order (APO) to all parties having an APO within five days of publication of the initiation notice and to make our decision regarding respondent selection within 21 days of publication of the initiation **Federal Register** notice. Therefore, we encourage all parties interested in commenting on respondent selection to submit their APO applications on the date of publication of the initiation notice, or as soon thereafter as possible. Commerce invites comments regarding the CBP data and respondent selection within five days of placement of the CBP data on the record of the review.

In the event Commerce decides it is necessary to limit individual examination of respondents and conduct respondent selection under section 777A(c)(2) of the Act:

In general, Commerce finds that determinations concerning whether particular companies should be “collapsed” (*i.e.*, treated as a single entity for purposes of calculating antidumping duty rates) require a substantial amount of detailed information and analysis, which often require follow-up questions and analysis. Accordingly, Commerce will not conduct collapsing analyses at the respondent selection phase of a review and will not collapse companies at the respondent selection phase unless there has been a determination to collapse certain companies in a previous segment of this antidumping proceeding (*i.e.*, investigation, administrative review, new shipper review or changed circumstances review). For any company subject to a review, if Commerce determined, or continued to treat, that company as collapsed with others, Commerce will assume that such companies continue to operate in the same manner and will collapse them for respondent selection purposes.

Otherwise, Commerce will not collapse companies for purposes of respondent selection. Parties are requested to (a) identify which companies subject to review previously were collapsed, and (b) provide a citation to the proceeding in which they were collapsed. Further, if companies are requested to complete a Quantity and Value Questionnaire for purposes of respondent selection, in general each company must report volume and value data separately for itself. Parties should not include data for any other party, even if they believe they should be treated as a single entity with that other party. If a company was collapsed with another company or companies in the most recently completed segment of a proceeding where Commerce considered collapsing that entity, complete quantity and value data for that collapsed entity must be submitted.

#### Deadline for Withdrawal of Request for Administrative Review

Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), a party that requests a review may withdraw that request within 90 days of the date of publication of the notice of initiation of the requested review. The regulation provides that Commerce may extend this time if it is reasonable to do so. In order to provide parties additional certainty with respect to when Commerce will exercise its discretion to extend this 90-day deadline, interested parties are advised that, with regard to reviews requested on the basis of anniversary months on or after February 2018, Commerce does not intend to extend the 90-day deadline unless the requestor demonstrates that an extraordinary circumstance prevented it from submitting a timely withdrawal request. Determinations by Commerce to extend the 90-day deadline will be made on a case-by-case basis.

Commerce is providing this notice on its website, as well as in its “Opportunity to Request Administrative Review” notices, so that interested parties will be aware of the manner in which Commerce intends to exercise its discretion in the future.

*Opportunity to Request a Review:* Not later than the last day of February 2018,<sup>1</sup> interested parties may request administrative review of the following orders, findings, or suspended investigations, with anniversary dates in February for the following periods:

<sup>1</sup> Or the next business day, if the deadline falls on a weekend, federal holiday or any other day when the Department is closed.

	Period of review
<b>Antidumping Duty Proceedings</b>	
Brazil:	
Stainless Steel Bar, A-351-835 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Carbon and Alloy Steel Cut-to-Length Plate, A-351-847 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
France: Uranium, A-427-818 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
India:	
Certain Cut-To-Length Carbon-Quality Steel Plate, A-533-817 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Certain Preserved Mushrooms, A-533-813 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Frozen Warmwater Shrimp, A-533-840 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Stainless Steel Bar, A-533-810 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Indonesia:	
Certain Cut-To-Length Carbon-Quality Steel Plate, A-560-805 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Certain Preserved Mushrooms, A-560-802 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Italy: Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings, A-475-828 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Japan:	
Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings, A-588-602 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Stainless Steel Bar, A-588-833 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Malaysia: Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings, A-557-809 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Mexico: Large Residential Washers, A-201-842 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Philippines: Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings, A-565-801 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Republic of Korea:	
Certain Cut-To-Length Carbon-Quality Steel Plate, A-580-836 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Large Residential Washers, A-580-868 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Socialist Republic of Vietnam:	
Frozen Warmwater Shrimp, A-552-802 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Steel Wire Garment Hangers, A-552-812 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Utility Scale Wind Towers, A-552-814 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
South Africa: Carbon and Alloy Steel Cut-To-Length Plate, A-791-822 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Taiwan: Crystalline Silicon Photovoltaic Products, A-583-853 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Thailand: Frozen Warmwater Shrimp, A-549-822 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
The People's Republic of China:	
Certain Preserved Mushrooms, A-570-851 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Crystalline Silicon Photovoltaic, A-570-010 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Frozen Warmwater Shrimp, A-570-893 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Heavy Forged Hand Tools, With or Without Handles, A-570-803 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Large Residential Washers, A-570-033 .....	7/26/16-1/31/18
Small Diameter Graphite Electrodes, A-570-929 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Uncovered Innerspring Units, A-570-928 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Utility Scale Wind Towers, A-570-981 .....	2/1/17-1/31/18
Turkey: Carbon and Alloy Steel Cut-To-Length Plate, A-489-828 .....	9/22/16-1/31/18
<b>Countervailing Duty Proceedings</b>	
India:	
Certain Cut-To-Length Carbon-Quality Steel Plate, C-533-818 .....	1/1/17-12/31/17
Prestressed Concrete Steel Wire Strand, C-533-829 .....	1/1/17-12/31/17
Indonesia: Certain Cut-To-Length Carbon-Quality Steel Plate, C-560-806 .....	1/1/17-12/31/17
Republic of Korea:	
Certain Cut-To-Length Carbon-Quality Steel Plate, C-580-837 .....	1/1/17-12/31/17
Large Residential Washers, C-580-869 .....	1/1/17-12/31/17
Socialist Republic of Vietnam: Steel Wire Garment Hangers, C-552-813 .....	1/1/17-12/31/17
The People's Republic of China:	
Crystalline Silicon Photovoltaic Products, C-570-011 .....	1/1/17-12/31/17
Utility Scale Wind Towers, C-570-982 .....	1/1/17-12/31/17
<b>Suspension Agreements</b>	
None.	

In accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(b), an interested party as defined by section 771(9) of the Act may request in writing that the Secretary conduct an administrative review. For both antidumping and countervailing duty reviews, the interested party must specify the individual producers or exporters covered by an antidumping finding or an antidumping or countervailing duty order or suspension agreement for which it is requesting a review. In addition, a domestic

interested party or an interested party described in section 771(9)(B) of the Act must state why it desires the Secretary to review those particular producers or exporters. If the interested party intends for the Secretary to review sales of merchandise by an exporter (or a producer if that producer also exports merchandise from other suppliers) which was produced in more than one country of origin and each country of origin is subject to a separate order, then the interested party must state

specifically, on an order-by-order basis, which exporter(s) the request is intended to cover.

Note that, for any party Commerce was unable to locate in prior segments, Commerce will not accept a request for an administrative review of that party absent new information as to the party's location. Moreover, if the interested party who files a request for review is unable to locate the producer or exporter for which it requested the review, the interested party must provide an explanation of the attempts

it made to locate the producer or exporter at the same time it files its request for review, in order for the Secretary to determine if the interested party's attempts were reasonable, pursuant to 19 CFR 351.303(f)(3)(ii).

As explained in *Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Proceedings: Assessment of Antidumping Duties*, 68 FR 23954 (May 6, 2003), and *Non-Market Economy Antidumping Proceedings: Assessment of Antidumping Duties*, 76 FR 65694 (October 24, 2011), Commerce clarified its practice with respect to the collection of final antidumping duties on imports of merchandise where intermediate firms are involved. The public should be aware of this clarification in determining whether to request an administrative review of merchandise subject to antidumping findings and orders.<sup>2</sup>

Commerce no longer considers the non-market economy (NME) entity as an exporter conditionally subject to an antidumping duty administrative reviews.<sup>3</sup> Accordingly, the NME entity will not be under review unless Commerce specifically receives a request for, or self-initiates, a review of the NME entity.<sup>4</sup> In administrative reviews of antidumping duty orders on merchandise from NME countries where a review of the NME entity has not been initiated, but where an individual exporter for which a review was initiated does not qualify for a separate rate, Commerce will issue a final decision indicating that the company in question is part of the NME entity. However, in that situation, because no review of the NME entity was conducted, the NME entity's entries were not subject to the review and the rate for the NME entity is not subject to change as a result of that review (although the rate for the individual exporter may change as a function of the finding that the exporter is part of the NME entity). Following initiation of an antidumping administrative review when there is no review requested of the NME entity, Commerce will instruct CBP to liquidate entries for all exporters not named in the initiation notice, including those that were suspended at the NME entity rate.

All requests must be filed electronically in Enforcement and Compliance's Antidumping and

Countervailing Duty Centralized Electronic Service System (ACCESS) on Enforcement and Compliance's ACCESS website at <http://access.trade.gov>.<sup>5</sup> Further, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.303(f)(1)(i), a copy of each request must be served on the petitioner and each exporter or producer specified in the request.

Commerce will publish in the **Federal Register** a notice of "Initiation of Administrative Review of Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation" for requests received by the last day of February 2018. If Commerce does not receive, by the last day of February 2018, a request for review of entries covered by an order, finding, or suspended investigation listed in this notice and for the period identified above, Commerce will instruct CBP to assess antidumping or countervailing duties on those entries at a rate equal to the cash deposit of estimated antidumping or countervailing duties required on those entries at the time of entry, or withdrawal from warehouse, for consumption and to continue to collect the cash deposit previously ordered.

For the first administrative review of any order, there will be no assessment of antidumping or countervailing duties on entries of subject merchandise entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption during the relevant provisional-measures "gap" period of the order, if such a gap period is applicable to the period of review.

This notice is not required by statute but is published as a service to the international trading community.

Dated: January 26, 2018.

**James Maeder,**

*Senior Director performing the duties of Deputy Assistant Secretary for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

#### Initiation of Five-Year (Sunset) Reviews

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

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), the Department of Commerce (Commerce) is automatically initiating the five-year reviews (Sunset Reviews) of the antidumping and countervailing duty (AD/CVD) order(s) listed below. The International Trade Commission (the Commission) is publishing concurrently with this notice its notice of *Institution of Five-Year Reviews* which covers the same order(s).

**DATES:** Applicable (February 1, 2018).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Commerce official identified in the *Initiation of Review* section below at AD/CVD Operations, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20230. For information from the Commission contact Mary Messer, Office of Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission at (202) 205-3193.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Background

Commerce's procedures for the conduct of Sunset Reviews are set forth in its *Procedures for Conducting Five-Year ("Sunset") Reviews of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Orders*, 63 FR 13516 (March 20, 1998) and 70 FR 62061 (October 28, 2005). Guidance on methodological or analytical issues relevant to Commerce's conduct of Sunset Reviews is set forth in *Antidumping Proceedings: Calculation of the Weighted-Average Dumping Margin and Assessment Rate in Certain Antidumping Duty Proceedings; Final Modification*, 77 FR 8101 (February 14, 2012).

##### Initiation of Review

In accordance with section 751(c) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.218(c), we are initiating Sunset Reviews of the following antidumping and countervailing duty order(s):<sup>1</sup>

*Administrative Protective Order Procedures*, 76 FR 39263 (July 6, 2011).

<sup>1</sup> In addition, we note that in the sunset initiation notice that published on January 2, 2018 (83 FR 100) the Department inadvertently listed the incorrect case number for Utility Scale Wind Towers from Vietnam. The correct case number is A-552-814.

<sup>2</sup> See also the Enforcement and Compliance website at <http://trade.gov/enforcement/>.

<sup>3</sup> See *Antidumping Proceedings: Announcement of Change in Department Practice for Respondent Selection in Antidumping Duty Proceedings and Conditional Review of the Nonmarket Economy Entity in NME Antidumping Duty Proceedings*, 78 FR 65963 (November 4, 2013).

<sup>4</sup> In accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(b)(1), parties should specify that they are requesting a review of entries from exporters comprising the entity, and to the extent possible, include the names of such exporters in their request.

<sup>5</sup> See *Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Proceedings: Electronic Filing Procedures*;