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Notification to Interested Parties

We are issuing and publishing these final results and notice in accordance with sections 751(c), 752(c), and 777(i)(1) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.218.

Dated: July 11, 2022.

Lisa W. Wang,

Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Compliance.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

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1-Hydroxyethylidene-1, 1-Diphosphonic Acid From the People's Republic of China: Final Results of the Expedited First Sunset Review of the Countervailing Duty Order

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

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) finds that revocation of the countervailing duty (CVD) order on 1-Hydroxyethylidene-1, 1-Diphosphonic Acid (HEDP) from the People's Republic of China (China) would be likely to lead to the continuation or recurrence of countervailable subsidies at the levels indicated in the ''Final Results of Sunset Review'' section of this notice.

DATES: Applicable July 18, 2022.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Benito Ballesteros, AD/CVD Operations, Office V, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–7425.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On May 18, 2017, Commerce published in the **Federal Register** the *Order* on HEDP from China.[1] On April 1, 2022, Commerce published the notice of initiation of the first sunset review of the *Order* on HEDP from China, pursuant to section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act).[2] On April 15, 2022, Commerce received a timely notice of intent to participate from Compass Chemical International, LLC (Compass), *i.e.,* a domestic interested party.[3] Compass claimed interested party status under section 771(9)(C) of the Act as a producer of the domestic like product in the United States.

On May 2, 2022, Commerce received a timely and adequate substantive response from Compass.[4] We received no substantive responses from any other interested parties, including the Government of China, nor was a hearing requested. On May 24, 2022, Commerce notified the U.S. International Trade Commission that it did not receive an adequate substantive response from respondent interested parties.[5] As a result, pursuant to 751(c)(3)(B) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.218(e)(1)(ii)(C)(2), Commerce conducted an expedited (120-day) sunset review of the *Order*.

Scope of the Order

The merchandise covered by the *Order* includes all grades of aqueous acidic (non-neutralized) concentrations of HEDP, also referred to as hydroxyethylidenendiphosphonic acid, hydroxyethanediphosphonic acid, acetodiphosphonic acid, and etidronic acid. The Chemical Abstract Service (CAS) registry number for HEDP is 2809–21–4.

The merchandise subject to the *Order* is currently classified in the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS) at subheading 2931.90.9043. It may also enter under HTSUS subheadings 2811.19.6090, 2931.90.9041, 2931.90.9051, 2811.19.6190, and 2931.39.0018.[6] While HTSUS subheadings and the CAS registry number are provided for convenience and customs purposes only, the written description of the scope of the *Order* is dispositive.

Analysis of Comments Received

All issues raised in this sunset review are addressed in the accompanying Issues and Decision Memorandum, which is dated concurrently with, and hereby adopted by, this notice.[7] The issues discussed in the Issues and Decision Memorandum are listed in the appendix to this notice.

The Issues and Decision Memorandum is a public document and is on file electronically via Enforcement and Compliance's Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Centralized Electronic Service System (ACCESS). ACCESS is available to registered users at *https://access.trade.gov*. In addition, a complete version of the Issues and Decision Memorandum can be accessed directly at *https://access.trade.gov/public/FRNoticesListLayout.aspx*.

Final Results of Sunset Review

Pursuant to sections 751(c)(1) and 752(b) of the Act, Commerce determines that revocation of the *Order* would be likely to lead to the continuation or recurrence of countervailable subsidies at the rates listed below:

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[1] *See 1-Hydroxyethylidene-1, 1-Diphosphonic Acid from the People's Republic of China: Countervailing Duty Order,* 82 FR 22809 (May 18, 2017) (*Order*).

[2] *See Initiation of Five-Year (Sunset) Reviews,* 87 FR 19069 (April 1, 2022).

[3] *See* Compass's Letter, ''l-Hydroxyethylidene-1, 1-Diphosphonic Acid from the People's Republic of China: Notice of Intent to Participate,'' dated April 15, 2022.

[4] *See* Compass's Letter, ''1-Hydroxyethylidene-1, 1-Diphosphonic Acid from the People's Republic of China: Substantive Response to the Notice of Initiation,'' dated May 2, 2022.

[5] *See* Commerce's Letter, ''Sunset Reviews Initiated on April 1, 2022,'' dated May 24, 2022.

[6] On September 24, 2020, U.S. Customs and Border Protection notified Commerce of additional HTSUS subheadings under which subject merchandise can be entered. Accordingly, the scope of the *Order* now reflects those additional HTSUS subheadings. *See* Memorandum, ''Update to the ACE CVD Case Reference File,'' dated June 7, 2022.

[7] *See* Memorandum, ''Issues and Decision Memorandum for the Final Results of the Expedited First Sunset Review of the Countervailing Duty Order on 1-Hydroxyethylidene-1, 1-Diphosphonic Acid from the People's Republic of China,'' dated concurrently with, and hereby adopted by, this notice (Issues and Decision Memorandum).

Producer/exporter	Subsidy rate (percent ad valorem)
Shandong Taihe Chemicals Co., Ltd and Shandong Taihe Water Treatment Technologies Co., Ltd	2.40
All Others	2.40
Changzhou Kewei Fine Chemicals Co., Ltd	54.11
Hebei Longke Water Treatment Co., Ltd	54.11
Shandong Huayou Chemistry Co., Ltd	54.11
Shandong Xintai Water Treatment Technology	54.11
Zaozhuang Fuxing Water Treatment Technology	54.11
Zaozhuang YouBang Chemicals Co., Ltd	54.11
Zouping Dongfang Chemical Industry Co., Ltd	54.11

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Dated: July 11, 2022.

Lisa W. Wang,

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

U.S. Department of Commerce Trade Finance Advisory Council

AGENCY: International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of an open meeting.

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of Commerce Trade Finance Advisory Council (TFAC or the Council) will hold a virtual meeting on Thursday, August 4, 2022. The meeting is open to the public with registration instructions provided below.

DATES: Thursday, August 4, 2022, from approximately 1:00 to 2:45 p.m. Eastern Standard Time (EST). The deadline for members of the public to register, including requests to make comments during the meeting and for auxiliary aids, or to submit written comments for dissemination prior to the meeting, is 5:00 p.m. EST on Friday July 29, 2022.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held virtually via Microsoft Teams video conferencing.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Patrick Zimet, Designated Federal Officer, Office of Finance and Insurance Industries (OFII), International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce at (202) 306–9474; email: *Patrick.Zimet@trade.gov.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

The TFAC was originally chartered on August 11, 2016, pursuant to discretionary authority and in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, 5 U.S.C. App., and was most recently re-chartered on August 7, 2020. The TFAC serves as the principal advisory body to the Secretary of Commerce on policy matters relating to access to trade finance for U.S. exporters, including small- and medium-sized enterprises, and their foreign buyers. The TFAC is the sole mechanism by which the Department of Commerce convenes private sector stakeholders to identify and develop consensus-based solutions to trade finance challenges. The Council is comprised of a diverse group of stakeholders from the trade finance industry and the U.S. exporting community, as well as experts from academia and public policy organizations.

On Thursday, August 4, 2022, the TFAC will hold the fourth meeting of its 2020–2022 charter term. During the meeting, the TFAC will receive an update on the implementation status of previously adopted recommendations, the subcommittees will put forth recommendations for a vote by the full TFAC, and the TFAC will close out its charter term.

Meeting minutes will be available within 90 days of the meeting upon request or on the TFAC's website at *https://www.trade.gov/about-us/trade-finance-advisory-council-tfac.*

Public Participation

The meeting will be open to the public and there will be limited time permitted for public comments. Members of the public seeking to attend the meeting, make comments during the meeting, request auxiliary aids, or submit written comments for consideration prior to the meeting, are required to submit their requests electronically to *Patrick.Zimet@trade.gov* by 5:00 p.m. EST on Friday, July 29, 2022.

Members of the public may submit written comments concerning TFAC affairs at any time before or after a meeting. Comments may be submitted to Patrick Zimet. All comments and statements received, including attachments and other supporting materials, are part of the public record and subject to public disclosure.

Heather Sykes,

Acting Executive Director for Services.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

District Export Council Nomination Opportunity

AGENCY: International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.