

In accordance with Commerce's "automatic assessment" practice, for entries of subject merchandise during the POR produced by any of the above-referenced respondents for which they did not know that the merchandise was destined for the United States, we will instruct CBP to liquidate those entries at the all-others rate in the original less-than-fair-value (LTFV) investigation (as amended)<sup>17</sup> if there is no rate for the intermediate company(ies) involved in the transaction.<sup>18</sup>

For the companies that were not selected for individual examination, the antidumping duty assessment rate will be equal to the weighted-average dumping margin calculated for each company in the final results of this review.

Commerce intends to issue assessment instructions to CBP no earlier than 35 days after the date of publication of the final results of this review in the **Federal Register**. If a timely summons is filed at the U.S. Court of International Trade, the assessment instructions will direct CBP not to liquidate relevant entries until the time for parties to file a request for a statutory injunction has expired (*i.e.*, within 90 days of publication).

#### Cash Deposit Requirements

The following cash deposit requirements will be effective upon publication of the notice of final results of this administrative review for all shipments of the subject merchandise entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after the date of publication, as provided by section 751(a)(2)(C) of the Act: (1) for subject merchandise exported by one of the companies listed above, the cash deposit rate for each specific company listed above will be that established in the final results of this review, except if the rate is less than 0.50 percent, and therefore, *de minimis* within the meaning of 19 CFR 351.106(c)(1), in which case the cash deposit rate will be zero; (2) for an exporter of subject merchandise previously reviewed or investigated companies not participating in this review, the cash deposit rate will continue to be the company-specific rate published for the most recently completed segment of this proceeding in which the company

<sup>17</sup> See *Order*; see also *Certain Corrosion-Resistant Steel Products from the Republic of Korea: Notice of Court Decision Not in Harmony with Final Determination of Investigation and Notice of Amended Final Results*, 83 FR 39054 (August 8, 2018) (*Timken and Amended Final Results*).

<sup>18</sup> For a full discussion of this practice, see *Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Proceedings: Assessment of Antidumping Duties*, 68 FR 23954 (May 6, 2003).

participated; (3) if the exporter is not a firm covered in this review, a prior review, or the underlying investigation, but the producer is, then the cash deposit rate will be the rate established for the most recent segment for the producer of the merchandise; and (4) the cash deposit rate for all other producers and exporters will continue to be 8.31 percent, the all-others rate established in the LTFV investigation (as amended).<sup>19</sup> These cash deposit requirements, when imposed, shall remain in effect until further notice.

#### Final Results of Review

Unless otherwise extended, Commerce intends to issue the final results of this administrative review, including the results of our analysis of issues raised by the parties in written briefs, no later than 120 days after the date of publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, pursuant to section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.213(h)(1).

#### Notification to Importers

This notice serves as a preliminary reminder to importers of their responsibility under 19 CFR 351.402(f)(2) to file a certificate regarding the reimbursement of antidumping and/or countervailing duties prior to liquidation of the relevant entries during this POR. Failure to comply with this requirement could result in Commerce's presumption that reimbursement of antidumping duties occurred and the subsequent assessment of double antidumping duties.

#### Notification to Interested Parties

We are issuing and publishing these results in accordance with sections 751(a)(1) and 777(i)(1) of the Act, 19 CFR 351.213, and 19 CFR 351.221(b)(4).

Dated: January 5, 2026.

#### Christopher Abbott,

*Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy and Negotiations, performing the non-exclusive functions and duties of the Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Compliance.*

#### Appendix

##### List of Topics Discussed in the Preliminary Decision Memorandum

- I. Summary
- II. Background
- III. Scope of the Order
- IV. Discussion of the Methodology
- V. Currency Conversion
- VI. Recommendation

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<sup>19</sup> See *Order*, as amended in *Timken and Amended Final Results*.

## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[A-570-873, A-791-815]

#### Ferrovandium From the Republic of South Africa and the People's Republic of China: Final Results of the Expedited Fourth Sunset Reviews of the Antidumping Duty Orders

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

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) finds that revocation of the antidumping duty (AD) orders on ferrovandium from the Republic of South Africa (South Africa) and the People's Republic of China (China) would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of dumping, at the levels indicated in the "Final Results of Sunset Review" section of this notice.

**DATES:** Applicable January 8, 2026.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** David De Falco, Trade Agreements Policy and Negotiations, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: 202-482-2178.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Background

On January 28, 2003, Commerce published the *Orders* in the **Federal Register**.<sup>1</sup> On July 1, 2025, Commerce published the notice of initiation of these Fourth sunset reviews of the *Orders*, pursuant to section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act).<sup>2</sup>

On July 16, 2025, Commerce received a timely and complete notice of intent to participate in the sunset reviews for domestic interested parties within the deadline specified in the 19 CFR 351.218(d)(1)(i).<sup>3</sup> The Vanadium Producers and Reclaimers Association

<sup>1</sup> See *Notice of Amended Final Antidumping Duty Determination of Sales at Less than Fair Value and Antidumping Duty Order: Ferrovandium from the People's Republic of China*, 68 FR 4168 (January 28, 2003) (*China Order*) and *Notice of Antidumping Duty Order: Ferrovandium from the Republic of South Africa*, 68 FR 4169 (January 28, 2003) (*South Africa Order*) (collectively, *Orders*).

<sup>2</sup> See *Initiation of Five-Year (Sunset) Reviews*, 90 FR 28722 (July 1, 2025).

<sup>3</sup> See Domestic Interested Party's Letter, "Ferrovandium from the Republic of South Africa: Notice of Intent to Participate by Domestic Interested Parties," dated July 16, 2025; see also Domestic Interested Parties' Letter, "Ferrovandium from the People's Republic of China: Notice of Intent to Participate by Domestic Interested Parties," dated July 16, 2025.

(VRPA) claimed interested party status within the meaning of section 771(9)(E) of the Act as a trade of business association a majority of whose members manufacture, produce, or wholesale a domestic like product in the United States.<sup>4</sup> On July 21, 2025, Commerce notified the U.S. International Trade Commission (ITC) that it had received a notice of intent to participate from the domestic interested parties.<sup>5</sup>

On July 31, 2025, pursuant to 19 CFR 351.218(d)(3)(i), domestic interested parties filed a timely and adequate substantive response.<sup>6</sup> Commerce did not receive a substantive response from any respondent interested party. On August 22, 2025, Commerce notified the ITC that it did not receive substantive response from any respondent interested parties.<sup>7</sup> As a result, pursuant to section 751(c)(3)(B) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.218(e)(1)(ii)(C)(2), Commerce is conducting an expedited (120-day) sunset review of the *Order*.

Due to the lapse in appropriations and Federal Government shutdown, on November 14, 2025, Commerce tolled all deadlines in administrative proceedings by 47 days.<sup>8</sup> Additionally, due to a backlog of documents that were electronically filed via Enforcement and Compliance's Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Centralized Electronic Service System (ACCESS) during the Federal Government shutdown, on November 24, 2025, Commerce tolled all deadlines in administrative proceedings by an additional 21 days.<sup>9</sup> Accordingly, the deadline for these final results is now January 5, 2026.

### Scope of the Orders

The product covered by these *Orders* is ferrovanadium from South Africa and China. For the full description of the scope of the *Orders*, see the Issues and Decisions Memorandum.<sup>10</sup>

<sup>4</sup> *Id.* at 2.

<sup>5</sup> See Commerce's Letter, "Sunset Reviews Initiated on July 1, 2025," dated July 21, 2025.

<sup>6</sup> See Domestic Interested Party's Letter, "Ferrovanadium from the Republic of South Africa: Substantive Response to the Notice of Initiation," dated July 31, 2025 (*Substantive Response—South Africa*); see also Domestic Interested Parties' Letter, "Ferrovanadium from the People's Republic of China: Substantive Response to the Notice of Initiation," dated July 31, 2025 (*Substantive Response—China*).

<sup>7</sup> See Commerce's Letter, "Sunset Reviews Initiated on July 1, 2025," dated August 22, 2025.

<sup>8</sup> See Memorandum, "Deadlines Affected by the Shutdown of the Federal Government," dated November 14, 2025.

<sup>9</sup> See Memorandum, "Tolling of all Case Deadlines," dated November 24, 2025.

<sup>10</sup> See Memorandum, "Issues and Decision Memorandum for the Final Results of the Expedited

### Analysis of Comments Received

A complete discussion of all issues raised in this sunset review, including the likelihood of continuation or recurrence of dumping in the event of revocation of the *Orders* and the magnitude of the margins likely to prevail if the *Orders* were to be revoked, is provided in the accompanying Issues and Decision Memorandum.<sup>11</sup> A list of the topics discussed in the Issues and Decision Memorandum is attached in the appendix to this notice. The Issues and Decision Memorandum is a public document and is on file electronically via 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 directly accessed at <https://access.trade.gov/public/FRNoticesListLayout.aspx>.

### Final Results of Sunset Reviews

Pursuant to sections 751(c)(1), 752(c)(1) and (3) of the Act, Commerce determines that revocation of the *Orders* would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of dumping, and that the magnitude of the dumping margins likely to prevail would be weighted-average dumping margins up to 116.00 percent for South Africa, and 66.71 percent for China.

### Notification Regarding Administrative Protective Orders

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

### Notification to Interested Parties

We are issuing and publishing these final results in accordance with sections 751(c), 752(c), and 777(i)(1) of the Act, and 19 CFR 351.218 and 19 CFR 351.221(c)(5)(ii).

Fourth Sunset Reviews of the Antidumping Duty Orders on Ferrovanadium from the Republic of South Africa and the People's Republic of China," dated concurrently with, and hereby adopted by, this notice.

<sup>11</sup> *Id.*

Dated: January 5, 2026.

**Abdelali Elouaradia,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Compliance.*

### Appendix

#### List of Topics Discussed in the Issues and Decision Memorandum

- I. Summary
- II. Background
- III. Scope of the *Orders*
- IV. History of the *Orders*
- V. Legal Framework
- VI. Discussion of the Issues
  1. Likelihood of Continuation or Recurrence of Dumping
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- VII. Final Results of Sunset Reviews
- VIII. Recommendation

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[A–557–816]

#### Certain Steel Nails From Malaysia: Preliminary Results and Rescission, In Part, of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review; 2023–2024

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

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) preliminarily finds that producers and/or exporters subject to this administrative review made sales of subject merchandise at less than normal value (NV) during the period of review (POR) is July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024. Moreover, Commerce is rescinding the review, in part, with respect to certain companies which had no entries of subject merchandise during the POR. Interested parties are invited to comment on these preliminary results.

**DATES:** Applicable January 8, 2026.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Tyler Weinhold, AD/CVD Operations, Office VI, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–1121.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Background

On July 13, 2015, Commerce published in the **Federal Register** an antidumping duty order on certain steel nails from Malaysia.<sup>1</sup> On August 14,

<sup>1</sup> See *Certain Steel Nails from the Republic of Korea, Malaysia, the Sultanate of Oman, Taiwan,*

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