

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:
CERTAIN PASTA FROM
ITALY AND TURKEY

) **Investigation Nos.:**
) **701-TA-365-366 AND 731-TA-734-735**
) **(FOURTH REVIEW)**

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9 Main Hearing Room (Room 101)

10 U.S. International

11 Trade Commission

12 500 E Street, S.W.

13 Washington, D.C.

14 The meeting, commenced, pursuant to notice, at
15 11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States
16 International Trade Commission, the Honorable David J.
17 Johanson, presiding.

18 APPEARANCES:

19 On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

20 Commissioners:

21 DAVID S. JOHANSON (presiding)

22 IRVING A. WILLIAMSON, COMMISSIONER (via
23 telephone)

24 MEREDITH M. BROADBENT, COMMISSIONER (via
25 telephone)

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2 RHONDA SCHMIDTLEIN, COMMISSIONER (via telephone)

3 JASON E. KEARNS, COMMISSIONER

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13 INFORMATION OFFICER

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1 P R O C E E D I N G S

2 (11:01 a.m.)

3 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Good morning. This meeting
4 of the U.S. International Trade Commission will now come to
5 order.

6 Welcome to Commissioner Broadbent, Commissioner
7 Schmidtlein, and Commissioner Williamson who are
8 participating by telephone.

9 COMMISSIONER BROADBENT (Via Phone): Good
10 morning.

11 COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN (Via Phone): Good
12 morning.

13 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON (Via Phone): Good
14 morning.

15 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: I understand that there are
16 no agendas for future meetings or Outstanding Action Jackets
17 to consider.

18 Is there any objection to approval of the minutes
19 of February 8th, 12th, 21st, and 26th, 2019, or Ratification
20 Lists 19-003?

21 (No response.)

22 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Hearing none, they are
23 approved.

24 Next we turn to the vote on the Review of
25 Investigation Numbers 701-TA-365 to 366 and 731-TA-734 to

1 735, Concerning Imports of Certain Pasta from Italy and
2 Turkey.

3 Welcome to Mr. Comly and the staff who
4 participated in these investigations. Are there any
5 questions for the staff?

6 (No response.)

7 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Are there any additions or
8 corrections to the staff report?

9 MR. COMLY: Nate Comly, Office of
10 Investigations.

11 Chairman Johanson, the report may be approved as
12 it stands.

13 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Is there any objection to
14 approval of the staff report?

15 (No response.)

16 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Hearing none, it is
17 approved.

18 Mr. Secretary, will you please call the roll.

19 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Schmidtlein.

20 COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN (Via Phone): I vote in
21 the affirmative.

22 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Johanson.

23 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: I vote in the affirmative.

24 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Broadbent.

25 COMMISSIONER BROADBENT (Via Phone): I vote in the

1 affirmative with respect to Italy, and in the negative with
2 respect to Turkey.

3 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson.

4 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON (Via Phone): I vote in
5 the affirmative.

6 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Kearns.

7 COMMISSIONER KEARNS: I vote in the affirmative.

8 MR. BISHOP: Mr. Chairman, the Commission has
9 reached affirmative determinations.

10 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Thank you, Mr. Secretary.
11 Further information concerning these determinations will be
12 in the press release. Views of the Commission are currently
13 scheduled to be completed and filed by March 26, 2019.

14 Thank you to all staff who participated in these
15 investigations.

16 Seeing that there is no other business before the
17 Commission, this meeting is adjourned.

18 (Whereupon, at 11:03 a.m., Tuesday, March 12,
19 2019, the meeting of the Commissioners of the United States
20 International Trade Commission was adjourned.)

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