## UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

LARGE DIAMETER WELDED PIPE FROM CANADA, 1001-TA-593-596 AND CHINA, GREECE, INDIA, KOREA, AND TURKEY 1001-1406 (PRELIMINARY)

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| 1  | THE UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION          |
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| 2  | In the Matter of: ) Investigation Nos.:                   |
| 3  | ) 701-TA-593-596 and 31-TA-1401-1406                      |
| 4  | LARGE DIAMETER WELDED ) (PRELIMINARY)                     |
| 5  | PIPE FROM CANADA, )                                       |
| 6  | CHINA, GREECE, INDIA, )                                   |
| 7  | KOREA, AND TURKEY )                                       |
| 8  | Monday, March 5, 2018                                     |
| 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 Rhonda K.   |
| 17 | Schmidtlein, presiding.                                   |
| 18 | APPEARANCES:  |
| 19 | On behalf of the International Trade Commission:          |
| 20 | Commissioners:  |
| 21 | RHONDA K. SCHMIDTLEIN, CHAIRMAN (presiding)               |
| 22 | DAVID S. JOHANSON VICE CHAIRMAN                           |
| 23 | IRVING A. WILLIAMSON, COMMISSIONER (via telephone)        |
| 24 | MEREDITH M. BROADBENT, COMMISSIONER (via telephone)       |
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| 1  | APPEARANCES (Continued)                       |
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| 2  | Staff:  |
| 3  | ABU KANU, INVESTIGATOR                        |
| 4  | GREGORY LAROCCA, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ANALYST  |
| 5  | AIMEE LARSEN, INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIST         |
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| 7  | JOANNA LO, ACCOUNTANT/AUDITOR                 |
| 8  | MICHAEL HALDENSTEIN, ATTORNEY/ADVISOR         |
| 9  | HENRY SMITH, ATTORNEY/ADVISOR                 |
| 10 | DOUGLAS CORKRAN, SUPERVISORY INVESTIGATOR     |
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| 12 | WILLIAM R. BISHOP, SUPERVISORY HEARINGS AND   |
| 13 | INFORMATION OFFICER                           |
| 14 | SHARON BELLAMY, RECORDS MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST |
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- 2 (11:02 a.m.)
- 3 CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Good morning. This
- 4 meeting of the U.S. International Trade Commission will now
- 5 come to order.
- 6 Welcome to Commissioners Williamson and Broadbent
- 7 who are participating by telephone.
- 8 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON : Good morning.
- 9 COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: Good morning.
- 10 CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: I understand that there
- 11 are no agendas for future meetings, minutes, Ratification
- 12 Lists, or Outstanding Action Jackets to consider.
- Next we turn to the vote in the Preliminary Phase
- of Investigation Numbers 701-TA-593-596 and
- 15 731-TA-1401-1406 Concerning Imports of Large Diameter
- 16 Welded Pipe from Canada, China, Greece, India, Korea, and
- 17 Turkey.
- 18 Welcome to Mr. Corkran and the staff who
- 19 participated in these investigations.
- 20 Are there any questions for the staff?
- 21 (No response.)
- 22 CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Are there any additions
- 23 or corrections to the staff report?
- 24 MR. CORKRAN: Douglas Corkran, Office of
- 25 Investigations. Thank you, Madam Chairman. Staff proposes

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1 revising the staff report in accordance with Memorandum

- 2 INV-2Q026 dated March 5th, 2018. Staff has no further
- 3 additions or corrections to the staff report. However,
- 4 it's my pleasure to introduce Mr. Henry Smith, who is a new
- 5 attorney who will be working on this investigation.
- Thank you, very much.
- 7 CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Thank you. And welcome,
- 8 Mr. Smith. Is there any objection to approval of the staff
- 9 report as revised?
- 10 (No response.)
- 11 CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Hearing none, it is
- 12 approved.
- Mr. Secretary, will you please call the roll.
- MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Broadbent?
- 15 COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: I vote in the
- 16 affirmative.
- 17 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson.
- 18 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the
- 19 affirmative.
- 20 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Johanson.
- 21 COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the
- 22 affirmative.
- MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Schmidtlein.
- 24 COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: I vote in the
- 25 affirmative.

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| 1  | MR. BISHOP: Madam Chairman, the Commission has             |
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| 2  | reached affirmative determinations.                        |
| 3  | CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Thank you, Mr. Secretary.            |
| 4  | Further information regarding these                        |
| 5  | determinations will be in the press release. Views of the  |
| 6  | Commission currently are scheduled to be completed and     |
| 7  | filed on March 13th, 2018.                                 |
| 8  | Thank you again to all the staff who participated          |
| 9  | in these investigations. Seeing that there is no other     |
| 10 | business before the Commission, this meeting is adjourned. |
| 11 | (Whereupon, at 11:04 a.m., Monday, March 5, 2018,          |
| 12 | the meeting of the Commissioners of the United States      |
| 13 | International Trade Commission was adjourned.)             |
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## CERTIFICATE OF REPORTER

TITLE: In The Matter Of: Large Diameter Welded Pipe from

Canada, China, Greece, India, Korea, and TUrkey

INVESTIGATION NOS: 701-TA-593-596 and 731-TA-1401-1406

HEARING DATE: 3-5-18 LOCATION: Washington, DC

NATURE OF HEARING: Preliminary

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International Trade Commission.

DATE: 3-5-18

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Signature of Proofreader

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SIGNED: Larry Flowers

Signature of Court Reporter