EXPLANATION OF COMMISSION DETERMINATION ON ADEQUACY

in

Commodity Matchbooks from India
Inv. Nos. 701-TA-459 and 731-TA-1155 (Second Review)

On June 5, 2020, the Commission determined to conduct expedited reviews in the subject five-year reviews pursuant to section 751(c)(3)(B) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. § 1675(c)(3)(B).

The Commission received a response to its notice of institution filed by D.D. Bean & Sons Co. ("D.D. Bean"), a domestic producer of commodity matchbooks. The Commission determined this response to be individually adequate. The Commission further determined that the domestic interested party group response was adequate because D.D. Bean accounted for all known domestic production of commodity matchbooks in 2019.

The Commission did not receive a response to the notice of institution from any respondent interested party. Consequently, the Commission determined that the respondent interested party group response was inadequate.

The Commission did not find any circumstances that would warrant conducting full reviews. Therefore, the Commission determined to conduct expedited reviews of the orders.

A record of the Commissioners' votes is available from the Office of the Secretary and the Commission's website (http://www.usitc.gov).