In the Matter of: ALLURA RED COLORING FROM INDIA

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) 731-TA-1029
) (Preliminary)

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U.S. International
Trade Commission
500 E Street, SW
Washington, D.C.

The meeting commenced pursuant to Notice, at
11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States
International Trade Commission, MARCIA E. MILLER,
Commissioner, presiding.

APPEARANCES:

On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

ITC Commissioners:

DEANNA TANNER OKUN, CHAIRMAN (via telephone)
JENNIFER A. HILLMAN, VICE CHAIRMAN (via telephone)
MARCIA E. MILLER, COMMISSIONER (presiding)
STEPHEN KOPLAN, COMMISSIONER (via telephone)
Staff:

Marilyn R. Abbott, Secretary to the Commission
William R. Bishop, Staff Assistant to the Secretary
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Steven Wanser, Industry Analyst
Justin Jee, Accountant
Catherine DeFilippo, Economist
Laurent DeWinter, Attorney
James McClure, Supervisory Investigator
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COMMISSIONER MILLER: This meeting of the U.S. International Trade Commission will come to order, please. Good morning and welcome to all of our guests and the staff.

Madam Secretary, my colleagues are participating by telephone this morning.

MS. ABBOTT: That is correct, Madam Chairman.

COMMISSIONER MILLER: Good morning, all.

ALL: Good morning.

COMMISSIONER MILLER: First, let me note that we have no agenda for future meetings or outstanding action jackets to consider this morning.

The next item on the agenda are the minutes of April 3 and 8, 2003. Are there objections to approval of the minutes?

(No response.)

COMMISSIONER MILLER: Hearing none, they are approved.

The next item list on the agenda is Ratification List 03-010. Are there objections to approval?

(No response.)

COMMISSIONER MILLER: Hearing none, they are approved.

The next item on our agenda are Investigation

Heritage Reporting Corporation
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Numbers 701-TA-433 and 731-TA-1029 (Preliminary) Allura Red Coloring from India. Welcome to Mr. McClure and the staff that has worked on this investigation.

Are there questions for staff?

(No response.)

COMMISSIONER MILLER: Are there additions or corrections to the staff report?

MR. McCLURE: Commissioner Miller, Jim McClure, Office of Investigations. There are no additions or corrections to the report.

COMMISSIONER MILLER: Thank you. Are there objections to approval of the staff report?

(No response.)

COMMISSIONER MILLER: Hearing none, it is approved.

Madam Secretary, would you call the roll?

MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Okun?

CHAIRMAN OKUN: I vote in the negative.

MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Hillman?

VICE CHAIRMAN HILLMAN: I vote in the negative.

MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Koplan?

COMMISSIONER KOPLAN: I vote in the negative.

MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Miller?

COMMISSIONER MILLER: I vote in the negative.

MS. ABBOTT: Madam Chairman, the Commission has
reached negative determinations.

    COMMISSIONER MILLER: Further information
regarding this determination will be in the press release.
Commissioners' opinions are currently scheduled to be
transmitted to the Department of Commerce on or before April
25, 2003. Thank you very much to the staff for your work in
this investigation.

    Madam Secretary, is there any other business to
come before the Commission?

    MS. ABBOTT: No, Madam Chairman.

    COMMISSIONER MILLER: Thank you very much, then.

The meeting is adjourned.

    (Whereupon, at 11:03 a.m., the Commission meeting
was adjourned.)
CERTIFICATION OF TRANSCRIPTION

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