

THE UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:)
) Investigation No.:
 DIAMOND SAWBLADES AND) 731-TA-1092 and 1093
 PARTS THEREOF FROM CHINA) (Preliminary)
 AND KOREA)

Thursday,
 July 14, 2005

Room No. 101
 U.S. International
 Trade Commission
 500 E Street, S.W.
 Washington, D.C.

The Commission Meeting commenced, pursuant to Notice, at 11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States International Trade Commission, the Honorable STEPHEN KOPLAN, Chairman, presiding.

APPEARANCES:

On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

Commissioners:

STEPHEN KOPLAN, CHAIRMAN (presiding)
 DEANNA TANNER OKUN, VICE CHAIRMAN
 MARCIA E. MILLER, COMMISSIONER
 JENNIFER A. HILLMAN, COMMISSIONER
 CHARLOTTE R. LANE, COMMISSIONER
 DANIEL R. PEARSON, COMMISSIONER

APPEARANCES: (cont'd.)

Staff:

ELIZABETH HAINES, INVESTIGATOR
MICHAEL ANDERSON, INDUSTRY ANALYST
CRAIG THOMSEN, ECONOMIST
MARY PEDERSEN, ACCOUNTANT
RHONDA HUGHES, ATTORNEY
DOUGLAS CORKRAN, SUPERVISORY INVESTIGATOR

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P R O C E E D I N G S

(11:00 a.m.)

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

6 Good morning, Madam Secretary, and good
7 morning to Commissioner Lane, who I understand is
8 voting by telephone today.

9 COMMISSIONER LANE: Good morning.

10 COMMISSIONER KOPLAN: I understand there is
11 no agenda for future meetings or outstanding action
12 jackets to consider, nor do we have any minutes or
13 ratification list to consider.

14 We'll now turn to the briefing and vote in
15 Investigation No. 731-TA-1092 and 1093 (Preliminary)
16 (Diamond Sawblades and Parts Thereof from China and
17 Korea).

18 Welcome to Mr. Corkran.

19 Are there any questions for the staff?

20 (No response.)

21 COMMISSIONER KOPLAN: Hearing none, are
22 there any additions or corrections to the staff
23 report?

24 MR. CORKRAN: Douglas Corkran, Office of
25 Investigations. Thank you, Chairman Koplan. Staff

1 proposes that the staff report on the subject
2 investigations be revised in accordance with
3 Memorandum Inv. CC-105 dated July 12, 2005.

4 Staff has no further revisions, but I would
5 like to recognize Ms. Gabriel Ellenberger, who is
6 interning with the Office of Investigations and has
7 contributed in many important ways to this staff
8 report, and as well, though she couldn't be with us
9 this morning, Kelly Popelas, who is interning with the
10 Office of Economics and likewise has contributed in
11 many important ways.

12 COMMISSIONER KOPLAN: We appreciate the
13 contributions that they are both making.

14 Welcome, Ms. Ellenberger.

15 Are there any objections to approval of the
16 staff report as revised?

17 (No response.)

18 COMMISSIONER KOPLAN: Hearing none, it is
19 approved.

20 Madam Secretary, will you please call the
21 roll?

22 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Koplan.

23 COMMISSIONER KOPLAN: I vote in the
24 affirmative.

25 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Miller.

1 COMMISSIONER MILLER: I vote in the
2 affirmative.

3 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Pearson.

4 COMMISSIONER PEARSON: I vote in the
5 affirmative thread.

6 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Lane.

7 COMMISSIONER LANE: I vote in the
8 affirmative.

9 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Hillman.

10 COMMISSIONER HILLMAN: I vote in the
11 affirmative.

12 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Okun.

13 COMMISSIONER OKUN: I vote in the
14 affirmative.

15 MS. ABBOTT: Mr. Chairman, the Commission
16 has reached affirmative determinations in these
17 investigations.

18 COMMISSIONER KOPLAN: Thank you, Madam
19 Secretary.

20 Further information regarding this
21 determination will be in the press release.
22 Commissioners' opinions are currently scheduled to be
23 transmitted to the Department of Commerce on or before
24 July 25, 2005.

25 Thank you to the staff who assisted us in

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1 this investigation.

2 I understand there's no other business
3 before the Commission. This meeting is adjourned.

4 (Whereupon, at 11:03 a.m., the Commission
5 meeting in the above-entitled matter was concluded.)

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CERTIFICATION OF TRANSCRIPTION

TITLE: Diamond Sawblades and Parts
Thereof From China and Korea

INVESTIGATION NO.: 731-TA-1092 and 1093 (Preliminary)

HEARING DATE: July 14, 2005

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DATE: July 14, 2005

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