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Room 101  
 U.S. International  
 Trade Commission  
 500 E Street, SW  
 Washington, D.C.

The Commission meeting commenced, pursuant to notice, at 2:17 p.m., before the Commissioners of the United States International Trade Commission, the Honorable SHARA L. ARANOFF, Chairman, presiding.

## APPEARANCES:

On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

Commissioners:

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P R O C E E D I N G S

(2:17 p.m.)

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

6 Welcome to Vice Chairman Pearson and  
7 Commissioner Okun, who, I hope, are participating by  
8 telephone.

9 VICE CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Good afternoon.

10 COMMISSIONER OKUN: Good afternoon.

11 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: I understand that there  
12 are no agendas for future meetings or outstanding  
13 action jackets to consider. Is there any objection to  
14 approval of the minutes of September 9, 11, 17, and  
15 30, 2009, or Ratification List 09-017?

16 (No response.)

17 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Hearing none, they are  
18 approved.

19 Next, we turn to the vote in Investigation  
20 Nos. 731-TA-753, 754, and 756 (Second Review)  
21 (Cut-to-Length Carbon Steel Plate from China,  
22 Russia, and Ukraine).

23 Welcome to Mr. Corkran and the staff who  
24 participated in these investigations. Are there any  
25 questions for the staff?

1 (No response.)

2 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Are there any additions  
3 or corrections to the staff report?

4 MR. CORKRAN: Douglas Corkran, Office of  
5 Investigations. Thank you, Chairman Aranoff. The  
6 staff proposes that the staff report on the subject  
7 reviews be revised in accordance with Memoranda  
8 INV-GG-097 and 099, dated October 5 and 8, 2009. The  
9 staff has no further revisions.

10 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Thank you. Is there any  
11 objection to approval of the staff report as revised?

12 (No response.)

13 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Hearing none, it is  
14 approved.

15 Mr. Secretary, will you please call the  
16 roll?

17 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Aranoff?

18 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: I vote in the  
19 affirmative.

20 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pearson?

21 VICE CHAIRMAN PEARSON: I vote in the  
22 affirmative.

23 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pinkert?

24 COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I vote in the  
25 affirmative.

1 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Lane?

2 COMMISSIONER LANE: I vote in the  
3 affirmative.

4 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson?

5 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the  
6 affirmative.

7 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Okun?

8 COMMISSIONER OKUN: I vote in the  
9 affirmative.

10 MR. BISHOP: Madam Chairman, we have  
11 affirmative determinations in these investigations.

12 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Thank you, Mr. Secretary.

13 Further information regarding these  
14 determinations will be in the press release.  
15 Commissioners' opinions currently are scheduled to be  
16 transmitted to the Department of Commerce on or before  
17 October 26, 2009. Thank you to all of the staff who  
18 participated in these investigations.

19 Seeing that there is no other business  
20 before the Commission, this meeting is, thankfully,  
21 adjourned.

22 (Whereupon, at 2:19 p.m., the Commission  
23 meeting was adjourned.)

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**CERTIFICATION OF TRANSCRIPTION**

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