In the Matter of: GALVANIZED STEEL WIRE FROM CHINA AND MEXICO  }

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U.S. International
Trade Commission
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Washington, D.C.

The Commission meeting commenced, pursuant to
Notice, at 2:00 p.m., before the Commissioners of the
United States International Trade Commission, the
Honorable DEANNA TANNER OKUN, Chairman, presiding.

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On Behalf of the International Trade Commission:

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CHAIRMAN OKUN: Good afternoon. This meeting of the U.S. International Trade Commission will now come to order.

There is no agenda for future meetings, minutes, ratification lists or outstanding action jackets to consider.

Before turning to our vote today I would recognize that today is the fifth of the five cases that were filed within two days of each other, and again for those who have been here earlier in the week it's just a recognition of the hard work done by everyone on the staff. I know while there's a lot of work ahead on opinions and other matters that it's been a long haul and an unusually busy time and so we appreciate everyone's hard work during this period at the Commission, one of the busiest I've seen in 12 years. So thank you.

We will now turn to the vote in Investigation Nos. 701-TA-479 and 731-TA-1183-1184 (Final), Galvanized Steel Wire From China and Mexico. Welcome to Ms. Haines and the other members of the staff who participated in these investigations. Are there any questions for the staff?
CHAIRMAN OKUN: Are there any additions or corrections to the staff report?

MS. HAINES: Elizabeth Haines, Office of Investigations. Revisions to the staff report are contained in Memorandum INV-KK-049 and in addition to the staff report as contained in Memorandum INV-KK-050.

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

(No response.)

CHAIRMAN OKUN: Hearing none, it is approved.

Mr. Secretary, will you please call the roll?

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pinkert?

COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson?

VICE CHAIRMAN WILLIAMSON: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Aranoff?

COMMISSIONER ARANOFF: I vote in the negative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pearson?
COMMISSIONER PEARSON: I vote in the negative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Johanson?

COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the negative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Okun?

CHAIRMAN OKUN: I vote in the negative.

MR. BISHOP: Madam Chairman, the Commission has reached negative determinations.

CHAIRMAN OKUN: Thank you. Further information regarding these determinations will be in the press release. Commissioners' opinions are currently scheduled to be transmitted to the Department of Commerce on or before May 3, 2012.

Thank you again to all staff.

With no other business to come before the Commission, this meeting is adjourned.

(Whereupon, at 2:02 p.m., the Commission meeting in the above-entitled matter was concluded.)
CERTIFICATION OF TRANSCRIPTION

TITLE: Galvanized Steel Wire

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HEARING DATE: April 23, 2012

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I hereby certify that the foregoing/attached transcript is a true, correct and complete record of the above-referenced proceeding(s) of the U.S. International Trade Commission.

DATE: April 23, 2012

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