

1 THE UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

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3 In the Matter of:) Investigation No.:

4) 731-TA-1206 (Final)

5 DIFFUSION-ANNEALED, NICKEL-)

6 PLATED FLAT-ROLLED STEEL)

7 PRODUCTS FROM JAPAN)

8 Friday, May 2, 2014

9 Main Hearing Room (Room 101)

10 U.S. International

11 Trade Commission

12 500 E Street, S.W.

13 Washington, D.C.

14 The meeting, commenced pursuant to notice, at
15 11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States
16 International Trade Commission, Commissioner David S.
17 Johanson, presiding.

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1 APPEARANCES:

2 On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

3 Commissioners:

4 IRVING A. WILLIAMSON, CHAIRMAN (via telephone)

5 DEAN A. PINKERT, COMMISSIONER (via telephone)

6 DAVID S. JOHANSON, COMMISSIONER

7 MEREDITH M. BROADBENT, COMMISSIONER (via

8 telephone)

9 F. SCOTT KIEFF, COMMISSIONER

10 RHONDA K. SCHMIDTLEIN, COMMISSIONER

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13 BILL BISHOP, SUPERVISORY HEARINGS AND

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15 Staff:

16 NATHANAEL COMLY, INVESTIGATOR

17 JAMES BENEDETTO, ECONOMIST

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20 DOUGLAS CORKRAN, SUPERVISORY INVESTIGATOR

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1 P R O C E E D I N G S

2 (11:00 A.M.)

3 COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: Good morning. This
4 meeting of the U.S. International Trade Commission will now
5 come to order.

6 Welcome to Chairman Williamson and Commissioners
7 Pinkert and Broadbent who are participating by telephone. I
8 would also like to welcome Commissioner Rhonda K.
9 Schmidtlein. Commissioner Schmidtlein is present today,
10 but is not participating in the vote.

11 Commissioner Schmidtlein was sworn in as the 86th
12 Commissioner of the U.S. ITC on April 28, 2014. I look
13 forward to working further with her over the coming months
14 and years.

15 I understand that there are no agendas for future
16 meetings, or outstanding action jackets to consider. Is
17 there any objection to the approval of the minutes of April
18 1st, 3rd, 4th, 17th, 22nd, and 23rd of 2014 or ratification
19 list 14-005? Hearing none they are approved.

20 Next we turn to the vote in Investigation No.
21 731-TA-1206 (Final) Diffusion-Annealed, Nickel-Plated
22 Flat-Rolled Steel products from Japan.

23 Welcome to Mr. Corkran and the staff who
24 participated in these investigations.

25 Are there any questions for the staff?

1 (No response.)

2 COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: Are there any additions
3 or corrections to the staff report?

4 MR. CORKRAN: Douglas Corkran, Office of
5 Investigations, thank you Commissioner Johanson, staff has
6 no additions or corrections to the staff report.

7 COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: Is there any objection to
8 approval of the staff report?

9 (No response.)

10 COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: Hearing none, it is
11 approved.

12 Mr. Secretary, will you please call the roll?

13 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Kieff?

14 COMMISSIONER KIEFF: I vote in the affirmative.

15 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Broadbent?

16 COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: I vote in the
17 affirmative.

18 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pinkert?

19 COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I vote in the affirmative.

20 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Schmidtlein is not
21 participating. Commissioner Johanson?

22 COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the
23 affirmative.

24 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson?

25 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the

1 affirmative.

2 MR. BISHOP: Mr. Chairman the Commission has
3 reached an affirmative determination.

4 COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: Thank you Mr. Secretary
5 further information regarding these determinations will be
6 in the press release. Views of the Commission currently
7 are scheduled to be completed and filed on May 16, 2014.

8 Thank you to all of the staff who participated in
9 these investigations. Seeing that there is no other
10 business before the Commission this meeting is adjourned.

11 (Whereupon, at 11:02 a.m, the meeting was
12 concluded.)

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