In the Matter of: POLYETHYLENE TEREPTHALATE (PET) RESIN FROM CANADA, CHINA, INDIA, AND OMAN ) Investigation Nos.: 701-TA-531-532 AND 731-TA-1270-1273 ) (FINAL)

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The meeting, commenced, pursuant to notice, at
11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States
International Trade Commission, the Honorable Meredith M.
Broadbent, presiding.
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On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

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CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: Good morning. This meeting of the U.S. International Trade Commission will now come to order. Welcome to Commissioner Kieff, who's participating by telephone.

COMMISSIONER KIEFF: Hello.

CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: I understand that there are no agendas for future meetings, minutes, ratification lists or outstanding action jackets to consider. Next we turn to the vote on Investigation Numbers 701-531 to 532, and 731-1270 to 1273, a Final on PET RESIN from Canada, China, India and Oman.

Welcome to Ms. Haines and the staff who participated in these investigations. Are there any questions for the staff?

(No response.)

CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: Are there any additions or corrections to the staff report?

MS. HAINES: Elizabeth Haines, revisions are contained in Memos INV-00025, INV-00027, and INV-00028.

CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: Is there any objection to approval of the staff report as revised?

(No response.)

CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: Hearing none, it is
approved. Mr. Secretary, will you please call the roll?

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MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Schmidtlein.

COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pinkert.

COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Johanson.

COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson.

COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Broadbent.

COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Kieff.

COMMISSIONER KIEFF: I vote in the affirmative.

Mr. Bishop: Madame Chairman, the Commission has reached affirmative determinations.

CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: Thank you, Mr. Secretary.

Further information regarding these determinations will be in the press release. Views of the Commission currently are scheduled to be completed and filed on April 28th, 2016.

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

(Whereupon, the meeting was adjourned at 11:02 a.m.)
CERTIFICATE OF REPORTER
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