

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:) Investigation No.:
LARGE RESIDENTIAL WASHERS FROM CHINA) 731-TA-1306 (FINAL)

AND

WOODWN BEDROOM FURNITURE FROM) Investigation No.:
CHINA) 731-TA-1058 (SECOND REVIEW)

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15 Main Hearing Room (Room 101)

16 U.S. International

17 Trade Commission

18 500 E Street, S.W.

19 Washington, D.C.

20 The meeting, commenced, pursuant to notice, at

21 11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States

22 International Trade Commission, Chairman Irving A.

23 Williamson, presiding.

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1 APPEARANCES:

2 On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

3 Commissioners:

4 IRVING A. WILLIAMSON, CHAIRMAN

5 DAVID S. JOHANSON, VICE CHAIRMAN

6 DEAN A. PINKERT, COMMISSIONER

7 MEREDITH M. BROADBENT, COMMISSIONER (via
8 telephone)

9 F. SCOTT KIEFF, COMMISSIONER,

10 RHONDA K. SCHMIDTLEIN, COMMISSIONER

11 Staff:

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13 DENNIS FRAVEL, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ANALYST

14 DAVID BOYLAND, ACCOUNTANT/AUDITOR

15 AIMEE LARSEN, INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIST

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17 KARL VON SCHRILTZ, ATTORNEY/ADVISOR

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1 APPEARANCES (CONTINUED)

2 Staff:

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11 INFORMATION OFFICER

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13 SPECIALIST

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1 PROCEEDINGS

2 (11:00 a.m.)

3 CHAIRMAN WILLIAMSON: Good morning. This meeting
4 of the U.S. International Trade Commission will now come to
5 order. Welcome to Commissioner Broadbent who is
6 participating by telephone.

7 I understand that there are no agendas for future
8 meetings, minutes, ratification lists or outstanding action
9 jackets to consider.

10 Next we turn to the vote in Investigation number
11 731-TA-1306 (Final), Large Residential Washers from China.

12 Welcome to Mr. Anderson and the staff who
13 participated in this investigation. Are there any questions
14 for the staff?

15 (No response.)

16 CHAIRMAN WILLIAMSON: Are there any additions or
17 corrections to the staff report?

18 MR. ANDERSON: Thank you Chairman, Michael
19 Anderson Office of Investigations, there are no corrections
20 or additions to the staff report.

21 CHAIRMAN WILLIAMSON: Is there any objection to
22 approval of the staff report?

23 (No response.)

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

1 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Kieff?

2 COMMISSIONER KIEFF: I vote in the affirmative.

3 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Broadbent?

4 COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: I vote in the
5 affirmative.

6 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pinkert?

7 COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I vote in the affirmative.

8 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Johanson?

9 COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the
10 affirmative.

11 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Schmidtlein?

12 COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: I vote in the
13 affirmative.

14 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson?

15 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I concur with my
16 colleagues.

17 MR. BISHOP: Mr. Chairman, the Commission has
18 reached affirmative determinations.

19 CHAIRMAN WILLIAMSON: Thank you Mr. Secretary.
20 Further information regarding these determinations will be
21 in the press release. Views of the Commission currently are
22 scheduled to be completed and filed by January 30, 2017.

23 Thank you to all the staff who participated in
24 this investigation. We will now pause for a moment while we
25 change staff for the next vote.

1 (Pause.)

2 CHAIRMAN WILLIAMSON: Next we turn to the vote in
3 Investigation number 731-TA-1058 (Second Review), Wooden
4 Bedroom Furniture from China.

5 Welcome to Ms. Haines and the staff who
6 participated in this investigation. Are there any questions
7 for the staff?

8 (No response.)

9 CHAIRMAN WILLIAMSON: Are there any additions or
10 corrections to the staff report?

11 MS. HAINES: Elizabeth Haines, there are no
12 additions or corrections to the staff report.

13 CHAIRMAN WILLIAMSON: Is there any objection to
14 approval of the staff report?

15 (No response.)

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

18 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Broadbent?

19 COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: I vote in the
20 affirmative.

21 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Kieff?

22 COMMISSIONER KIEFF: I vote in the affirmative.

23 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson?

24 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the
25 affirmative.

1 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Schmidtlein?

2 COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: I vote in the
3 affirmative.

4 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Johanson?

5 COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the
6 affirmative.

7 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pinkert is not
8 participating. Mr. Chairman, the Commission has reached an
9 affirmative determination.

10 CHAIRMAN WILLIAMSON: Thank you Mr. Secretary.
11 Further information regarding these determinations will be
12 in the press release. Views of the Commission currently are
13 scheduled to be completed and filed by January 25, 2017.
14 Thank you to all the staff who participated in this
15 investigation.

16 Seeing that there is no other business before the
17 Commission, this meeting is adjourned.

18 (Whereupon, the meeting was adjourned at 11:03
19 a.m.)

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