In the Matter of: LIGHT-WALLED RECTANGULAR PIPE FROM TAIWAN AND FURFURYL ALCOHOL FROM CHINA } Investigation Nos.: 731-TA-410 (FOURTH REVIEW) 731-TA-703- (FOURTH REVIEW)
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

BEFORE THE

INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF: ) Investigation Nos.:
LIGHT-WALLED RECTANGULAR PIPE ) 731-TA-410 (FOURTH REVIEW)
FROM TAIWAN )
AND )
FURFURYL ALCOHOL FROM CHINA ) 731-TA-703 (FOURTH REVIEW)

Main Hearing Room (Room 101)
U.S. International Trade Commission
500 E Street, SW
Washington, DC
Wednesday, July 12, 2017

The meeting commenced pursuant to notice at 11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States International Trade Commission, the Honorable Rhonda K. Schmidtlein, Chairman, presiding.
APPEARANCES:

On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

Commissioners:

Chairman Rhonda K. Schmidtlein
Vice Chairman David S. Johanson (via telephone)
Commissioner Irving A. Williamson
Commissioner Meredith M. Broadbent

William R. Bishop, Supervisory Hearings and Information Officer

Staff:

Andrew Dushkes, Investigator
David Guberman, International Trade Analyst
Nataline Viray-Fung, Attorney/Advisor
Fred Ruggles, Supervisory Investigator

Staff:

Amelia Shister, Investigator
Jennifer Catalano, International Trade Analyst
Luke Tillman, Attorney/Advisor
Fred Ruggles, Supervisory Investigator
MR. BISHOP: Would the room please come to order. Everyone please find a seat.

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

Welcome to Vice Chairman Johanson, who is participating by telephone. Good morning. Good morning to Vice Chairman Johanson who is participating by telephone?

VICE CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Good morning.

CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Thank you. I understand that there are no agendas for future meetings or outstanding Action Jackets to consider.

Is there any objection to approval of the minutes of June 2nd, 9th, 13th, 16th, 20th, and 29th, 2017, or Ratification List 17-007?

(No response.)

CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Hearing none, they are approved.

Next we turn to the vote in Investigation Number 731-TA-410 (Fourth Review) concerning Imports of Light-Walled Rectangular Pipe and Tube from Taiwan.

Welcome to Mr. Ruggles and the staff who participated in this investigation.
Are there any questions for the staff?
(No response.)

CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Are there any additions or corrections to the Staff Report?
MR. RUGGLES: No additions or corrections to the Staff Report.

CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Is there any objection to approval of the Staff Report?
(No response.)

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

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson?
COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Schmidtlein?
COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Broadbent?
COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Johanson?
COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Could you record your vote for me one more time, please?
COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Thank you.

Madam Chairman, the Commission has reached an affirmative determination.

CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Thank you, Mr. Secretary.

Further information regarding this determination will be in the press release.

Views of the Commission currently are scheduled to be completed and filed by July 25th, 2017. Thank you again to all the staff who participated in this investigation.

We will now pause for a moment while we change staff for the next vote.

(Pause.)

Next we turn to the vote in Investigation Number 731-TA-703 (Fourth Review) concerning imports of Furfuryl Alcohol from China.

Welcome again to Mr. Ruggles and the staff who participated in this investigation.

Are there any questions for the staff?

(No response.)

CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Are there any additions or corrections to the Staff Report?

MR. RUGGLES: Yes, there is a correction to the Staff Report in Inv-PP-090.
CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Thank you. Is there any objection to approval of the Staff Report as revised?

(No response.)

CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Hearing none, it is approved.

Mr. Secretary, will you please call the roll?

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Broadbent?

COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson?

COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Johanson?

VICE CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Schmidtlein?

COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BISHOP: Madam Chairman, the Commission has reached an affirmative determination.

CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Thank you, Mr. Secretary. Further information regarding this determination will be in the press released. Views of the Commission currently are scheduled to be completed and filed by July 28th, 2017.
Thank you again to all the staff who participated in this investigation.

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

(Whereupon, at 11:03 a.m., Wednesday, July 12, 2017, the meeting was adjourned.)
CERTIFICATE OF REPORTER

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And
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