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In the Matter of: Investigation Nos.:

MAGNESIUM 701-TA-614 and 731-TA-1431
FROM (Preliminary)
ISRAEL

AND

COMMON ALLOY Investigation Nos.:
ALUMINUM SHEET 701-TA-591 and 731-TA-1399
FROM CHINA (Final)

Friday, December 7, 2018
Main Hearing Room (Room 101)
U.S. International
Trade Commission
500 E Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C.

The meeting, commenced, pursuant to notice, at
11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States
International Trade Commission, Chairman David S. Johanson,
presiding.
APPEARANCES:

On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

Commissioners:

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SHARON BELLAMY, RECORDS MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST

TYRELL BURCH, PROGRAM SUPPORT SPECIALIST
MR. BURCH: Will the room please come to order.

CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Good morning. This meeting of the U.S. International Trade Commission will now come to order. Welcome to Commissioners Williamson and Broadbent who are participating by telephone.

COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: Good morning.

COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: Good morning.

CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: 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 the Preliminary phase of Investigation Numbers 701-TA-614 and 731-TA-1431 concerning imports of Magnesium from Israel.

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

(No response.)

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

MR. CORKRAN: Douglas Corkran, Office of Investigations. There are no additions or corrections to the staff report.

CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Is there any objection to
approval of the staff report?

(No response.)

CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Hearing none, it is approved.

Mr. Secretary, will you please call the roll?

MR. BURCH: Commissioner Broadbent?

COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: I vote in the negative.

MR. BURCH: Commissioner Williamson?

COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BURCH: Commissioner Johanson?

COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BURCH: Commissioner Schmidtlein?

COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BURCH: Commissioner Kearns?

COMMISSIONER KEARNS: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BURCH: Mr. Chairman, the Commission has reached affirmative determinations.

CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Thank you Mr. Secretary.

Further information concerning these determinations will be in the press release. Views of the Commission are currently scheduled to be completed and filed on December 18, 2018.

Thank you to all the staff who participated in these investigations. We will now pause a moment while we
change staff for the next vote.

(Pause.)

MR. BURCH: Will the room please come to order.

CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Next we turn to the vote on the Final phase of Investigation Numbers 701-TA-591 and 731-TA-1399, concerning imports of Common Alloy Aluminum Sheet from China.

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

(No response.)

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

MR. CORKRAN: Douglas Corkran, Office of Investigations. Staff proposes revising the staff report in accordance with memorandum INV-QQ-140 and 146, dated November 28th and December 4th. Staff has no additional additions or corrections.

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

(No response.)

CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Hearing none, it is approved.

Mr. Secretary, will you please call the roll?

MR. BURCH: Commissioner Kearns?

COMMISSIONER KEARNS: I vote in the affirmative.
MR. BURCH: Commissioner Broadbent?

COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BURCH: Commissioner Schmidtlein?

COMMISSIONER Schmidtlein: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BURCH: Commissioner Williamson?

COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BURCH: Commissioner Johanson?

COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the affirmative.

MR. BURCH: Mr. Chairman, the Commission has reached affirmative determinations.

CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Thank you Mr. Secretary. Further information concerning these determinations will be in the press release. Views of the Commission are currently scheduled to be completed and filed on January 2, 2019. Thank you to all of 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 11:06 a.m.)
CERTIFICATE OF REPORTER

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AND
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