

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:
POLYTETRAFLUROETHYLENE (“PTFE”)
RESIN FROM CHINA AND INDIA

) Investigation Nos.:
) 731-TA-1392 and 1393
) (FINAL)

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 8 Main Hearing Room (Room 101)
 9 U.S. International
 10 Trade Commission
 11 500 E Street, S.W.
 12 Washington, D.C.

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

17 APPEARANCES:

18 On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

19 Commissioners:

20 DAVID S. JOHANSON, CHAIRMAN

21 IRVING A. WILLIAMSON, COMMISSIONER

22 MEREDITH M. BROADBENT, COMMISSIONER (via telephone)

23 RHONDA K. SCHMIDTLEIN, COMMISSIONER (via telephone)

24 JASON E. KEARNS, COMMISSIONER (Did not participate)

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

2 (11:09 a.m.)

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

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

8 COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: Good morning.

9 COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: Good morning.

10 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: I understand that there are
11 no agendas for future meetings, minutes, ratification
12 lists, or outstanding action jackets to consider.

13 Next we turn to the vote on the Final phase of
14 Investigation Numbers 731-TA-1392 and 1393, concerning
15 imports of Polytetrafluoroethylene or PTFE Resin from China
16 and India.

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

20 (No response.)

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

23 MS. HAINES: Elizabeth Haines, no additions or
24 revisions.

25 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Is there any objection to

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1 approval of the staff report?

2 (No response.)

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

5 MR. BURCH: Commissioner Johanson?

6 COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the negative.

7 MR. BURCH: Commissioner Broadbent?

8 COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: I vote in the negative.

9 MR. BURCH: Commissioner Schmidtlein?

10 COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: I vote in the
11 negative.

12 MR. BURCH: Commissioner Williamson?

13 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the
14 negative.

15 MR. BURCH: And Commissioner Kearns is not
16 participating.

17 Mr. Chairman, the Commission has reached a
18 negative determination.

19 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Thank you, Mr. Secretary.
20 Further information concerning these determinations will be
21 in the press release. Views of the Commission are
22 currently scheduled to be completed and filed by November
23 9, 2018.

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

1 (Whereupon, the meeting was adjourned at 11:10 a.m.)

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