

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:) Investigation Nos.:
PLASTIC DECORATIVE RIBBON FROM CHINA) 701-TA-592 AND 731-TA-1400 (FINAL)

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10 U.S. International

11 Trade Commission

12 500 E Street, S.W.

13 Washington, D.C.

14 The meeting commenced, pursuant to notice, at

15 11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States

16 International Trade Commission, the Honorable David S.

17 Johanson, presiding.

18 APPEARANCES:

19 On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

20 Commissioners:

- 21 DAVID S. JOHANSON, CHAIRMAN
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- 25 telephone)

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1 PROCEEDINGS

2 (11:02 a.m.)

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

7 COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: Good morning.

8 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Before we vote today, I would
9 like to turn the podium over to Commissioner Williamson who
10 has a few words to say.

11 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: Mr. Chairman, I just
12 want to take this occasion to say that, Simeon Yurakon, who
13 has been with our office since the fall of 2014. First as an
14 intern, second as a law clerk, and for the last year and a
15 half as an aide. And he has provided excellent service to
16 the office, he's done a wonderful job and we want to wish
17 him well as he moves on to new endeavors. Thank you Simeon.

18 (Applause.)

19 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Thank you Simeon, we wish
20 you the best with your next position.

21 I understand that there are no agendas for future
22 meetings, minutes, ratification lists, or outstanding action
23 jackets to consider.

24 Next we turn to the vote on the Final phase of
25 Investigation Numbers 701-TA-592 and 731-TA-1400, concerning

1 imports of Plastic Decorative Ribbon from China.

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

5 (No response.)

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

8 MS. HAINES: Elizabeth Haines, there are no
9 revisions or additions.

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

12 (No response.)

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

15 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Kearns?

16 COMMISSIONER KEARNS: I vote in the affirmative.

17 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Broadbent?

18 COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: I vote in the
19 affirmative.

20 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Johanson?

21 COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the
22 affirmative.

23 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Schmidtlein?

24 COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: I vote in the
25 affirmative.

1 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson?

2 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the
3 affirmative.

4 MR. BISHOP: Mr. Chairman, the Commission has
5 reached affirmative determinations.

6 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Thank you, Mr. Secretary.
7 Further information concerning these determinations will be
8 in the press release. Views of the Commission are currently
9 scheduled to be completed and filed by March 11, 2019.

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

13 (Whereupon, the meeting was adjourned at 11:04
14 a.m.)

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