

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:) Investigation Nos.:
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CHINA AND THAILAND) 731-TA-1417 and 1419
) (Preliminary)

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The meeting commenced, pursuant to notice, at

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

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International Trade Commission, the Honorable David S.

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Johanson, presiding.

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

2 (11:00 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 Commissioners Williamson, Broadbent and
6 Schmidtlein, who are participating by telephone.

7 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON (Via Phone): Good
8 morning.

9 COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN (Via Phone): Good
10 morning.

11 COMMISSIONER BROADBENT (Via Phone): Good
12 morning.

13 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: I understand that there are
14 no agendas for future meetings, or outstanding action
15 jackets to consider.

16 Is there any objection to approval of the
17 minutes of June 5, 14, 15, 19, 20, 22, 26, and 28 of 2018
18 or Ratification List, 18-007? Hearing none, they are
19 approved.

20 Next we turn to the vote on the Preliminary
21 phase of Investigation Numbers 701-TA-607 and 731-TA-1417
22 and 1419 concerning imports of Steel Propane Cylinders from
23 China and Thailand.

24 Welcome to Mr. Thomsen and the Staff who
25 participated in these investigations. Are there any

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1 questions for the Staff?

2 (No response.)

3 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Are there any additions or
4 corrections to the Staff report.

5 MR. THOMSEN: Craig Thomsen, Office of
6 Investigations, Staff have no revisions or corrections.

7 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Is there any objection to
8 approval of the Staff report?

9 (No response.)

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

12 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Broadbent?

13 COMMISSIONER BROADBENT (Via Phone): I vote in
14 the affirmative.

15 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Kearns is not
16 participating. Commissioner Johanson?

17 COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the
18 affirmative.

19 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Schmidtlein?

20 COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN (Via Phone): I vote in
21 the affirmative.

22 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson?

23 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON (Via Phone): I vote in
24 the affirmative.

25 MR. BISHOP: Mr. Chairman, the Commission has

1 reached affirmative determinations.

2 CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Thank you, Mr. Secretary.

3 Further information concerning these
4 determinations will be in the press release. Views of the
5 Commission are currently scheduled to be completed and
6 filed on July 13, 2018.

7 Thank you again to all the Staff who
8 participated in these investigations. Seeing that there is
9 no other business before the Commission, this meeting is
10 adjourned.

11 (Whereupon, the meeting was adjourned at
12 11:03 a.m.)

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