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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION

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Sodium Hexametaphosphate from the People's Republic of China: Rescission of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review; 2013-2014

AGENCY: Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce ("the Department") is rescinding the administrative review of the antidumping duty order on sodium hexametaphosphate from the People's Republic of China ("China") for the period March 1, 2013, through February 28, 2014.

EFFECTIVE DATE: (Insert date published in the Federal Register.)

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On April 30, 2014, based on a timely request for review by Hubei Xingfa Chemicals Group Co., Ltd. ("Hubei Xingfa"),¹ the Department published in the Federal Register a notice of initiation of an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on sodium hexametaphosphate from the People's Republic of China covering the period March 1, 2013,

¹ See Request for Administrative Review of the Antidumping Duty Order on Sodium Hexametaphosphate from the People's Republic of China filed by Hubei Xingfa on March 31, 2014.

through February 28, 2014.² The review covers only Hubei Xingfa.³ On July 2, 2014, Hubei Xingfa withdrew its request for an administrative review.⁴ No other party requested a review of this company or any other exporter of subject merchandise.

Rescission of Review

Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), the Department will rescind an administrative review, in whole or in part, if the party that requested the review withdraws its request within 90 days of the publication of the notice of initiation of the requested review. In this case, Hubei Xingfa timely withdrew its request by the 90-day deadline, and no other party requested an administrative review of the antidumping duty order. As a result, pursuant to 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), we are rescinding the administrative review of sodium hexametaphosphate from the People's Republic of China for the period March 1, 2013, through February 28, 2014, in its entirety.

Assessment

The Department will instruct CBP to assess antidumping duties on all appropriate entries. Because the Department is rescinding this administrative review in its entirety, the entries subject to this administrative review shall be assessed antidumping duties at rates equal to the cash deposit of estimated antidumping duties required at the time of entry, or withdrawal from warehouse, for consumption, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.212(c)(1)(i). The Department intends to issue appropriate assessment instructions to CBP 15 days after the publication of this notice in the Federal Register.

² See Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative Reviews and Request for Revocation in Part, 79 FR 24398 (April 30, 2014) (“Initiation Notice”).

³ See id.

⁴ See Hubei Xingfa Notice of Withdrawal: Administrative Review of Antidumping Duty Order on Sodium Hexametaphosphate from the People's Republic of China filed by Hubei Xingfa on July 2, 2014.

Notifications

This notice serves as a final reminder to importers of their responsibility under 19 CFR 351.402(f)(2) to file a certificate regarding the reimbursement of antidumping duties prior to liquidation of the relevant entries during this review period. Failure to comply with this requirement could result in the Department's presumption that reimbursement of the antidumping duties occurred and the subsequent assessment of doubled antidumping duties.

This notice also serves as a final reminder to parties subject to administrative protective order ("APO") of their responsibility concerning the return or destruction of proprietary information disclosed under APO in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305(a)(3), which continues to govern business proprietary information in this segment of the proceeding. Timely written notification of the return or destruction of APO materials, or conversion to judicial protective order, is hereby requested. Failure to comply with the regulations and terms of an APO is a violation which is subject to sanction.

This notice is issued and published in accordance with section 751(a)(1) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, and 19 CFR 351.213(d)(4).

Dated: July 22, 2014.

Christian Marsh
Deputy Assistant Secretary
for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations

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