DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation; Opportunity to Request Administrative Review

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


Background

Each year during the anniversary month of the publication of an antidumping or countervailing duty order, finding, or suspended investigation, an interested party, as defined in section 771(9) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), may request, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.213, that the Department of Commerce (Commerce) conduct an administrative review of that antidumping or countervailing duty order, finding, or suspended investigation.

All deadlines for the submission of comments or actions by Commerce discussed below refer to the number of calendar days from the applicable starting date.

Respondent Selection

In the event Commerce limits the number of respondents for individual examination for administrative reviews initiated pursuant to requests made for the orders identified below, Commerce intends to select respondents based on U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) data for U.S. imports during the period of review. We intend to release the CBP data under Administrative Protective Order (APO) to all parties having an APO within five days of publication of the initiation notice and to make our decision regarding respondent selection within 21 days of publication of the initiation Federal Register notice. Therefore, we encourage
all parties interested in commenting on respondent selection to submit their APO applications on
the date of publication of the initiation notice, or as soon thereafter as possible. Commerce
invites comments regarding the CBP data and respondent selection within five days of placement
of the CBP data on the record of the review.

In the event Commerce decides it is necessary to limit individual examination of
respondents and conduct respondent selection under section 777A(c)(2) of the Act:

In general, Commerce finds that determinations concerning whether particular companies
should be “collapsed” (i.e., treated as a single entity for purposes of calculating antidumping
duty rates) require a substantial amount of detailed information and analysis, which often require
follow-up questions and analysis. Accordingly, Commerce will not conduct collapsing analyses
at the respondent selection phase of a review and will not collapse companies at the respondent
selection phase unless there has been a determination to collapse certain companies in a previous
segment of this antidumping proceeding (i.e., investigation, administrative review, new shipper
review or changed circumstances review). For any company subject to a review, if Commerce
determined, or continued to treat, that company as collapsed with others, Commerce will assume
that such companies continue to operate in the same manner and will collapse them for
respondent selection purposes. Otherwise, Commerce will not collapse companies for purposes
of respondent selection. Parties are requested to (a) identify which companies subject to review
previously were collapsed, and (b) provide a citation to the proceeding in which they were
collapsed. Further, if companies are requested to complete a Quantity and Value Questionnaire
for purposes of respondent selection, in general each company must report volume and value
data separately for itself. Parties should not include data for any other party, even if they believe
they should be treated as a single entity with that other party. If a company was collapsed with
another company or companies in the most recently completed segment of a proceeding where
Commerce considered collapsing that entity, complete quantity and value data for that collapsed
entity must be submitted.
Deadline for Withdrawal of Request for Administrative Review

Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), a party that requests a review may withdraw that request within 90 days of the date of publication of the notice of initiation of the requested review. The regulation provides that Commerce may extend this time if it is reasonable to do so. Determinations by Commerce to extend the 90-day deadline will be made on a case-by-case basis.

Deadline for Particular Market Situation Allegation

Section 504 of the Trade Preferences Extension Act of 2015 amended the Act by adding the concept of particular market situation (PMS) for purposes of constructed value under section 773(e) of the Act.\(^1\) Section 773(e) of the Act states that “if a particular market situation exists such that the cost of materials and fabrication or other processing of any kind does not accurately reflect the cost of production in the ordinary course of trade, the administering authority may use another calculation methodology under this subtitle or any other calculation methodology.”

When an interested party submits a PMS allegation pursuant to section 773(e) of the Act, Commerce will respond to such a submission consistent with 19 CFR 351.301(c)(2)(v). If Commerce finds that a PMS exists under section 773(e) of the Act, then it will modify its dumping calculations appropriately.

Neither section 773(e) of the Act nor 19 CFR 351.301(c)(2)(v) set a deadline for the submission of PMS allegations and supporting factual information. However, in order to administer section 773(e) of the Act, Commerce must receive PMS allegations and supporting factual information with enough time to consider the submission. Thus, should an interested party wish to submit a PMS allegation and supporting new factual information pursuant to section 773(e) of the Act, it must do so no later than 20 days after submission of initial Section D responses.

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OPPORTUNITY TO REQUEST A REVIEW: Not later than the last day of February 2021,² interested parties may request administrative review of the following orders, findings, or suspended investigations, with anniversary dates in February for the following periods:

**Antidumping Duty Proceedings**

- BRAZIL: Carbon and Alloy Steel Cut-to-Length Plate  
  A-351-847  
  2/1/20 - 1/31/21

- INDIA: Certain Cut-To-Length Carbon-Quality Steel Plate  
  A-533-817  
  2/1/20 - 1/31/21

- INDIA: Certain Preserved Mushrooms  
  A-533-813  
  2/1/20 - 1/31/21

- INDIA: Certain Frozen Warmwater Shrimp  
  A-533-840  
  2/1/20 - 1/31/21

- INDIA: Stainless Steel Bar  
  A-533-810  
  2/1/20 - 1/31/21

- INDONESIA: Certain Cut-To-Length Carbon-Quality Steel Plate  
  A-560-805  
  2/1/20 - 1/31/21

- INDONESIA: Certain Preserved Mushrooms  
  A-560-802  
  2/1/20 - 1/31/21

- ITALY: Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings  
  A-475-828  
  2/1/20 - 1/31/21

- JAPAN: Carbon Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings  
  A-588-602  
  2/1/20 - 1/31/21

- MALAYSIA: Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings  
  A-557-809  
  2/1/20 - 1/31/21

- MEXICO: Large Residential Washers  
  A-201-842  
  2/1/20 - 1/31/21

- PHILIPPINES: Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings  
  A-565-801  
  2/1/20 - 1/31/21

- REPUBLIC OF KOREA: Certain Cut-To-Length Carbon-Quality Steel Plate  
  A-580-836  
  2/1/20 - 1/31/21

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² Or the next business day, if the deadline falls on a weekend, federal holiday or any other day when Commerce is closed.
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TURKEY: Certain Carbon and Alloy Steel Cut-To-Length Plate  
A-489-828  
2/1/20 - 1/31/21

Countervailing Duty Proceedings

INDIA: Certain Cut-To-Length Carbon-Quality Steel Plate  
C-533-818  
1/1/20 - 12/31/20

INDIA: Prestressed Concrete Steel Wire Strand  
C-533-829  
1/1/20 - 12/31/20

INDIA: Certain Cold-Drawn Mechanical Tubing of Carbon and Alloy Steel  
C-533-874  
1/1/20 - 12/31/20

INDONESIA: Certain Cut-To-Length Carbon-Quality Steel Plate  
C-560-806  
1/1/20 - 12/31/20

REPUBLIC OF KOREA: Certain Cut-To-Length Carbon-Quality Steel Plate  
C-580-837  
1/1/20 - 12/31/20

SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM: Steel Wire Garment Hangers  
C-552-813  
1/1/20 - 12/31/20

THE PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF CHINA: Cold-Drawn Mechanical Tubing  
C-570-059  
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THE PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF CHINA: Common Alloy Aluminum Sheet  
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THE PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF CHINA: Rubber Bands  
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THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA: Truck and Bus Tires  
C-570-041  
1/1/20 - 12/31/20

THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA: Utility Scale Wind Towers  
C-570-982  
1/1/20 - 12/31/20

Suspension Agreements

None

In accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(b), an interested party as defined by section 771(9) of the Act may request in writing that the Secretary conduct an administrative review. For both antidumping and countervailing duty reviews, the interested party must specify the individual
producers or exporters covered by an antidumping finding or an antidumping or countervailing
duty order or suspension agreement for which it is requesting a review. In addition, a domestic
interested party or an interested party described in section 771(9)(B) of the Act must state why it
desires the Secretary to review those particular producers or exporters. If the interested party
intends for the Secretary to review sales of merchandise by an exporter (or a producer if that
producer also exports merchandise from other suppliers) which was produced in more than one
country of origin and each country of origin is subject to a separate order, then the interested
party must state specifically, on an order-by-order basis, which exporter(s) the request is
intended to cover.

Note that, for any party Commerce was unable to locate in prior segments, Commerce
will not accept a request for an administrative review of that party absent new information as to
the party’s location. Moreover, if the interested party who files a request for review is unable to
locate the producer or exporter for which it requested the review, the interested party must
provide an explanation of the attempts it made to locate the producer or exporter at the same time
it files its request for review, in order for the Secretary to determine if the interested party’s
attempts were reasonable, pursuant to 19 CFR 351.303(f)(3)(ii).

As explained in Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Proceedings: Assessment of
Antidumping Duties, 68 FR 23954 (May 6, 2003), and Non-Market Economy Antidumping
Proceedings: Assessment of Antidumping Duties, 76 FR 65694 (October 24, 2011), Commerce
clarified its practice with respect to the collection of final antidumping duties on imports of
merchandise where intermediate firms are involved. The public should be aware of this
clarification in determining whether to request an administrative review of merchandise subject
to antidumping findings and orders.³

³See the Enforcement and Compliance web site at https://legacy.trade.gov/enforcement/.
Commerce no longer considers the non-market economy (NME) entity as an exporter conditionally subject to an antidumping duty administrative reviews.⁴ Accordingly, the NME entity will not be under review unless Commerce specifically receives a request for, or self-initiates, a review of the NME entity.⁵ In administrative reviews of antidumping duty orders on merchandise from NME countries where a review of the NME entity has not been initiated, but where an individual exporter for which a review was initiated does not qualify for a separate rate, Commerce will issue a final decision indicating that the company in question is part of the NME entity. However, in that situation, because no review of the NME entity was conducted, the NME entity’s entries were not subject to the review and the rate for the NME entity is not subject to change as a result of that review (although the rate for the individual exporter may change as a function of the finding that the exporter is part of the NME entity). Following initiation of an antidumping administrative review when there is no review requested of the NME entity, Commerce will instruct CBP to liquidate entries for all exporters not named in the initiation notice, including those that were suspended at the NME entity rate.

All requests must be filed electronically in Enforcement and Compliance’s Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Centralized Electronic Service System (ACCESS) on Enforcement and Compliance’s ACCESS website at https://access.trade.gov.⁶ Further, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.303(f)(l)(i), a copy of each request must be served on the petitioner and each exporter or producer specified in the request. Note that Commerce has temporarily modified certain of its requirements for serving documents containing business proprietary information, until further notice.⁷

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⁵ In accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(b)(1), parties should specify that they are requesting a review of entries from exporters comprising the entity, and to the extent possible, include the names of such exporters in their request.
⁷ See Temporary Rule Modifying AD/CVD Service Requirements Due to COVID-19, 85 FR 41363 (July 10, 2020).
Commerce will publish in the Federal Register a notice of “Initiation of Administrative Review of Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation” for requests received by the last day of February 2021. If Commerce does not receive, by the last day of February 2021, a request for review of entries covered by an order, finding, or suspended investigation listed in this notice and for the period identified above, Commerce will instruct CBP to assess antidumping or countervailing duties on those entries at a rate equal to the cash deposit of estimated antidumping or countervailing duties required on those entries at the time of entry, or withdrawal from warehouse, for consumption and to continue to collect the cash deposit previously ordered.

For the first administrative review of any order, there will be no assessment of antidumping or countervailing duties on entries of subject merchandise entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption during the relevant provisional-measures “gap” period of the order, if such a gap period is applicable to the period of review.

This notice is not required by statute but is published as a service to the international trading community.


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