



DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

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Certain Potassium Phosphate Salts from the People's Republic of China: Final Results of the Expedited Third Sunset Review of the Countervailing Duty Order

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

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) finds that revocation of the countervailing duty (CVD) order on certain potassium phosphate salts (phosphate salts) from the People's Republic of China (China) would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of countervailable subsidies at the levels indicated in the "Final Results of Sunset Review" section of this notice.

DATES: Applicable [INSERT DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE *FEDERAL REGISTER*].

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On July 22, 2010, Commerce published the CVD order on phosphate salts from China.¹ On June 1, 2026, Commerce published the notice of initiation of the third sunset review of the *Order*, pursuant to section 751(c) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.218(c).² On June 16, 2026, Commerce received a notice of intent to participate in this review from ICL Specialty Products

¹ See *Certain Potassium Phosphate Salts from the People's Republic of China: Countervailing Duty Order*, 75 FR 42682 (July 22, 2010) (*Order*).

² See *Initiation of Five-Year (Sunset) Reviews*, 91 FR 32376 (June 1, 2026).

Inc., within the deadline specified in 19 CFR 351.218(d)(1)(i).³ On June 24, 2026, Commerce received an amendment of the notice of intent to participate to include Prayon, Inc.⁴ The domestic interested parties claimed interested party status under section 771(9)(C) of the Act, as both are producers of the domestic like product in the United States.⁵

On July 1, 2026, Commerce received an adequate substantive response from the domestic interested parties within the 30-day deadline specified in 19 CFR 351.218(d)(3)(i).⁶ Commerce did not receive a substantive response from either the Government of China or a respondent interested party to this proceeding. On December 23, 2020, Commerce notified the U.S. International Trade Commission (ITC) that it did not receive an adequate substantive response from respondent interested parties.⁷ As a result, Commerce conducted an expedited (120-day) sunset review of the *Order*, pursuant to section 751(c)(3)(B) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.218(e)(1)(ii)(B)(2) and (C)(2).

Scope of the *Order*

The product covered by this *Order* is phosphate salts from China. For a full description of the scope of the *Order*, see the Issues and Decisions Memorandum.⁸

Analysis of Comments Received

A complete discussion of all issues raised in this sunset review, including the likelihood of continuation or recurrence of subsidization and the countervailable subsidy rates likely to prevail if the *Order* were to be revoked, is contained in the Issues and Decision Memorandum.⁹ A list of the topics discussed in the Issues and Decision Memorandum is attached as an appendix to this notice. The Issues and Decision Memorandum is a public document and is on file

³ See Domestic Interested Party' Letter, "Notice of Intent to Participate," dated June 16, 2026.

⁴ See Domestic Interested Parties' Letter, "Amendment of Notice of Intent to Participate," dated June 24, 2026.

⁵ *Id.*

⁶ See Domestic Interested Party's Letter, "Substantive Response to Notice of Initiation of Five-Year (Sunset) Review of the Antidumping Duty Order and Countervailing Duty Order" dated July 1, 2026.

⁷ See Commerce's Letter, "Sunset Reviews Initiated on June 1, 2026," dated July 27, 2026.

⁸ See Memorandum, "Issues and Decision Memorandum for the Final Results of the Expedited Third Sunset Review of the Countervailing Duty Order on Certain Potassium Phosphate Salts from the People's Republic of China," dated concurrently with, and hereby adopted by, this notice (Issues and Decision Memorandum).

⁹ *Id.*

electronically via Enforcement and Compliance's Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Centralized Electronic Service System, which is available to registered users at <https://access.trade.gov>. In addition, complete versions of the Issues and Decision Memorandum can be accessed directly at <https://access.trade.gov/frnotices>.

Final Results of Sunset Review

Pursuant to sections 751(c) and 752(b) of the Act, Commerce determines that revocation of the *Order* would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of countervailable subsidies at the following net countervailable subsidy rates:

Company	Net Countervailable Subsidy Rate (percent <i>ad valorem</i>)
Lianyungang Mupro Import Export Co Ltd.	109.11
Mianyang Aostar Phosphate Chemical Industry Co. Ltd.	109.11
Shifang Anda Chemicals Co. Ltd.	109.11
All Others	109.11

Notification Regarding Administrative Protective Order (APO)

This notice also serves as the only reminder to parties subject to an APO of their responsibility concerning the return or destruction of proprietary information disclosed under APO in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305. Timely notification of the return or destruction of APO materials, or conversion to judicial protective, orders is hereby requested. Failure to comply with the regulations and terms of an APO is a violation which is subject to sanction.

Notification to Interested Parties

We are issuing and publishing these final results in accordance with sections 751(c), 752(b), and 777(i)(1) of the Act, and 19 CFR 351.221(c)(5)(ii).

Dated: September 29, 2026.

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Appendix

List of Topics Discussed in the Issues and Decision Memorandum

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