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BROADCASTING BOARD OF GOVERNORS

Sunshine Act Meeting

DATE AND TIME: December 9, 1997; 9:30 a.m.

PLACE: Cohen Building, Room 3321, 330 Independence Ave., S.W., Washington, D.C. 20547.

CLOSED MEETING: The members of the Broadcasting Board of Governors (BBG) will meet in closed session to review and discuss a number of issues relating to U.S. Government-funded nonmilitary international broadcasting. They will address internal procedural, budgetary, and personnel issues, as well as sensitive foreign policy issues relating to potential options in the U.S. international broadcasting field. This meeting is closed because if open it likely would either disclose matters that would be properly classified to be kept secret in the interest of foreign policy under the appropriate executive order (5 U.S.C. 552b.(c)(1)) or would disclose information the premature disclosure of which would be likely to significantly frustrate implementation of a proposed agency action. (5 U.S.C. 552b.(c)(9)(B)) In addition, part of the discussion will relate solely to the internal personnel and organizational issues of the BBG or the International Broadcasting Bureau. (5 U.S.C. 552b.(c) (2) and (6))

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Persons interested in obtaining more information should contact Brenda Thomas at (202) 401–3736.

Dated: December 1, 1997.

David W. Burke,

Chairman.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration [C-201-810]

Cut-to-Length Steel Plate From Mexico; Rescission of Countervailing Duty Administrative Review

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of Rescission of Countervailing Duty Administrative Review.

SUMMARY: On September 25, 1997, in response to a request from the respondent, the Department of Commerce initiated an administrative review of the countervailing duty order on cut-to-length steel plate from Mexico. The review covers the period January 1, 1996 through December 31, 1996. In accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), the Department is now rescinding this review because the respondent has withdrawn its request for review.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 3, 1997.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Robert Copyak or Constance Cunningham, Office of CVD/AD Enforcement VI, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–2786.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On August 29, 1997, the Department received a request for an administrative review of the countervailing duty order from Altos Hornos de Mexico S.A. de C.V. ("AHMSA"), for the period January 1, 1996 through December 31, 1996. On September 25, 1997, the Department published in the **Federal Register** (62 FR 50292) a notice of "Initiation of Countervailing Duty Administrative Review" initiating the administrative review. On November 4, 1997, AHMSA withdrew its request for review.

The applicable regulation, 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), stipulates that the Secretary may permit a party that requested an administrative review to withdraw the request within 90 days of the date of publication of notice of initiation of the requested review. In this case, the respondent has withdrawn

its request within the 90 day period. No other interested party requested a review, and we have received no other submissions regarding AHMSA's withdrawal of its request for review. Therefore, we are rescinding this review of the countervailing duty order on cutto-length steel plate from Mexico.

This notice is published in accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(d)(4).

Dated: November 21, 1997.

Louis Apple,

Review.

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, Group II, Import Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration [C-557-806]

Extruded Rubber Thread From Malaysia; Rescission of Countervailing Duty Administrative Review

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce. **ACTION:** Notice of Rescission of Countervailing Duty Administrative

summary: On September 25, 1997, in response to a request from the respondents, the Department of Commerce initiated an administrative review of the countervailing duty order on extruded rubber thread from Malaysia. The review covers the period January 1, 1996 through December 31, 1996. In accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), the Department is now rescinding this review because the respondents have withdrawn their request for review.

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 3, 1997.
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