

and basic data may be reviewed by contacting Janet L. Oertly.

No administrative action on implementation of the proposal will be taken until thirty (30) days after the date of this publication in the **Federal Register**.

(This activity is listed in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 10.904—Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention and is subject to the provisions of Executive Order 12372 which requires intergovernmental consultation with State and local officials)

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**International Trade Administration**

**Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative reviews**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of initiation of antidumping and countervailing duty administrative reviews.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce has received requests to conduct administrative reviews of various antidumping and countervailing duty orders and findings with December anniversary dates. In accordance with our regulations, we are initiating those administrative reviews.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** January 25, 1999.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Holly A. Kuga, Office of AD/CVD

Enforcement, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230, telephone: (202) 482-4737.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Background**

The Department of Commerce (the Department) has received timely requests, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(b) (1997), for administrative reviews of various antidumping and countervailing duty orders and findings with December anniversary dates.

**Initiation of Reviews**

In accordance with section 19 CFR 351.221(c)(1)(i), we are initiating administrative reviews of the following antidumping and countervailing duty orders and findings. We intend to issue the final results of these reviews not later than December 31, 1999.

|   | Period to be reviewed |
|---|-----------------------|
| <b>Antidumping Duty Proceedings</b>   |                       |
| Canada: Elemental Sulphur A-122-047 .....<br>Husky Oil Limited<br>Petrosul International  | 12/1/97-11/30/98      |
| India: Certain Stainless Steel Wire Rod A-533-808 .....<br>Panchmahal Steel Limited<br>Viraji Alloys Ltd.   | 12/1/97-11/30/98      |
| Japan: Polychloroprene Rubber A-588-046 .....<br>Denki Kagaku Kogyo Kabushiki Kaisha<br>Tosoh Corporations  | 12/1/97-11/30/98      |
| Mexico: Porcelain-On-Steel Cooking Ware A-201-504 .....<br>Cinsa, S.A. de C.V.<br>Esmaltaciones de Norte America, S.A. de C.V.                                      | 12/1/97-11/30/98      |
| Republic of Korea: Welded ASTM A-312 Stainless Steel Pipe A-580-810 .....<br>SeAH Steel   | 12/1/97-11/30/98      |
| Taiwan: Welded ASTM A-312 Stainless Steel Pipe A-583-815 .....<br>Ta Chen Stainless Steel Pipe  | 12/1/97-11/30/98      |
| The People's Republic of China: Silicomanganese <sup>1</sup> A-570-828 .....<br>Guangxi Bayi Ferroalloy Works<br>Sichuan Emei Ferroalloy Import and Export Co., Ltd | 12/1/97-11/30/98      |
| The People's Republic of China: Porcelain-on-Steel Cooking Ware <sup>2</sup> A-570-506 .....<br>Clover Enamelware Enterprises Ltd./Lucky Enamelware Factory Limited | 12/1/97-11/30/98      |
| Countervailing Duty Proceedings:<br>None.   |                       |
| Suspension Agreements:<br>None.   |                       |

<sup>1</sup> If one of the above named companies does not qualify for a separate rate, all other exporters of silicomanganese from the People's Republic of China who have not qualified for a separate rate are deemed to be covered by this review as part of the single PRC entity of which the named exporters are a part.

<sup>2</sup> If one of the above named companies does not qualify for a separate rate, all other exporters of porcelain-on-steel cooking ware from the People's Republic of China who have not qualified for a separate rate are deemed to be covered by this review as part of the single PRC entity of which the named exporters are a part.

During any administrative review covering all or part of a period falling between the first and second or third and fourth anniversary of the publication of an antidumping duty order under section 351.211 or a determination under 351.218(d) (sunset review), the Secretary, if requested by a domestic interested party within 30

days of the date of publication of the notice of initiation of the review, will determine whether antidumping duties have been absorbed by an exporter or producer subject to the review if the subject merchandise is sold in the United States through an importer that is affiliated with such exporter or producer. The request must include the

name(s) of the exporter or producer for which the inquiry is requested.

For transition orders defined in section 751(c)(6) of the Act, the Secretary will apply paragraph (j)(1) of this section to any administrative review initiated in 1996 or 1998 (19 CFR 351.213(j)(1-2)).

Interested parties must submit applications for disclosure under administrative protective orders in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305.

These initiations and this notice are in accordance with section 751(a) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (19 U.S.C. 1675(a)), and 19 CFR 351.221(c)(1)(i).

Dated: January 19, 1999.

**Holly A. Kuga,**

*Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[C-408-046]

#### **Sugar From the European Community: Extension of Time Limit for Preliminary Results of Five-Year Review**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of extension of time limit for preliminary results of five-year ("sunset") review.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce ("the Department") is extending the time limit for the preliminary results of the sunset review on the countervailing duty order on sugar from the European Community. Based on adequate responses from domestic and respondent interested parties, the Department is conducting a full sunset review to determine whether revocation of the order would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of a countervailable subsidy. As a result of this extension, the Department intends to issue its preliminary results not later than April 19, 1999.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** January 25, 1999.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Scott E. Smith or Melissa G. Skinner, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Pennsylvania Avenue and 14th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482-6397, or (202) 482-1560 respectively.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

#### **Extension of Preliminary Results**

The Department has determined that the sunset review of the countervailing duty order on sugar from the European Community is extraordinarily complicated. In accordance with section 751(c)(5)(C)(v) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended ("the Act"), the Department

may treat a review as extraordinarily complicated if it is a review of a transition order (*i.e.*, an order in effect on January 1, 1995). See section 751(c)(6)(C) of the Act. The Department is extending the time limit for completion of the preliminary results of this review until not later than April 19, 1999, in accordance with section 751(c)(5)(B) of the Act. The final results of this review will, therefore, be due not later than August 27, 1999.

Dated: January 19, 1999.

**Robert S. LaRussa,**

*Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[A-401-040]

#### **Notice of Extension of Time Limit for Antidumping Duty Administrative Review of Stainless Steel Plate From Sweden**

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

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** January 25, 1999.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce (the Department) is extending the time limit for the preliminary results of the antidumping duty administrative review of the antidumping order on stainless steel plate from Sweden covering the period June 1, 1997 through May 31, 1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jonathon Lyons or Nithya Nagarajan, AD/CVD Enforcement Office 7, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230, telephone (202) 482-0374 or 482-4243, respectively.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Under section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Tariff Act, as amended (the Act), the Department may extend the deadline for completion of an administrative review if its determines that it is not practicable to complete the review within the statutory time limit of 365 days. In the instant case, the Department has determined that is not practicable to complete the review within the statutory time limit. See Memorandum from Joseph A. Spetrini to Robert S. LaRussa (January 11, 1999).

Therefore, in accordance with section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act, the Department

is extending the time limit for the preliminary results until June 30, 1999.

Dated: January 14, 1999.

**Joseph A. Spetrini,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary, Enforcement Group III.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[A-122-085]

#### **Sugar and Syrups From Canada: Extension of Time Limit for Preliminary Results of Five-Year Review**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of extension of time limit for preliminary results of five-year ("sunset") review.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce ("the Department") is extending the time limit for the preliminary results of the sunset review on the antidumping duty order on sugar and syrups from Canada. Based on adequate responses from domestic and respondent interested parties, the Department is conducting a full sunset review to determine whether revocation of the order would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of dumping. As a result of this extension, the Department intends to issue its preliminary results not later than April 19, 1999.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** January 25, 1999.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Scott E. Smith or Melissa G. Skinner, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Pennsylvania Avenue and 14th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482-6397, or (202) 482-1560 respectively.

#### **Extension of Preliminary Results**

The Department has determined that the sunset review of the antidumping duty order on sugar and syrups from Canada is extraordinarily complicated. In accordance with section 751(c)(5)(C)(v) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended ("the Act"), the Department may treat a review as extraordinarily complicated if it is a review of a transition order (*i.e.*, an order in effect on January 1, 1995). See section 751(c)(6)(C) of the Act. The Department is extending the time limit for completion of the preliminary results of this review until not later than April 19,