

## Written Submissions

Each party who is an interested party shall submit a prehearing brief to the Commission. Prehearing briefs must conform with the provisions of section 207.23 of the Commission's rules; the deadline for filing is February 21, 1997. Parties may also file written testimony in connection with their presentation at the hearing, as provided in section 207.24 of the Commission's rules, and posthearing briefs, which must conform with the provisions of section 207.25 of the Commission's rules. The deadline for filing posthearing briefs is March 6, 1997; witness testimony must be filed no later than three days before the hearing. In addition, any person who has not entered an appearance as a party to the investigation may submit a written statement of information pertinent to the subject of the investigation on or before March 6, 1997. On March 25, 1997, the Commission will make available to parties all information on which they have not had an opportunity to comment. Parties may submit final comments on this information on or before March 27, 1997, but such final comments must not contain new factual information and must otherwise comply with section 207.30 of the Commission's rules. All written submissions must conform with the provisions of section 201.8 of the Commission's rules; any submissions that contain BPI must also conform with the requirements of sections 201.6, 207.3, and 207.7 of the Commission's rules.

In accordance with sections 201.16(c) and 207.3 of the Commission's rules, each document filed by a party to the investigation must be served on all other parties to the investigation (as identified by either the public or BPI service list), and a certificate of service must be timely filed. The Secretary will not accept a document for filing without a certificate of service.

Authority: This investigation is being conducted under authority of title VII of the Tariff Act of 1930; this notice is published pursuant to section 207.21 of the Commission's rules.

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By order of the Commission.

Donna R. Koehnke,  
Secretary.

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## [Investigation 332-371]

**Cattle and Beef: Impact of the NAFTA and the Uruguay Round Agreements on U.S. Trade**

**AGENCY:** United States International Trade Commission.

**ACTION:** Institution of investigation and scheduling of hearing.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** October 28, 1996.

**SUMMARY:** As required by section 58 of the Miscellaneous Trade and Technical Corrections Act of 1996 (Act), (Pub. L. 104-295, Oct. 11, 1996, 110 Stat 3514, 3557), the Commission has instituted Investigation No. 332-371, under section 332(g) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1332(g)) for the purpose of conducting a study and preparing a report on (1) the impact of the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) and the Uruguay Round Agreements on United States imports and exports of live cattle for slaughter and fresh, chilled, and frozen beef; and (2) the steps that have been taken by the United States, since the enactment of the NAFTA, to prevent the transshipment of live cattle and fresh, chilled, and frozen beef through Mexico and Canada for importation into the United States. As directed by the Act, the Commission will transmit its report to the House Committee on Ways and Means and Senate Committee on Finance no later than 270 days after the date of enactment, or by July 7, 1997.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Information on industry aspects may be obtained from David Ludwick, Office of Industries (202-205-3329) or William Lipovsky, Office of Industries (202-205-3330), and legal aspects, from William Gearhart, Office of the General Counsel (202-205-3091). The media should contact Margaret O'Laughlin, Office of External Relations (202-205-1819). Hearing impaired individuals are advised that information on this matter can be obtained by contacting the TDD terminal on (202-205-1810).

**PUBLIC HEARING:** A public hearing in connection with the investigation will be held at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building, 500 E Street SW, Washington, DC, beginning at 9:30 a.m. on March 20, 1997. All persons will have the right to appear, by counsel or in person, to present information and to be heard. Requests to appear at the public hearing should be filed with the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW, Washington, DC 20436, no later than 5:15 p.m., March 6, 1997. Any prehearing briefs (original and 14 copies) should be filed not later than

5:15 p.m., March 10, 1997; the deadline for filing posthearing briefs or statements is 5:15 p.m., April 3, 1997. In the event that, as of the close of business on March 6, 1997, no witnesses are scheduled to appear at the hearing, the hearing will be canceled. Any person interested in attending the hearing as an observer or non-participant may call the Secretary to the Commission (202-205-1816) after March 6, 1997, to determine whether the hearing will be held.

**WRITTEN SUBMISSIONS:** In lieu of or in addition to participating in the public hearing, interested persons are invited to submit written statements concerning the matters to be addressed in the report. Commercial or financial information that a party desires the Commission to treat as confidential must be submitted on separate sheets of paper, each clearly marked "Confidential Business Information" at the top. All submissions requesting confidential treatment must conform with the requirements of section 201.6 of the Commission's *Rules of Practice and Procedure* (19 CFR 201.6). All written submissions, except for confidential business information, will be made available for inspection by interested persons in the Office of the Secretary to the Commission. To be assured of consideration by the Commission, written statements relating to the Commission's report should be submitted at the earliest practical date and should be received no later than April 3, 1997. All submissions should be addressed to the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW, Washington, DC 20436.

Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at 202-205-2000.

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Donna R. Koehnke,  
Secretary.

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## [Investigation No. 731-TA-745 (Final)]

**Steel Concrete Reinforcing Bars From Turkey**

**AGENCY:** United States International Trade Commission.

**ACTION:** Scheduling of the final phase of an antidumping investigation.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission hereby gives notice of the scheduling of the final phase of antidumping investigation No.

731-TA-745 (Final) under section 735(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. § 1673d(b)) (the Act) to determine whether an industry in the United States is materially injured or threatened with material injury, or the establishment of an industry in the United States is materially retarded, by reason of less-than-fair-value imports from Turkey of steel concrete reinforcing bars, provided for in subheadings 7213.10.00 and 7214.20.00 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States.<sup>1</sup>

For further information concerning the conduct of this phase of the investigation, hearing procedures, and rules of general application, consult the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, part 201, subparts A through E (19 CFR part 201), and part 207, subparts A and C (19 CFR part 207), as amended by 61 FR 37818, July 22, 1996.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** October 10, 1996.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Woodley Timberlake (202-205-3188), Office of Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission, 500 E Street SW, Washington, DC 20436. Hearing-impaired persons can obtain information on this matter by contacting the Commission's TDD terminal on 202-205-1810. Persons with mobility impairments who will need special assistance in gaining access to the Commission should contact the Office of the Secretary at 202-205-2000. General information concerning the Commission may also be obtained by accessing its internet server (<http://www.usitc.gov> or <ftp://ftp.usitc.gov>).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Background**

The final phase of this investigation is being scheduled as a result of an affirmative preliminary determination by the Department of Commerce that imports of steel concrete reinforcing bars from Turkey are being sold in the United States at less than fair value within the meaning of section 733 of the Act (19 U.S.C. § 1673b). The investigation was requested in a petition filed on March 8, 1996, by AmeriSteel Corporation (Tampa, FL) and New Jersey Steel Corporation (Sayreville, NJ).

**Participation in the Investigation and Public Service List**

Persons, including industrial users of the subject merchandise and, if the merchandise is sold at the retail level, representative consumer organizations, wishing to participate in the final phase of this investigation as parties must file an entry of appearance with the Secretary to the Commission, as provided in section 201.11 of the Commission's rules, no later than 21 days prior to the hearing date specified in this notice. A party that filed a notice of appearance during the preliminary phase of the investigation need not file an additional notice of appearance during this final phase. The Secretary will maintain a public service list containing the names and addresses of all persons, or their representatives, who are parties to the investigation.

**Limited Disclosure of Business Proprietary Information (BPI) Under an Administrative Protective Order (APO) and BPI Service List**

Pursuant to section 207.7(a) of the Commission's rules, the Secretary will make BPI gathered in the final phase of this investigation available to authorized applicants under the APO issued in the investigation, provided that the application is made no later than 21 days prior to the hearing date specified in this notice. Authorized applicants must represent interested parties, as defined by 19 U.S.C. § 1677(9), who are parties to the investigation. A party granted access to BPI in the preliminary phase of the investigation need not reapply for such access. A separate service list will be maintained by the Secretary for those parties authorized to receive BPI under the APO.

**Staff Report**

The prehearing staff report in the final phase of this investigation will be placed in the nonpublic record on February 12, 1997, and a public version will be issued thereafter, pursuant to section 207.22 of the Commission's rules.

**Hearing**

The Commission will hold a hearing in connection with the final phase of this investigation beginning at 9:30 a.m. on February 26, 1997, at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building. Requests to appear at the hearing should be filed in writing with the Secretary to the Commission on or before February 14, 1997. A nonparty who has testimony that may aid the Commission's deliberations may request permission to present a short statement

at the hearing. All parties and nonparties desiring to appear at the hearing and make oral presentations should attend a prehearing conference to be held at 9:30 a.m. on February 19, 1997, at the U.S. International Trade Commission Building. Oral testimony and written materials to be submitted at the public hearing are governed by sections 201.6(b)(2), 201.13(f), and 207.24 of the Commission's rules. Parties must submit any request to present a portion of their hearing testimony *in camera* no later than 7 days prior to the date of the hearing.

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<sup>1</sup> For purposes of this investigation, Commerce has defined the subject merchandise as "all stock deformed steel concrete reinforcing bars sold in straight lengths and coils. This includes all hot-rolled deformed rebar rolled from billet steel, rail steel axle steel, or low-alloy steel. It excludes (i) plain round rebar, (ii) rebar that a processor has further worked or fabricated, and (iii) all coated rebar."

pursuant to section 207.21 of the Commission's rules.

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Secretary.

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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

### Office of the Secretary

#### Agency Recordkeeping/Reporting Requirements Under Emergency Review by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB)

October 24, 1996.

The Department of Labor has submitted the following emergency processing public information collection request (ICR) to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (P.L. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). OMB approval has been requested by November 12, 1996. A copy of this ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by calling the Department of Labor Acting Departmental Clearance Officer, Theresa M. O'Malley (202-219-5096 x.166).

Comments and questions about the ICR listed below should be forwarded to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attn: OMB Desk Officer for the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration, Office of Management and Budget, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503; (202) 396-7316.

The Office of Management and Budget is particularly interested in comments which:

- \* Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

- \* Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

- \* Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

- \* Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology,

e.g., permitting electronic submissions of response.

**Agency:** Employment and Training Administration.

**Title:** Reporting Requirements Pursuant to *The National Job Analysis Survey (NJAS)*.

**OMB Number:** 1205-0343.

**Frequency:** A one-time survey administration to collect information on generalized work behaviors and elements of high performance work environments.

**Affected Public:** Businesses or other for-profit, Not-for-profit institutions, Federal, State, Local or Tribal Government.

**Number of Respondents:** 5,925.

**Estimated Time Per Respondent:** The burden to an organization responding to the Phase 2 survey and the Environmental Survey is 2.85 hours, which includes the contact person, two incumbents for the Phase 2 survey, and the respondent for the environmental survey.

**Total Burden Hours:** NJAS Phase Survey and Environmental Survey = 6,901 hours.

**Total Burden Cost (capital/startup; operating/maintaining):** \$107,440.79.

**Description:** This emergency clearance is needed in order to complete Phase 2 survey work of the National Job Analysis Study (NJAS), by May 1997. This project is jointly funded by the Departments of Labor and Education. Phase 2 of the NJAS will verify the generalized work behaviors across occupations identified from Phase 1, determine when the behaviors are first needed on the job and link the behaviors to organizational characteristics like high performance. The NJAS survey in Phase 2 will be sent to a group of approximately 6,000 job incumbents in 3,000 organizations. This survey will ask the job incumbents the frequency and importance of the behaviors, and the point at which the behaviors are first needed on the job. A separate survey, the High Performance Workplace Environmental Survey will also be sent to managers in the organizations sampled, asking about the structure, culture, climate, and characteristics of their organizations. Data analyses will provide information about how the behaviors from the NJAS survey are linked to various organizational characteristic and a list of generalized cross-occupational skills that can serve as a framework for creating assessments of workplace skills, classifying/reclassifying jobs, setting skill standards for industries, and determining what behaviors should be taught in school or on-the-job for use

by business, educational, community organizations and others interested in assessing the generalized work behaviors of their clients.

Theresa M. O'Malley,

Acting Departmental Clearance Officer.

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## Employment and Training Administration

### Investigations Regarding Certifications of Eligibility To Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance

Petitions have been filed with the Secretary of Labor under Section 221(a) of the Trade Act of 1974 ("the Act") and are identified in the Appendix to this notice. Upon receipt of these petitions, the Program Manager of the Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, has instituted investigations pursuant to Section 221(a) of the Act.

The purpose of each of the investigations is to determine whether the workers are eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under Title II, Chapter 2, of the Act. The investigations will further relate, as appropriate, to the determination of the date on which total or partial separations began or threatened to begin and the subdivision of the firm involved.

The petitioners or any other persons showing a substantial interest in the subject matter of the investigations may request a public hearing, provided such request is filed in writing with the Program Manager, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than November 18, 1996.

Interested persons are invited to submit written comments regarding the subject matter of the investigations to the Program Manager, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, at the address shown below, not later than November 18, 1996.

The petitions filed in this case are available for inspection at the Office of the Program Manager, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance, Employment and Training Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20210.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 15th day of October, 1996.

Linda G. Poole,

Acting Program Manager, Policy & Reemployment Services, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.