

**Determination**

As a result of this determination by the Commission that revocation of this antidumping duty order would not be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of material injury to an industry in the United States, the Department, pursuant to section 751(d)(2) of the Act, is revoking the antidumping duty order on potassium permanganate from Spain. Pursuant to section 751(c)(6)(A)(iv) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.222(i)(2), the effective date of revocation is January 1, 2000. The Department will instruct the U.S. Customs Service to discontinue suspension of liquidation and collection of cash deposits on entries of the subject merchandise entered or withdrawn from warehouse on or after January 1, 2000 (the effective date). The Department will complete any pending administrative reviews of this order and will conduct administrative reviews of subject merchandise entered prior to the effective date of revocation in response to appropriately filed requests for review.

Dated: November 18, 1999.

**Joseph A. Spetrini,**

*Acting Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE****International Trade Administration**

[A-851-802, A-485-805, A-201-827]

**Notice of Postponement of Preliminary Antidumping Duty Determinations: Certain Small and Large Diameter Carbon and Alloy Seamless Standard, Line and Pressure Pipe From the Czech Republic, Romania and Mexico**

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

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** November 24, 1999.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dennis McClure or Magd Zalok, DAS Group II, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone (202) 482-0984, or (202) 482-4162, respectively.

**Postponement of Preliminary Determination**

The Department of Commerce ("the Department") is postponing the preliminary determinations in these antidumping duty investigations of

certain small and large diameter carbon and alloy seamless standard, line and pressure pipe from the Czech Republic, Romania, and Mexico. As a result of this extension, the deadline for issuing the preliminary determinations in these investigations is now January 26, 2000.

On July 28, 1999, the Department initiated antidumping investigations of certain small and large diameter carbon and alloy seamless standard, line and pressure pipe from the Czech Republic, Romania, and from Mexico. *See Initiation of Antidumping Duty Investigations: Certain Large Diameter Carbon and Alloy Seamless Standard, Line and Pressure Pipe From Japan and Mexico; and Certain Small Diameter Carbon and Alloy Seamless Standard, Line and Pressure Pipe From the Czech Republic, Japan, the Republic of South Africa and Romania*, 64 FR 40825. The notice stated that the Department would issue its preliminary determinations no later than 140 days after the date of initiation (*i.e.*, December 7, 1999).

Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.205(e), on November 10, 1999, the petitioners filed requests that the Department postpone the small diameter pipe preliminary determinations for the Czech Republic and Romania. The petitioners' request for postponement was timely, and the Department finds no compelling reason to deny the request.

Further, the Department has now concluded, consistent with section 733(c)(1)(B) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended ("the Act"), that the Mexican investigation of large diameter pipe is extraordinarily complicated, and that additional time is necessary to issue the preliminary determination, due to (a) the complexity of the issues raised in this case, requiring the issuance of supplemental questionnaires, and (b) the inherent difficulty of coordinating the analysis of cross-cutting issues for several related antidumping investigations (*i.e.*, whether certain merchandise constitutes a separate class or kind of merchandise). Therefore, in accordance with section 733(c)(1)(A) of the Act, the Department is postponing these preliminary determinations until January 26, 2000.

This extension is in accordance with section 733(c) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.205(b)(2).

Dated: November 17, 1999.

**Joseph A. Spetrini,**

*Acting Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE****International Trade Administration**

[A-583-827]

**Static Random Access Memory Semiconductors From Taiwan; Antidumping Duty New Shipper Review and First Administrative Review; Time Limits**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of extension of time limits of final results of 1997-1998 New Shipper Review and of Preliminary Results of 1997-1999 Administrative Review.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** November 24, 1999.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Shawn Thompson at (202) 482-1776, or Irina Itkin at (202) 482-0656, Office of AD/CVD Enforcement, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC, 20230.

**Postponement of Final Results of New Shipper Review and Preliminary Results of Administrative Review**

The Department issued the preliminary results of the new shipper review of the antidumping duty order on static random access memory semiconductors from Taiwan on October 4, 1999 (64 FR 55251 (October 12, 1999)). The current deadline for the final results in this review is December 31, 1999. In accordance with section 751(a)(2)(B)(iv) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (the "Act"), as amended, and 19 CFR 351.214(i)(2), the Department finds that this new shipper review cannot be completed within the original time frame due to the extraordinarily complicated nature of certain issues in this review. Thus, the Department is extending the time limit for completion of the final results of the new shipper review until March 2, 2000, which is 150 days after the date on which the preliminary results were issued. *See* memorandum to Robert LaRussa, dated November 17, 1999.

Moreover, because it is not practicable to complete the administrative review within the time limits mandated by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act (245 days from the last day of the anniversary month for preliminary results, 120 additional days for final results), pursuant to section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act, and 19 CFR 351.213(h)(2), the Department is extending the time limit for completion of the preliminary results of the administrative review

until April 29, 2000. See memorandum to Robert LaRussa, dated November 17, 1999.

These extensions are in accordance with sections 751(a)(2)(B)(iv) and 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act.

Dated: November 17, 1999.

**Louis Apple,**

*Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[A-580-841 and A-588-852]

#### **Structural Steel Beams From South Korea and Japan; Notice of Postponement of Preliminary Determinations in Antidumping Duty Investigations**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of postponement of preliminary determinations for antidumping duty investigations of structural steel beams from South Korea and Japan.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce ("the Department") is postponing the preliminary determinations in the antidumping duty investigations of structural steel beams from South Korea and Japan. These investigations cover nine manufacturers and exporters of the subject merchandise (two from South Korea and seven from Japan) during the period July 1, 1998 through June 30, 1999.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** November 24, 1999.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Jim Doyle (Japan), at (202) 482-0159 and Rick Johnson (South Korea), at (202) 482-3818, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230.

#### **Postponement of Preliminary Determinations**

On August 3, 1999, the Department initiated antidumping duty investigations of imports of structural steel beams from Germany, Spain, Japan and South Korea. The notice of initiation stated that we would issue our preliminary determinations by December 14, 1999. See 64 FR 42084 (August 3, 1999).

On September 1, 1999, the U.S. International Trade Commission ruled

that there was no reasonable indication that an industry in the United States is materially injured or threatened with material injury, or that the establishment of an industry in the United States is materially injured or threatened with material injury, or that the establishment of an industry in the United States is materially retarded, by reason of imports from Germany and Spain of certain structural steel beams. See *Certain Structural Steel Beams From Germany, Japan, Korea, and Spain*, 64 FR 47866 (September 1, 1999). Hence, in accordance with section 351.207(d) of the Department's regulations, the investigations regarding structural steel beam imports from Germany and Spain are automatically terminated.

On November 2, 1999, petitioners made a timely request pursuant to 19 CFR 351.205(e) for a 50 day postponement, pursuant to section 733(c)(1)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930 ("the Act"), as amended by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act. Petitioners stated that a postponement of the preliminary determinations is necessary in order to give the Department time to address the complicated issues in the Korean investigations. Also, petitioners requested that the Department postpone the preliminary determination for Japan to keep the investigations aligned.

Therefore, the Department is postponing the preliminary determinations of the Japanese and Korean investigations by 50 days, to February 2, 2000.

This notice is published pursuant to section 733(c)(2) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.205(f).

Dated: November 16, 1999.

**Joseph A. Spetrini,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary, AD/CVD Enforcement Group III.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[A-834-803]

#### **Titanium Sponge From the Republic of Kazakhstan; Notice of Final Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of Final Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review.

**SUMMARY:** On September 9, 1999, the Department of Commerce (the Department) published the preliminary results of its administrative review of the antidumping finding on titanium sponge from the Republic of Kazakhstan (Kazakhstan). This review covers one manufacturer/exporter, Ust-Kamenogorsk Titanium and Magnesium Plant, and an affiliated exporter, Specialty Metals Company. The period of review (POR) is August 1, 1997, through July 31, 1998. We gave interested parties an opportunity to comment on the preliminary results of review but received no comments. These final results of review have not changed from those presented in the preliminary results of review.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** November 24, 1999.

#### **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Mark Manning, Office of AD/CVD Enforcement, Office 4, Group II, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone (202) 482-3936.

#### **Applicable Statute**

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the statute are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act) by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act (URAA). In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department's regulations are to 19 CFR part 351 (1998).

#### **Scope of Review**

The product covered by this administrative review is titanium sponge from Kazakhstan. Titanium sponge is chiefly used for aerospace vehicles, specifically, in construction of compressor blades and wheels, stator blades, rotors, and other parts in aircraft gas turbine engines. Imports of titanium sponge are currently classifiable under the harmonized tariff schedule (HTS) subheading 8108.10.50.10. The HTS subheading is provided for convenience and U.S. Customs purposes. Our written description of the scope of this proceeding is dispositive.

#### **Background**

On September 8, 1999, we published in the **Federal Register** (64 FR 48793) the preliminary results of the review of this finding. We gave interested parties an opportunity to comment on our preliminary results. We received no comments. In the preliminary results, we determined the weighted-average dumping margin for the period August