Appendix E. Category IV Petitions

As required by Section 3(b)(3)(E) of the AMCA, the following table provides a list of petitions for duty suspensions and reductions for which the Commission recommends modifications to the scope of the articles that are the subject of such petitions to address objections by domestic producers to such petitions, with the modifications specified and updated as appropriate under subparagraph (D). These petitions are referred to as "Category IV Petitions" for the purposes of this final report.

Click on the petition identification number (ID) bookmark listing to link to a detailed summary for a specific petition. If your petition ID does not appear in the first column it may have been consolidated. Please refer to Appendix A to identify the Master petition ID.

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Final Report - Petition 222

Overview
Final Category: IV
Preliminary Report Updated: Yes
Petitioner: PetSmart Home Office, Inc.
Petitioner Location: Phoenix, AZ 85027
Product Name: Plastic pet carriers
HTS Number: 4202.99.90
Chapter 99 Number: N/A
CAS Number: N/A
Article Description: Carrying cases of hard plastics, each with handle and door of plastics and with no door of metal, the foregoing designed for use for reptiles or amphibians and not for the housing or transport of mammals, measuring not over 381 mm on any side (provided for in subheading 4202.99.90)

Technical Comments: The Commission modified the article description to more closely reflect HTS nomenclature or usage.
The Commission modified the article description to address an objection from a domestic producer.

Final Report Comments: Based on comment(s) received after delivery of the preliminary report and confirmation of agreement between petitioner and objector(s), the Commission modified the article description to address an objection from a domestic producer. The technical comments have been updated from the preliminary report to reflect changes to the article description. The Commission reassigned the petition from category VI to category IV.

USITC Petition Findings and Determinations Summary

Proposed Duty Rate: Free

Estimated Revenue Loss:  
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Final Report - Petition 222

Petition Determinations:

- Domestic Production: No
- Domestic Producer Objection: No
- Relief Sought Is Available to Any Importer: Yes
- Petitioner Is A Likely Beneficiary: Yes
- Relief Can Likely Be Administered by CBP: Yes
- Revenue Loss Does Not Exceed $500,000 In A Calendar Year: Yes

Department of Commerce Report Summary

- Commerce Domestic Production Determination: Yes
- Commerce Producer Objection Determination: Yes
- CBP Technical Changes Required: No
Final Report - Petition 572

Overview
Final Category: IV
Preliminary Report Updated: Yes
Petitioner: Sterling Fibers, Inc.
Petitioner Location: Pace, FL 32571
Product Name: Acrylic fiber tow
HTS Number: 5501.30.00
Chapter 99 Number: N/A
CAS Number: N/A
Article Description: Acrylic fiber tow containing at least 85 percent but not more than 92 percent by weight of acrylonitrile units, containing a minimum of 35 percent by weight of water, presented in the form of raw white (undyed) filament with an average filament measure between 2 and 5 decitex per filament and an aggregate measure in the tow bundle between 660,000 and 1,200,000 decitex, with a length greater than 2 meters (provided for in subheading 5501.30.00)
Technical Comments: The Commission modified the article description to more closely reflect HTS nomenclature or usage.
The Commission modified the article description to address an objection from a domestic producer.
Final Report Comments: Based on comment(s) received after delivery of the preliminary report and confirmation of agreement between petitioner and objector(s), the Commission modified the article description to address an objection from a domestic producer. The technical comments have been updated from the preliminary report to reflect changes to the article description. The Commission reassigned the petition from category VI to category IV.

USITC Petition Findings and Determinations Summary
Petition Findings:
Proposed Duty Rate: Free
Estimated Revenue Loss: 2018 2019 2020 2021
$135,000 $135,000 $135,000 $135,000
Likely Beneficiaries: None
Final Report - Petition 572

Petition Determinations:

Domestic Production: No
Domestic Producer Objection: No
Relief Sought Is Available to Any Importer: Yes
Petitioner Is A Likely Beneficiary: Yes
Relief Can Likely Be Administered by CBP: Yes
Revenue Loss Does Not Exceed $500,000 In A Calendar Year: Yes

Department of Commerce Report Summary

Commerce Domestic Production Determination: No
Commerce Producer Objection Determination: No
CBP Technical Changes Required: No
Final Report - Petition 2265

Overview
Final Category: IV
Preliminary Report Updated: No
Petitioner: Corning Incorporated
Petitioner Location: Corning, NY 14831
Product Name: Glass beads from 3-6 mm in diameter
HTS Number: 7002.10.10
Chapter 99 Number: N/A
CAS Number: N/A
Article Description: Glass in balls (other than microspheres of heading 7018), unworked and not comprising made-up articles, each measuring over 3 mm but not over 6 mm in diameter (provided for in subheading 7002.10.10)

Technical Comments: The Commission modified the article description to address an objection from a domestic producer.
The Commission modified the article description to more closely reflect HTS nomenclature or usage, taking into account input from U.S. Customs and Border Protection.

Final Report Comments: No Final Report Comments

USITC Petition Findings and Determinations Summary

Petition Findings:
Proposed Duty Rate: Free
Estimated Revenue Loss: 2018 2019 2020 2021
$110,000 $120,000 $120,000 $120,000

Likely Beneficiaries: Cer-O-Glass Technologies, Inc., Kimble Chase

Petition Determinations:
Domestic Production: No
Domestic Producer Objection: No
Relief Sought Is Available to Any Importer: Yes
Petitioner Is A Likely Beneficiary: Yes
Relief Can Likely Be Administered by CBP: Yes
Revenue Loss Does Not Exceed $500,000 In A Calendar Year: Yes
Final Report - Petition 2265

Department of Commerce Report Summary

Commerce Domestic Production Determination: Yes
Commerce Producer Objection Determination: Yes
CBP Technical Changes Required: Yes
Final Report - Petition 2699

Overview

Final Category: IV
Preliminary Report Updated: Yes
Petitioner: Shakespeare Company, LLC
Petitioner Location: Columbia, SC 29223
Product Name: 50D nylon
HTS Number: 5402.45.90
Chapter 99 Number: N/A
CAS Number: N/A

Article Description: Monofilament yarn of nylon, of 53 decitex or more but not over 58 decitex, with no cross-sectional dimension exceeding 1 mm; untwisted or with twist of fewer than 5 turns/m, not put up for retail sale, fully oriented; the foregoing with consistent diameter to be suitable for silk-screening (provided for in subheading 5402.45.90)

Technical Comments: The Commission modified the article description to more closely reflect HTS nomenclature or usage.
The Commission modified the article description to address an objection from a domestic producer.

Final Report Comments: Based on comment(s) received after delivery of the preliminary report and confirmation of agreement between petitioner and objector(s), the Commission modified the article description to address an objection from a domestic producer. The technical comments have been updated from the preliminary report to reflect changes to the article description. The Commission reassigned the petition from category VI to category IV.

USITC Petition Findings and Determinations Summary

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Likely Beneficiaries: Aquafil USA, Guilford Mills Inc, Helmont Mills, Inc., Milliken & Company, Pharr Yarns, LLC, Shaw Industries Group, Inc., Varinit Corporation
## Final Report - Petition 2699

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- Commerce Domestic Production Determination: Yes
- Commerce Producer Objection Determination: Yes
- CBP Technical Changes Required: No