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Room 101
 U.S. International
 Trade Commission
 500 E Street, SW
 Washington, D.C.

The Commission meeting commenced, pursuant to notice, at 11:01 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States International Trade Commission, the Honorable DANIEL R. PEARSON, Chairman, presiding.

APPEARANCES:

On behalf of the International Trade Commission:Commissioners:

DANIEL R. PEARSON, CHAIRMAN (presiding)
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 DEANNA TANNER OKUN, COMMISSIONER
 CHARLOTTE R. LANE, COMMISSIONER
 IRVING A. WILLIAMSON, COMMISSIONER
 DEAN A. PINKERT, COMMISSIONER

APPEARANCES (continued):

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COORDINATOR

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DOUGLAS CORKRAN, SUPERVISORY INVESTIGATOR

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P R O C E E D I N G S

(11:01 a.m.)

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3 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Good morning. This
4 meeting of the U.S. International Trade Commission
5 will now come to order.

6 I understand that there are no agendas for
7 future meetings or outstanding action jackets to
8 consider.

9 Is there any objection to approval of the
10 minutes of September 20, 2007, or Ratification List
11 07-015?

12 (No response.)

13 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Hearing none, they are
14 approved.

15 Next, we turn to the vote in Investigation
16 Nos. 731-TA-919 and 920 (Review) (Welded Large Diameter
17 Pipe from Japan and Mexico).

18 Welcome to Mr. Corkran and the staff who
19 participated in these investigations. Are there any
20 questions for the staff?

21 (No response.)

22 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Are there any additions
23 or corrections to the staff report?

24 MR. CORKRAN: Douglas Corkran, Office of
25 Investigations. Thank you, Chairman Pearson. The

1 staff proposes that the staff report on the subject
2 reviews be revised in accordance with Memorandum
3 INV-EE-137, dated September 24, 2007.

4 While staff has provided supplemental
5 information from existing record material, staff has
6 no further revisions to the staff report.

7 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Thank you. Is there any
8 objection to approval of the staff report, as revised?

9 (No response.)

10 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Hearing none, it is
11 approved.

12 Madam Secretary, will you please call the
13 roll?

14 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Williamson?

15 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the
16 affirmative with respect to imports from Japan, and I
17 vote in the negative with respect to imports from
18 Mexico.

19 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Pinkert?

20 COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I vote in the
21 affirmative on Japan and in the negative on Mexico.

22 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Okun?

23 COMMISSIONER OKUN: I vote in the negative.

24 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Pearson?

25 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: I vote in the negative.

1 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Aranoff?

2 VICE CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: I vote in the
3 affirmative with respect to imports from Japan and in
4 the negative with respect to imports from Mexico.

5 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Lane?

6 COMMISSIONER LANE: I vote in the
7 affirmative with regard to Japan and Mexico.

8 MS. ABBOTT: Mr. Chairman, the Commission
9 has reached a negative determination regarding Mexico
10 and an affirmative determination regarding Japan.

11 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Thank you, Madam
12 Secretary.

13 Further information regarding these
14 determinations will be available in the press release.
15 Commissioners' opinions currently are scheduled to be
16 transmitted to the Department of Commerce on or before
17 October 16, 2007. Thank you to all of the staff who
18 participated in these investigations.

19 Seeing that there is no other business to
20 come before us, this meeting is adjourned.

21 (Whereupon, at 11:05 a.m., the Commission
22 meeting was adjourned.)

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CERTIFICATION OF TRANSCRIPTION

TITLE: Welded Large Diameter Line Pipe
from Japan and Mexico) (Review)

INVESTIGATION NOS: Nos. 731-TA-919 and 920

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DATE: October 2, 2007

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