

UNITED STATES
INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

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FROM CHINA)	701-TA-448 and
and)	731-TA-1117 (Final)
RAW FLEXIBLE MAGNETS FROM)	Investigation Nos.:
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)	731-TA-1129-1130
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Room 101
U.S. International
Trade Commission
500 E Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C.

The meeting commenced, pursuant to notice, at
11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States
International Trade Commission, the Honorable SHARA L.

ARANOFF, Chairman, presiding.

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On Behalf of the International Trade Commission:

Commissioners:

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Inv. Nos. 701-TA-448 and 731-TA-1117
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(Final) (Raw Flexible Magnets from China and
Taiwan)

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1 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Thank you. Is there any
2 objection to approval of the staff report?

3 (No response.)

4 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Hearing none, it is
5 approved.

6 Mr. Secretary, will you please call the
7 roll?

8 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pearson.

9 VICE CHAIRMAN PEARSON: I vote in the
10 negative.

11 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pinkert.

12 COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I vote in the
13 affirmative and make a negative critical circumstances
14 determination.

15 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Aranoff.

16 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: I vote in the affirmative
17 and make a negative determination on critical
18 circumstances.

19 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson.

20 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the
21 affirmative, and I make a negative determination with
22 respect to critical circumstances.

23 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Okun.

24 COMMISSIONER OKUN: I vote in the
25 affirmative, and I make a negative finding with

1 respect to critical circumstances.

2 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Lane.

3 COMMISSIONER LANE: I vote in the
4 affirmative, and I make a negative determination with
5 regard to critical circumstances.

6 MR. BISHOP: Madam Chairman, the Commission
7 has reached an affirmative determination and has made
8 negative determinations with respect to critical
9 circumstances.

10 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Thank you, Mr. Secretary.

11 Further information regarding these
12 determinations will be in the press release.
13 Commissioners' opinions currently are scheduled to be
14 transmitted to the Department of Commerce on or before
15 August 28, 2008. Thank you to all of the staff who
16 participated in these investigations.

17 These investigations presented some very
18 tricky data issues, and we appreciate all of the work
19 that you have put into getting us an excellent record
20 on which to decide this case.

21 We will now pause for a moment while we
22 bring staff forward for the next vote.

23 (Pause.)

24 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Next we turn to the
25 clarification and revote in Investigation Nos. 701-TA-

1 452 and 731-TA-1129-1130 (Final) (Raw Flexible Magnets
2 from China and Taiwan).

3 Welcome to Mr. Corkran and the staff who
4 participated in these investigations, or maybe I
5 should say welcome back.

6 I would note that the staff report as
7 amended was approved at the vote of August 12.

8 Mr. Secretary, will you please call the
9 roll?

10 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Okun.

11 COMMISSIONER OKUN: I make an affirmative
12 threat of material injury finding with respect to
13 subject imports from China and make a negative
14 determination with respect to imports from Taiwan.

15 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Aranoff.

16 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: I vote in the
17 affirmative.

18 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pinkert.

19 COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I vote in the
20 affirmative.

21 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson.

22 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the
23 affirmative.

24 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Lane.

25 COMMISSIONER LANE: I vote in the

1 affirmative.

2 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pearson.

3 VICE CHAIRMAN PEARSON: I make an
4 affirmative threat determination with respect to China
5 and a negative determination with respect to Taiwan.

6 MR. BISHOP: Madam Chairman, the Commission
7 has reached affirmative determinations.

8 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Thank you, Mr. Secretary.

9 Further information regarding this
10 determination will be in the press release.
11 Commissioners' opinions currently are scheduled to be
12 transmitted to the Department of Commerce on or before
13 August 25, 2008. Thank you to all of the staff who
14 participated in these investigations.

15 Seeing that there is no other business
16 before the Commission, this meeting is adjourned.

17 (Whereupon, at 11:05 a.m., the Commission
18 meeting in the above-entitled matter was adjourned.)

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CERTIFICATION OF TRANSCRIPTION

TITLE: (Final) (Certain Off-the-Road Tires from China); (Final) (Raw Flexible Magnets from China and Taiwan)

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I hereby certify that the foregoing/attached transcript is a true, correct and complete record of the above-referenced proceeding(s) of the U.S. International Trade Commission.

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SIGNED: Christina Chesley

Signature of Court Reporter