

THE UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:)
) Investigation No.:
 SODIUM HEXAMETAPHOSPHATE) 731-TA-1110
 FROM CHINA) (Preliminary)

Monday,
 March 26, 2007

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

The Commission meeting commenced, pursuant to notice, at 1:00 p.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)
 SHARA L. ARANOFF, VICE CHAIRMAN
 DEANNA TANNER OKUN, COMMISSIONER
 CHARLOTTE R. LANE, COMMISSIONER
 IRVING A. WILLIAMSON, COMMISSIONER
 DEAN A. PINKERT, COMMISSIONER

BILL BISHOP, HEARINGS AND MEETINGS COORDINATOR

APPEARANCES: (Cont'd.)

Staff:

DEBRA BAKER, INVESTIGATOR
JOHN ASCIENZO, ACCOUNTANT/AUDITOR
CRAIG THOMSEN, ECONOMIST
ROBIN TURNER, ATTORNEY
GEORGE DEYMAN, SUPERVISORY INVESTIGATOR

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| Meeting called to order | 4 |
| Agenda for Future Meeting: none | 4 |
| Minutes: March 13 and 15, 2007 | 4 |
| Ratification List: 07-003 | 4 |
| Outstanding Action Jackets: none | 4 |
| Inv. No. 731-TA-1110 (Preliminary) (Sodium Hexametaphosphate from China) - briefing and vote | 4 |

P R O C E E D I N G S

(1:00 p.m.)

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3 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Good afternoon. 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 action jackets to consider.

8 Is there any objection to approval of the
9 minutes of March 13 and 15, 2007, or Ratification List
10 07-003 as revised?

11 (No response.)

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

14 Next we turn to the vote in Investigation
15 No. 731-TA-1110 (Preliminary) (Sodium Hexametaphosphate
16 from China).

17 Welcome to Mr. Deyman and the staff who
18 participated in this investigation.

19 Are there any questions for the staff?

20 (No response.)

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

23 MR. DEYMAN: George Deyman, Office of
24 Investigations. There are no additions or corrections
25 to the staff report.

1 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Is there any objection to
2 approval of the staff report?

3 (No response.)

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

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

8 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Lane.

9 COMMISSIONER LANE: I vote in the
10 affirmative.

11 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson.

12 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the
13 affirmative.

14 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pearson.

15 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: I vote in the
16 affirmative.

17 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Aranoff.

18 VICE CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: I vote in the
19 affirmative.

20 MR. BISHOP: Commission Okun.

21 COMMISSIONER OKUN: I vote in the
22 affirmative.

23 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pinkert.

24 COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I vote in the
25 affirmative.

1 MR. BISHOP: Mr. Chairman, the Commission
2 has reached an affirmative determination in this
3 investigation.

4 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Thank you, Mr. Secretary.

5 Further information regarding this
6 determination will be in the press release.
7 Commissioners' opinions currently are scheduled to be
8 transmitted to the Department of Commerce on or before
9 April 2, 2007.

10 Thank you to all the staff who participated
11 in this investigation.

12 Seeing that there is no other business
13 before us, this meeting is adjourned.

14 (Whereupon, at 1:03 p.m., the Commission
15 meeting was adjourned.)

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CERTIFICATION OF TRANSCRIPTION

TITLE: (Preliminary) (Sodium
Hexametaphosphate from China)

INVESTIGATION NOS.: 731-TA-1110

HEARING DATE: March 26, 2007

LOCATION: Washington, D.C.

NATURE OF HEARING: Commission meeting

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.

DATE: March 26, 2007

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SIGNED: Carlos Gamez
Signature of Proofreader

I hereby certify that I reported the above-referenced proceeding(s) of the U.S. International Trade Commission and caused to be prepared from my tapes and notes of the proceedings a true, correct and complete verbatim recording of the proceeding(s).

SIGNED: Christina Chesley
Signature of Court Reporter