

UNITED STATES

INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:) Investigation Nos.:
CERTAIN POLYETHYLENE TEREPHTHALATE) 701-TA-531-533 AND
RESIN ("PET RESIN") FROM CANADA,) 731-TA-1270-1273
CHINA, INDIA, AND OMAN) (PRELIMINARY)

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11 Main Hearing Room (Room 101)

12 U.S. International

13 Trade Commission

14 500 E Street, S.W.

15 Washington, D.C.

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17 The meeting, commenced, pursuant to notice, at

18 11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States

19 International Trade Commission, the Honorable Meredith M.

20 Broadbent, presiding.

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1 APPEARANCES:

2 On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

3 Commissioners:

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21 WILLIAM R. BISHOP, SUPERVISORY HEARINGS AND

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1 P R O C E E D I N G S

2 MR. BISHOP: Vice Chairman Pinkert, can you hear
3 me?

4 VICE CHAIRMAN PINKERT: I can hear you.

5 MR. BISHOP: Thank you.

6 CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: Good morning. This meeting
7 of the U.S. International Trade Commission will now come to
8 order.

9 Welcome to Vice Chairman Pinkert, who is
10 participating by telephone.

11 VICE CHAIRMAN PINKERT (VIA TELEPHONE): Good
12 morning.

13 CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: I understand that there are
14 no agendas for future meetings, minutes, ratification lists
15 or outstanding action jackets to consider.

16 Next, we turn to the vote on Investigation Number
17 701531 to 533 and 7311270 to 1273, Preliminary, pet resin
18 from Canada, China, India, and Amman.

19 Welcome to Mrs. Haines and the staff who
20 participated in these investigations. Are there any
21 questions for the staff? Are there any additions or
22 corrections to the staff report?

23 MS. HAINES: Elizabeth Haines. Revisions are
24 contained in Memo INVNN0022.

25 CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: Is there any objection to

1 approval of the staff report as revised? Hearing none, it
2 is approved.

3 Mr. Secretary, will you please call the roll?

4 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson?

5 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the
6 affirmative.

7 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Schmidtlein?

8 COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: I vote in the
9 affirmative.

10 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Broadbent?

11 CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: I vote in the affirmative.

12 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Johanson?

13 COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the
14 affirmative.

15 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Kieff is not
16 participating. Commissioner Pinkert?

17 COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I vote in the affirmative.

18 MR. BISHOP: Madame Chairman, the Commission has
19 reached affirmative determinations.

20 CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: Thank you, Mr. Secretary.
21 Further information regarding this determination will be in
22 the press release. Views of the Commissioner currently are
23 scheduled to be completed and filed on May 1, 2015. Thank
24 you to all the staff who participated in these
25 investigations.

1 Seeing that there is no other business before the
2 Commission, this meeting is adjourned.

3 (Whereupon, the meeting was adjourned at 11:02
4 p.m.)

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