

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:
STEEL WHEELS FROM CHINA

) Investigation Nos.:
) 701-TA-602 AND 731-TA-1412 (PRELIMINARY)

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BEFORE THE
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Thursday, May 20, 2018
Main Hearing Room
U.S. International Trade
Commission
500 E Street SW
Washington, DC

The meeting commenced, pursuant to notice, at 11:00 a.m.,
before the Commissioners of the United States International
Trade Commission, the Honorable Rhonda K. Schmidlein,
Chairman, presiding.

1 APPEARANCES:

2 On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

3 Commissioners:

4 Rhonda K. Schmidtlein, Chairman, (presiding)

5 David S. Johanson, Vice Chairman

6 Irving A. Williamson, Commissioner

7 Meredith M. Broadbent, Commissioner

8 Jason E. Kearns, Commissioner

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10 William R. Bishop, Supervisory Hearings and Information

11 Officer

12 Tyrell Burch, Program Support Specialist

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14 Staff:

15 Jordan Harriman, Investigator and Accountant/Auditor

16 Dennis Fravel, International Trade Analyst

17 John VerWey, International Trade Analyst

18 Cindy Cohen, International Economist

19 Charles Yost, Accountant/Auditor

20 Michael Haldenstein, Attorney/Advisor

21 Craig Thomsen, Supervisory Investigator

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P R O C E E D I N G S

(11:00 a.m.)

CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Good morning. This meeting of the U.S. International Trade Commission will now come to order.

I understand that there are no agendas for future meetings, minutes, Ratification Lists, or Outstanding Action Jackets to consider.

Next we turn to the vote in the Preliminary Phase of Investigation Numbers 701-TA-602 and 731-TA-1412, Concerning Imports of Steel Wheels from China.

Welcome to Mr. Thomsen and the staff who participated in these investigations.

Are there any questions for the staff?

(No response.)

CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Are there any additions or corrections to the staff report?

MR. THOMSEN: Craig Thomsen, Office of Investigations. Thank you, Chairman Schmidtlein. Staff has no revisions to the staff report. However, it is my privilege to introduce Mr. John VerWey who is completing his first Title VII case.

CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Very well. Welcome.

Is there any objection to approval of the staff report?

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1 (No response.)

2 CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Hearing none, it is
3 approved.

4 Mr. Secretary, will you please call the roll.

5 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Kearns.

6 COMMISSIONER KEARNS: I vote in the affirmative.

7 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson.

8 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the
9 affirmative.

10 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Broadbent.

11 COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: I vote in the negative.

12 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Schmidtlein.

13 COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: I vote in the
14 affirmative.

15 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Johanson.

16 COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the
17 affirmative.

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

20 CHAIRMAN SCHMIDTLEIN: Thank you, Mr. Secretary.
21 Further information concerning these determinations will be
22 in the press release. Views of the Commission currently
23 are scheduled to be completed and filed on May 18th, 2018.

24 Thank you again to all the staff who participated
25 in these investigations. Seeing that there is no other

1 business before the Commission, this meeting is adjourned.

2 (Whereupon, at 11:02 a.m., Thursday, May 10,
3 2018, the meeting of the Commissioners of the United States
4 International Trade Commission was adjourned.)

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