## UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

DRIED TART CHERRIES FROM TURKEY

) Investigation Nos.:
) 701-TA-622 AND 731-TA-1448
) (PRELIMINARY)

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| 4  | CHERRIES FROM ) (Preliminary)                             |
| 5  | TURKEY )  |
| 6  | Thursday, June 6, 2019                                    |
| 7  | Main Hearing Room (Room 101)                              |
| 8  | U.S. International  |
| 9  | Trade Commission  |
| 10 | 500 E Street, S.W.  |
| 11 | Washington, D.C.  |
| 12 | The meeting commenced, pursuant to notice, at             |
| 13 | 11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States |
| 14 | International Trade Commission, the Honorable David S.    |
| 15 | Johanson, presiding.                                      |
| 16 | APPEARANCES:  |
| 17 | On behalf of the International Trade Commission:          |
| 18 | Commissioners:  |
| 19 | DAVID S. JOHANSON, CHAIRMAN                               |
| 20 | IRVING A. WILLIAMSON, COMMISSIONER                        |
| 21 | MEREDITH M. BROADBENT, COMMISSIONER (via                  |
| 22 | telephone)  |
| 23 | RHONDA K. SCHMIDTLEIN, COMMISSIONER (via                  |
| 24 | telephone)  |
| 25 | JASON E. KEARNS, COMMISSIONER                             |

| 1  | APPEARANCES | S (Continued):                              |
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| 2  | Staff:      |   |
| 3  |             | ELIZABETH HAINES, SUPERVISORY INVESTIGATOR  |
| 4  |             | STEVEN LEGRAND, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ANALYST |
| 5  |             | PATRICK GALLAGHER, ATTORNEY/ADVISOR         |
| 6  |             | JOHN BENEDETTO, INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIST     |
| 7  |             | CAROLINE HOLMES, STATISTICIAN               |
| 8  |             | JAMES HORNE, INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIST        |
| 9  |             | CALVIN CHANG, INVESTIGATOR                  |
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| 11 |             | SHARON BELLAMY, RECORDS MANAGEMENT          |
| 12 | SPECIALIST  |   |
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| 1  | PROCEEDINGS  |
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| 2  | (9:47 a.m.)  |
| 3  | CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Good morning. This meeting                |
| 4  | of the U.S. International Trade Commission will now come to  |
| 5  | order. Welcome to Commissioners Broadbent and Schmidtlein    |
| 6  | who are participating by telephone.                          |
| 7  | COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: Good morning.                        |
| 8  | COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: Good morning.                      |
| 9  | CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: I understand that there are               |
| 10 | no agendas for future meetings or outstanding action jackets |
| 11 | to consider. Is there any objection to the approval of the   |
| 12 | minutes of May 1, 9, 10, 14, 24, and 29, 2019, or            |
| 13 | Ratification List 19-006?                                    |
| 14 | (No response.)   |
| 15 | CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Hearing none, they are                    |
| 16 | approved.  |
| 17 | Next we turn to the vote on the Preliminary phase            |
| 18 | of Investigation Numbers 701-TA-622 and 731-TA-1448,         |
| 19 | concerning imports of Dried Tart Cherries from Turkey.       |
| 20 | Welcome to Ms. Haines and the staff who                      |
| 21 | participated in these investigations. Are there any          |
| 22 | questions for the staff?                                     |
| 23 | (No response.)   |
| 24 | CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Are there any additions or                |
| 25 | corrections to the staff report?                             |

| 1  | MS. HAINES: Elizabeth Haines, Office of                    |
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| 2  | Investigations. There are no revisions or additions to the |
| 3  | staff report.  |
| 4  | CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Is there any objection to               |
| 5  | approval of the staff report?                              |
| 6  | (No response.)   |
| 7  | CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Hearing none, it is approved.           |
| 8  | Madam Secretary, will you please call the roll?            |
| 9  | MS. BELLAMY: Commissioner Broadbent?                       |
| 10 | COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: I vote in the                      |
| 11 | affirmative.   |
| 12 | MS. BELLAMY: Commissioner Williamson?                      |
| 13 | COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the                     |
| 14 | affirmative.   |
| 15 | MS. BELLAMY: Commissioner Johanson?                        |
| 16 | COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the                       |
| 17 | affirmative.   |
| 18 | MS. BELLAMY: Commissioner Kearns?                          |
| 19 | COMMISSIONER KEARNS: I vote in the affirmative.            |
| 20 | MS. BELLAMY: Commissioner Schmidtlein?                     |
| 21 | COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: I vote in the                    |
| 22 | affirmative.   |
| 23 | MS. BELLAMY: Mr. Chairman, the Commission has              |
| 24 | reached an affirmative determination in these              |
| 25 | investigations.  |

| 1  | CHAIRMAN JOHANSON: Thank you, Madam Secretary.              |
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| 2  | Further information concerning these determinations will be |
| 3  | in the press release. Views of the Commission are currently |
| 4  | scheduled to be completed and filed on June 14, 2019.       |
| 5  | Thank you to all staff who participated in these            |
| 6  | investigations. Seeing that there is no other business      |
| 7  | before the Commission, this meeting is adjourned.           |
| 8  | (Whereupon, the meeting was adjourned at 9:49               |
| 9  | a.m.)   |
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