

## 1 THE UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

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3 In the Matter of: ) Investigation Nos.:

4 CARBON AND CERTAIN ALLOY ) 731-TA-417 and

5 STEEL WIRE ROD FROM BRAZIL ) 731-TA-953,

6 INDONESIA, MEXICO, MOLDOVA ) 957-959, 961-962

7 TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO, AND UKRAINE) (Second Review)

8 Friday, May 30, 2014

9 Main Hearing Room (Room 101)

10 U.S. International

11 Trade Commission

12 500 E Street, S.W.

13 Washington, D.C.

14 The meeting commenced pursuant to notice at 11:00

15 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States

16 International Trade Commission, the Honorable IRVING A.

17 WILLIAMSON, Chairman, presiding.

18 APPEARANCES:

19 On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

20 Commissioners:

21 IRVING A. WILLIAMSON, CHAIRMAN (presiding)

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24 MEREDITH M. BROADBENT, COMMISSIONER

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P R O C E E D I N G S

(11:00 A.M.)

CHAIRMAN WILLIAMSON: 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 Investigation Nos. 701-TA-417, and 731-TA-953, 957-959, and 961-962 (Second Review) Carbon and Certain Alloy Steel Wire Rod from Brazil, Indonesia, Mexico, Moldova, Trinidad and Tobago and Ukraine.

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

Are there any questions for the staff?

(No response.)

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

MR. CORKRAN: Douglas Corkran, Office of Investigations. Thank you Mr. Chairman, staff proposes that the staff report be revised in accordance with Memorandum INV-MM-052 dated May 23, 2014. Staff has no further revisions.

CHAIRMAN WILLIAMSON: Thank you. Is there any objection to the approval of the staff report as revised?

(No response.)

1                   CHAIRMAN WILLIAMSON: Hearing none, it is  
2 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 Kieff?

8                   COMMISSIONER KIEFF: I vote to maintain the order  
9 with respect to each of the countries except the Ukraine.

10                  MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pinkert?

11                  COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I vote in the negative  
12 with respect to Ukraine and in the affirmative with respect  
13 to all other countries.

14                  MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Johanson?

15                  COMMISSIONER JOHANSON : I vote in the negative  
16 with respect to Mexico and in the affirmative with respect  
17 to Brazil, Indonesia, Moldova, Trinidad and Tobago, and  
18 Ukraine.

19                  MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Broadbent?

20                  COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: I vote in the negative  
21 with respect to Ukraine and in the affirmative with respect  
22 to Mexico, Brazil, Indonesia, Moldova, and Trinidad and  
23 Tobago.

24                  MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Schmidtlein is not  
25 participating. Mr. Chairman the Commission has reached an

1 affirmative determination with respect to Brazil, Indonesia,  
2 Mexico, Moldova, and Trinidad and Tobago. The Commission  
3 has reached a negative determination with respect to  
4 Ukraine.

5 CHAIRMAN WILLIAMSON: Thank you Mr. Secretary.  
6 Further information regarding these determinations will be  
7 in the press release. Views of the Commission currently  
8 are scheduled to be completed and filed on June 16, 2014.

9 Thank you to all of the staff who participated in  
10 these investigations. Seeing that there is no other  
11 business before the Commission this meeting is adjourned.

12 (Whereupon, at 11:03 a.m, the meeting was  
13 concluded.)

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