

UNITED STATES

INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:
CITRIC ACID AND CERTAIN CITRATE
SALTS FROM CANADA AND CHINA

) Investigation Nos.:
) 701-TA-456 and
) 731-TA-1151-1152 (REVIEW)

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11 Trade Commission
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16 The meeting, commenced, pursuant to notice, at
17 11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States
18 International Trade Commission, the Honorable MERIDITH M.
19 BROADBENT presiding.

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

2 (11:00 a.m.)

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

5 VICE CHAIRMAN PINKERT: I can hear you.

6 MR. BISHOP: Thank you.

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

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

12 VICE CHAIRMAN PINKERT: Good morning.

13 CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: Good morning.

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

17 Next we turn to the vote on Investigation Nos.
18 701-456 and 731-1151 and 1152. It's a review, Citric Acid
19 and certain Citric Salts from Canada and China.

20 Welcome to Ms. Haines and the staff who
21 participated in these investigations.

22 Are there any questions for the staff?

23 (No response.)

24 CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: Are there any additions or
25 corrections to the staff report?

1 MS. HAINES: Elizabeth Haines, there are no
2 revisions or additions to the staff report.

3 CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: Is there any objection to
4 approval of the staff report?

5 (No response.)

6 CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: Hearing none it is approved.
7 Mr. Secretary, will you please call the roll?

8 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Williamson?

9 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the
10 affirmative.

11 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Johanson?

12 COMMISSIONER JOHANSON: I vote in the
13 affirmative.

14 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pinkert?

15 COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I vote in the affirmative?

16 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Broadbent?

17 COMMISSIONER BROADBENT: I vote in the
18 affirmative.

19 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Kieff?

20 COMMISSIONER KIEFF: I vote in the affirmative.

21 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Schmidtlein?

22 COMMISSIONER SCHMIDTLEIN: I vote in the
23 affirmative.

24 MR. BISHOP: Madam Chairman, the Commission has
25 reached affirmative determinations.

1 CHAIRMAN BROADBENT: Thank you, Mr. Secretary.
2 Further information regarding these
3 determinations will be in the press release. Views of the
4 Commission currently are scheduled to be completed and filed
5 on June 3rd, 2015.

6 Thank you to all the staff that participated in
7 these investigations.

8 Seeing that there is no other business before the
9 Commission, this meeting is adjourned.

10 (Whereupon, at 11:01 a.m., the meeting was
11 adjourned.)

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