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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: FINAL DETERMINATION IN THE DUMPING INVESTIGATION OF STRUCTURAL
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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS
PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, TRADE ENFORCEMENT & CONTROL

RE: FINAL DETERMINATION IN THE DUMPING INVESTIGATION OF
STRUCTURAL STEEL BEAMS FROM CHINA (A-570-869)

1. ON MAY 20, 2002, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE
FEDERAL REGISTER ITS FINAL DETERMINATION OF SALES AT LESS THAN
FAIR VALUE IN THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF STRUCTURAL
STEEL BEAMS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA.

2. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS INVESTIGATION, THE TERM "STRUCTURAL
STEEL BEAMS" INCLUDES DOUBLY-SYMMETRIC SHAPES, WHETHER HOT-OR
COLD-ROLLED, DRAWN, EXTRUDED, FORMED OR FINISHED, HAVING AT LEAST

ONE DIMENSION OF AT LEAST 80 MM (3.2 INCHES OR MORE), WHETHER OF CARBON OR ALLOY (OTHER THAN STAINLESS) STEEL, AND WHETHER OR NOT DRILLED PUNCHED, NOTCHED, PAINTED, COATED OR CLAD. THESE STRUCTURAL STEEL BEAMS INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO, WIDE-FLANGE BEAMS ("W" SHAPES), BEARING PILES ("HP" SHAPES), STANDARD BEAMS ("S" OR "I" SHAPES), AND M-SHAPES. ALL THE PRODUCTS THAT MEET THE PHYSICAL AND METALLURGICAL DESCRIPTIONS PROVIDED ABOVE ARE WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION UNLESS OTHERWISE EXCLUDED.

THE FOLLOWING PRODUCTS ARE OUTSIDE AND/OR SPECIFICALLY EXCLUDED FROM THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION: (1) STRUCTURAL STEEL BEAMS GREATER THAN 400 POUNDS PER LINEAR FOOT, (2) STRUCTURAL STEEL BEAMS THAT HAVE AN ADDITIONAL WELDMENT, CONNECTORS, OR ATTACHMENTS TO I-SECTIONS, H-SECTIONS, OR PILINGS; HOWEVER, IF THE ONLY ADDITIONAL WELDMENT, CONNECTOR OR ATTACHMENT ON THE BEAM IS A SHIPPING BRACE ATTACHED TO MAINTAIN STABILITY DURING TRANSPORTATION, THE BEAM IS NOT REMOVED FROM THE SCOPE BY REASON OF SUCH ADDITIONAL WELDMENT, CONNECTOR, OR ATTACHMENT.

THE MERCHANDISE SUBJECT TO THIS INVESTIGATION IS CLASSIFIED IN THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES ("HTSUS") AT THE FOLLOWING SUBHEADINGS:

7216.32.0000, 7216.33.0030, 7216.33.0060, 7216.33.0090,
7216.50.0000, 7216.61.0000, 7216.69.0000, 7216.91.0000,
7216.99.0000, 7228.70.3040, 7228.70.6000.

ALTHOUGH THE HTSUS SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES, THE WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE MERCHANDISE UNDER INVESTIGATION IS DISPOSITIVE.

3. FOR IMPORTS OF CERTAIN STRUCTURAL STEEL BEAMS FROM THE PEOPLE'

S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, MANUFACTURED BY MAANSHAN IRON & STEEL CO., LTD AND EXPORTED BY MAANSHAN IRON & STEEL CO., LTD OR MA STEEL

INTERNATIONAL, NO SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION IS REQUIRED. FURTHERMORE, CUSTOMS IS INSTRUCTED TO LIFT SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION OF ALL ENTRIES OF CERTAIN STEEL BEAMS FROM THE PEOPLE'

S REPUBLIC OF CHINA MANUFACTURED BY MAANSHAN IRON & STEEL CO., LTD AND EXPORTED BY MAANSHAN IRON & STEEL CO., LTD OR MA STEEL INTERNATIONAL THAT HAVE ENTERED SINCE DECEMBER 28, 2001.

4. FOR IMPORTS OF CERTAIN STRUCTURAL STEEL BEAMS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA NOT MANUFACTURED BY MAANSHAN IRON & STEEL CO., LTD AND EXPORTED BY MAANSHAN IRON & STEEL CO., LTD OR MA STEEL INTERNATIONAL, THE CUSTOMS SERVICE SHALL CONTINUE TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATIONS OF SUCH SHIPMENTS ENTERED OR WITHDRAWN FROM

WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER MAY 20, 2002. EFFECTIVE MAY 20, 2002, CUSTOMS SHALL REQUIRE, FOR SUCH ENTRIES, A CASH DEPOSIT OR THE POSTING OF A BOND EQUAL TO THE PERCENTAGES SHOWN BELOW:

MFR/PRODUCER	CUSTOMS ID	PERCENTAGE
EXPORTER	NUMBER	
PRC-WIDE RATE	A-570-869-000	89.17

5. IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LONGSTANDING POLICY OF THE 1985 TREASURY DECISION AND MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA) BETWEEN COMMERCE AND CUSTOMS, T.D. 85-145, AT THE DISCRETION OF THE CUSTOMS SERVICE, CUSTOMS OFFICERS MAY ACCEPT EITHER A SINGLE-ENTRY BASIC IMPORTATION AND ENTRY BOND OR A CONTINUOUS BASIC IMPORTATION AND ENTRY BOND ONLY IF THE AMOUNT OF THE ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING OR COUNTERVAILING DUTY IS LESS THAN FIVE PERCENT AD VALOREM (OR THE EQUIVALENT). OTHERWISE, AS IN THE CASE OF STRUCTURAL STEEL BEAMS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, WHERE THE IMPORTER HAS THE OPTION TO POST A BOND FOR ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING OR COUNTERVAILING DUTIES, THE CUSTOMS OFFICERS MUST REQUIRE A SINGLE-ENTRY BASIC IMPORTATION AND ENTRY BOND PURSUANT

TO T.D. 85-145. AS HAS BEEN THE CASE SINCE THE MOA AND TREASURY DECISION, YOU ARE INSTRUCTED TO ADHERE TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF T.D. 85-145 WITH RESPECT TO THESE BONDING REQUIREMENTS.

6. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT, VIA E-MAIL, THROUGH THE APPROPRIATE

SUPERVISORY CHANNELS, OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY LIAISON, USING

THE ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB." THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT LYN JOHNSON, OFFICE OF AD/CVD ENFORCEMENT 3, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, AT (202) 482-5287.

7. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

PAUL

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party