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Notice of Lifting of Suspension Date:

TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

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

RE: TERMINATION OF SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION ON CERTAIN ALLOY AND CARBON HOT-ROLLED BARS, RODS, AND SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY ENGINEEREDSTEEL (SBQ).

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LIQ SUSPENSION DATE:

TO: REGIONAL DIRECTORS, COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS  
DISTRICT DIRECTORS, AREA AND PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, TRADE COMPLIANCE DIVISION

RE: TERMINATION OF SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION ON CERTAIN ALLOY AND CARBON HOT-ROLLED BARS, RODS, AND SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY ENGINEEREDSTEEL (SBQ).

1. ON JUNE 3, 1993, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER NOTICE OF ITS FINAL DETERMINATION THAT SBQ IS BEING SOLD IN THE UNITED STATES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE.

2. THE PRODUCTS COVERED IN THIS INVESTIGATION ARE:

HOT-FINISHED ALLOY AND CARBON BARS AND RODS OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL AND SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS OF SPECIAL BAR

## QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL.

THE TERM "HOT-FINISHED ALLOY AND CARBON BARS AND RODS OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL" COVERS CERTAIN HOT-FINISHED CARBON AND ALLOY (OTHER THAN STAINLESS STEEL, HIGH-SPEED STEEL, SILICO-MANGANESE STEEL, AND TOOL STEEL) STEEL BARS AND RODS, OTHER THAN FORGED, WHICH HAVE A UNIFORM SOLID CROSS-SECTION ALONG THEIR WHOLE LENGTH AND ARE IN THE SHAPE OF CIRCLES, SEGMENTS OF CIRCLES, OVALS, RECTANGLES, OR OTHER CONVEX POLYGONS, AND DO NOT CONFORM TO THE DEFINITIONS FOR SEMIFINISHED STEEL, FLAT ROLLED PRODUCTS, HOT-ROLLED BARS AND RODS IN IRREGULARLY WOUND COILS, REINFORCING BARS AND RODS, AND WIRE. THE SUBJECT BARS AND RODS ARE OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL THAT ARE DESCRIBED IN SOCIETY OF AUTOMOTIVE ENGINEERS (SAE) SPECIFICATIONS J403, J404, J411, J1081, J1249, J1268, AND MODIFICATIONS THEREOF, WHETHER THEY BE DOMESTIC OR FOREIGN SPECIFICATIONS, OF OTHER THAN MERCHANT QUALITY GRADES M1000 THROUGH M1044, NOT CONTAINING BY WEIGHT 0.03 PERCENT OR MORE OF LEAD OR 0.05 PERCENT OR MORE OF BISMUTH.

THE TERM "SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL" COVERS CERTAIN ALLOY STEEL INGOTS (OTHER THAN STAINLESS STEEL, HIGH-SPEED STEEL, SILICO-MANGANESE STEEL, TOOL STEEL, AND HIGH-NICKEL ALLOY STEEL), AND SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS OF CARBON AND ALLOY (OTHER THAN STAINLESS STEEL, HIGH-SPEED STEEL, SILICO-MANGANESE STEEL, TOOL STEEL, HIGH-NICKEL ALLOY STEEL) STEEL OF CIRCULAR OR RECTANGULAR (INCLUDING SQUARE) CROSS-SECTION WITH A WIDTH MEASURING LESS THAN FOUR TIMES THE THICKNESS, WHICH ARE CONTINUOUS CAST OR HAVE BEEN SUBJECTED TO NO MORE THAN PRIMARY HOT ROLLING, WHICH POSSESS A ROUGH SURFACE AND DO NOT MEET THE DIMENSIONAL TOLERANCES FOR BAR PRODUCTS, OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL THAT ARE DESCRIBED IN SOCIETY OF ENGINEERS (SAE) SPECIFICATIONS J403, J404, J411, J1081, J1249, J1268, AND MODIFICATIONS THEREOF, WHETHER THEY BE DOMESTIC OR FOREIGN SPECIFICATIONS, NOT CONTAINING BY WEIGHT 0.03 PERCENT OR MORE OF LEAD OR 0.05 PERCENT OR MORE OF BISMUTH.

3. MOST FINISHED PRODUCTS COVERED BY THIS INVESTIGATION ARE PROVIDED UNDER SUBHEADINGS 7214.30.000, 7214.40.0010,

7214.00.0030, 7214.00.0050, 7214.50.0010, 7214.50.0030,  
7214.50.0050, 7214.60.0010, 7214.60.0030, 7214.60.0050,  
7228.30.8005, 7228.30.8050. THESE SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR  
CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES, OUR WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE  
SCOPE OF THIS PROCEEDING IS DISPOSITIVE.

4. FOR SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS THE SUBHEADINGS ARE  
7207.11.0000, 7207.12.0010, 7207.19.0030, 7207.20.0025,  
7207.20.0075, 7224.10.0075, 7224.90.0045, AND 7224.90.0065.  
THESE SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS  
PURPOSES, OUR WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE SCOPE OF THIS PROCEEDING  
IS DISPOSITIVE.

5. ON JULY 9, 1993, THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION NOTIFIED  
THE DEPARTMENT THAT IMPORTS OF CERTAIN ALLOY AND CARBON  
HOT-ROLLED BARS, RODS, AND SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS OF SPECIAL BAR  
QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL FROM BRAZIL NEITHER MATERIALLY INJURE  
NOR THREATEN TO INJURE THE U.S. INDUSTRY. THEREFORE, U.S.  
CUSTOMS SHALL TERMINATE THE SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION PREVIOUSLY  
ORDERED ON CERTAIN ALLOY AND CARBON HOT-ROLLED BARS, RODS, AND  
SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY ENGINEERED STEEL  
FROM BRAZIL AND RELEASE OR REFUND ANY CASH DEPOSIT OR BOND  
COLLECTED WITH RESPECT TO CERTAIN ALLOY AND CARBON HOT-ROLLED  
BARS, RODS, AND SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS OF SPECIAL BAR QUALITY  
ENGINEERED STEEL FROM BRAZIL.

6. THE ASSESSMENT OF ANTIDUMPING DUTIES BY THE CUSTOMS SERVICE  
IS SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 778 OF THE TARIFF ACT OF  
1930, WHICH REQUIRES INTEREST TO BE PAID ON OVERPAYMENTS AND  
UNDERPAYMENTS OF AMOUNTS DEPOSITED AS ESTIMATED DUMPING DUTIES.  
CALCULATE INTEREST FROM THE DATE OF PAYMENT OF ESTIMATED DUMPING  
DUTIES THROUGH THE DATE OF LIQUIDATION, USING THE RATE IN EFFECT  
UNDER SECTION 6621 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE FOR SUCH PERIOD.

7. THESE CASES HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION  
NUMBERS:

MANUFACTURER

| EXPORTER   | CUSTOMS ID    |
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| SEMIFINISHED PRODUCTS                                  | A-351-213     |
| ACO MINAS GERAIS S.A.                                  | A-351-213-001 |
| ALL OTHERS   | A-351-213-000 |
| FINISHED BARS AND RODS                                 | A-351-214     |
| INDUSTRIAS VILLARES S.A.<br>AND ITS RELATED COMPAINIES | A-351-214-001 |
| ALL OTHERS   | A-351-214-000 |

8. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT THE IMPORT SPECIALIST DIVISION, OTHER AGENCY BRANCH OR BY E-MAIL ATTRIBUTE HQ OAB. OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT RICHARD WEIBLE, OFFICE OF AGREEMENTS COMPLIANCE, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AT (202) 482-3793.

9. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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## Company Details

\*Party Indicator Value:

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