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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

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

RE: PRELIMINARY NEGATIVE COUNTERVAILING DUTY DETERMINATION OF DISPOSABLE POCKET LIGHTERS FROM THAILAND (C-549-811)

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

FROM: DIRECTOR, TRADE COMPLIANCE DIVISION

RE: PRELIMINARY NEGATIVE COUNTERVAILING DUTY DETERMINATION OF DISPOSABLE POCKET LIGHTERS FROM THAILAND (C-549-811)

1. THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED ON AUGUST 9, 1994, THE NOTICE OF ITS PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION THAT CERTAIN BENEFITS WHICH CONSTITUTE SUBSIDIES WITHIN THE MEANING OF THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY LAW ARE NOT BEING PROVIDED TO THE PRODUCERS, MANUFACTURERS, OR EXPORTERS OF DISPOSABLE POCKET LIGHTERS FROM THAILAND.

2. THE PRODUCT COVERED BY THIS INVESTIGATION IS DISPOSABLE POCKET LIGHTERS, WHETHER OR NOT REFILLABLE, WHOSE FUEL IS BUTANE,

ISOBUTANE, PROPANE, OR OTHER LIQUIFIED HYDROCARBON, OR A MIXTURE CONTAINING ANY OF THESE, WHOSE VAPOR PRESSURE AT 75 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT (24 DEGREES CELSIUS) EXCEEDS A GAGE PRESSURE OF 15 POUNDS PER SQUARE INCH. NON-REFILLABLE POCKET LIGHTERS ARE IMPORTED UNDER SUBHEADING 9613.10.0000 OF THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES ("HTSUS"). REFILLABLE, DISPOSABLE POCKET LIGHTERS WOULD BE IMPORTED UNDER SUBHEADING 9613.20.0000. ALTHOUGH THE HTSUS SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND

CUSTOMS PURPOSES, OUR WRITTEN DESCRIPTIONS OF THE SCOPE OF THESE PROCEEDINGS ARE DISPOSITIVE.

3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES, THIS CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION NUMBER: (C-549-811).

4. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT VIA E-MAIL THROUGH THE REGIONAL ANTIDUMPING/COUNTERVALING DUTY COORDINATOR, THE TRADE COMPLIANCE

DIVISION, ANTIDUMPING/COUNTERVALING DUTY BRANCH, USING ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB." OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT KRISTIN HEIM AT (202) 482-3798.

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

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

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