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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

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RE: INITIATION OF ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF PENCILS FROM THE PRC AND THAILAND

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

FROM: DIRECTOR, IMPORT SPECIALIST DIVISION

RE: INITIATION OF ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF
PENCILS FROM THE PRC AND THAILAND

1. THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED ON DECEMBER 8, 1993, ITS INITIATION OF ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION REGARDING PENCILS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (PRC) AND THAILAND.

2. THE PRODUCTS COVERED BY THESE INVESTIGATIONS ARE CERTAIN CASED PENCILS OF ANY SHAPE OR DIMENSION WHICH ARE WRITING AND/OR DRAWING INSTRUMENTS THAT FEATURE CORES OF GRAPHITE OR OTHER MATERIALS ENCASED IN WOOD AND/OR MAN-MADE MATERIALS, WHETHER OR NOT TIPPED (E.G. WITH ERASERS, ETC.) IN ANY FASHION, AND EITHER

SHARPENED OR UNSHARPENED. THE PENCILS SUBJECT TO THIS INVESTIGATION ARE CLASSIFIED UNDER SUBHEADING 9609.10.00 OF THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES (HTSUS).

SPECIFICALLY EXCLUDED FROM THE SCOPE OF THESE INVESTIGATIONS ARE MECHANICAL PENCILS, COSMETIC PENCILS, PENS, NON-CASED CRAYONS (WAX), PASTELS, CHARCOALS, OR CHALKS.

ALTHOUGH THE HTSUS SUBHEADING IS PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES, OUR WRITTEN DESCRIPTION IS DISPOSITIVE.

3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES THESE CASES HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION NUMBERS: PRC (A-570-827) AND THAILAND (A-549-808).

4. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT THE TRADE COMPLIANCE DIVISION, ADCVD BRANCH, OR BY EMAIL TO ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB". OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT BETH GRAHAM (202) 482-4105 FOR PRC AND VINCE KANE (202) 482-2815 FOR THAILAND.

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

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