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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

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

RE: ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER FOR CERTAIN S/S WIRE ROD FROM BRAZIL (A-351-819)

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

FROM: DIRECTOR, TRADE COMPLIANCE DIVISION

RE: ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER FOR CERTAIN S/S WIRE ROD
FROM BRAZIL (A-351-819)

1. THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER ON JANUARY 28, 1994, THE NOTICE OF ITS ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER ON CERTAIN STAINLESS STEEL WIRE RODS FROM BRAZIL.

2. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS INVESTIGATION, CERTAIN STAINLESS STEEL WIRE RODS (SSWR). SSWR ARE PRODUCTS WHICH ARE HOT-ROLLED OR HOT-ROLLED ANNEALED, AND/OR PICKLED ROUNDS, SQUARES, OCTAGONS, HEXAGONS OR OTHER SHAPES, IN COILS. SSWR ARE MADE OF ALLOY STEELS CONTAINING, BY WEIGHT, 1.2 PERCENT OR LESS OF CARBON AND

10.5 PERCENT OR MORE OF CHROMIUM, WITH OR WITHOUT OTHER ELEMENTS. THESE PRODUCTS ARE ONLY MANUFACTURED BY HOT-ROLLING, ARE NORMALLY SOLD IN COILED FORM, AND ARE OF SOLID CROSS-SECTION. THE MAJORITY OF SSWR SOLD IN THE UNITED STATES IS ROUND IN CROSS-SECTIONAL SHAPE, ANNEALED AND PICKLED. THE MOST COMMON SIZE IS 5.5 MILLIMETERS IN DIAMETER.

THE SSWR SUBJECT TO THIS INVESTIGATION ARE CURRENTLY CLASSIFIABLE UNDER SUBHEADINGS 7221.00.0005, 7221.00.0015, 7221.00.0020, 7221.00.0030, 7221.00.0040, 7221.00.0045, 7221.00.0060, 7221.00.0075, 7221.00.0080 OF THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES (HTSUS). ALTHOUGH THE HTSUS SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES,

OUR WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION IS DISPOSITIVE.

3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES THIS CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED INVESTIGATION NUMBER (A-351-819).

4. THE U.S. INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION (ITC) DETERMINED THAT CRITICAL CIRCUMSTANCES DO NOT EXIST WITH RESPECT TO SUBJECT IMPORTS FROM BRAZIL BY ACOS FINOS PIRATINI S.A. (PIRATINI) AND ACOS VILLARES S.A. (VILLARES). AS A RESULT OF THE COMMISSION'S NEGATIVE CRITICAL CIRCUMSTANCES DETERMINATION, THE CUSTOMS SERVICE WILL REFUND ALL CASH DEPOSITS AND RELEASE ALL BONDS COLLECTED ON SSWR FROM BRAZIL BY PIRATINI AND VILLARES ENTERED OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER MAY 7, 1993, AND BEFORE AUGUST 5, 1993.

INTEREST PROVISIONS OF SECTION 778 OF THE TARIFF ACT OF 1930 DO NOT APPLY

5. FOR IMPORTS OF CERTAIN STAINLESS STEEL WIRE RODS FROM BRAZIL, THE CUSTOMS SERVICE SHALL CONTINUE TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF SUCH SHIPMENTS THAT ARE ENTERED, OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER AUGUST 5, 1994 AND SHALL REQUIRE A CASH

DEPOSIT ON ENTRIES FILED ON OR AFTER JANUARY 28, 1994. THE CUSTOMS SERVICE SHALL REQUIRE THIS DEPOSIT USING THE ESTIMATED FINAL MARGIN PERCENTAGE LISTED BELOW:

MANUFACTURER/PRODUCER EXPORTER	ID NO. MARGIN PERCENTAGE	WEIGHTED-AVERAGE MARGIN PERCENTAGE
ELETROMETAL-METAIS ESPECIAIS S.A.	A-351-819-001	24.63%
ACOS FINOS PIRATINI S.A.	A-351-819-002	26.50%
ACOS VILLARES S.A.	A-351-819-003	26.50%
ALL OTHERS	A-351-819-000	25.88%

5. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT VI E-MAIL, THROUGH THE APPROPRIATE SUPERVISORY CHANNELS, TECHNICAL PROGRAMS, ANTIDUMPING/COUNTERVAILING DUTY USING ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB". THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT JAMES MAEDER OF THE OFFICE OF ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATIONS, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, TELEPHONE (202) 482-3330.

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