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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

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

RE: FINAL DETERMINATION FOR S/S BAR FM BRAZIL (A-351-825), INDIA (A-533-810), JAPAN (A-588-833) & SPAIN (A-470-805) & CORRECTION TO THE BRAZIL CASE NUMBER

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

FROM: DIRECTOR, TRADE COMPLIANCE DIVISION

RE: FINAL DETERMINATION FOR S/S BAR FM BRAZIL (A-351-825),
INDIA (A-533-810), JAPAN (A-588-833) & SPAIN
(A-470-805) & CORRECTION TO THE BRAZIL CASE NUMBER

1. THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE (DEPARTMENT) PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER ON DECEMBER 28, 1994, THE NOTICES OF ITS FINAL DETERMINATIONS OF SALES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE IN THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATIONS OF STAINLESS STEEL BAR FROM BRAZIL, INDIA, JAPAN, AND SPAIN.

2. THE PRODUCT COVERED BY THIS INVESTIGATION IS "STAINLESS STEEL BAR" (SSB). SSB MEANS ARTICLES OF STAINLESS STEEL IN STRAIGHT LENGTHS THAT HAVE BEEN EITHER HOT-ROLLED, FORGED, TURNED,

COLD-DRAWN, COLD-ROLLED OR OTHERWISE COLD-FINISHED, OR GROUND, HAVING A UNIFORM SOLID CROSS SECTION ALONG THEIR WHOLE LENGTH IN THE SHAPE OF CIRCLES, SEGMENTS OF CIRCLES, OVALS, RECTANGLES (INCLUDING SQUARES), TRIANGLES, HEXAGONS, OCTAGONS OR OTHER CONVEX POLYGONS. SSBS INCLUDE COLD-FINISHED SSBS THAT ARE TURNED OR GROUND IN STRAIGHT LENGTHS, WHETHER PRODUCED FROM HOT-ROLLED BAR OR FROM STRAIGHTENED AND CUT ROD OR WIRE, AND REINFORCING BARS THAT HAVE INDENTATIONS, RIBS, GROOVES, OR OTHER DEFORMATIONS PRODUCED DURING THE ROLLING PROCESS.

EXCEPT AS SPECIFIED ABOVE, THE TERM DOES NOT INCLUDE STAINLESS STEEL SEMI-FINISHED PRODUCTS, CUT LENGTH FLAT-ROLLED PRODUCTS (I.E., CUT LENGTH ROLLED PRODUCTS WHICH IF LESS THAN 4.75 MM IN THICKNESS HAVE A WIDTH MEASURING AT LEAST 10 TIMES THE THICKNESS, OR IF 4.75 MM OR MORE IN THICKNESS HAVING A WIDTH WHICH EXCEEDS 150 MM AND MEASURES AT LEAST TWICE THE THICKNESS), WIRE (I.E., COLD-FORMED PRODUCTS IN COILS, OF ANY UNIFORM SOLID CROSS SECTION ALONG THEIR WHOLE LENGTH, WHICH DO NOT CONFORM TO THE DEFINITION OF FLAT-ROLLED PRODUCTS), AND ANGLES, SHAPES AND SECTIONS.

THE SSB SUBJECT TO THESE INVESTIGATIONS IS CURRENTLY CLASSIFIABLE UNDER SUBHEADINGS 7222.10.0005, 7222.10.0050, 7222.20.0005, 7222.20.0045, 7222.20.0075, AND 7222.30.0000 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 THESE INVESTIGATIONS IS DISPOSITIVE.

3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES, THESE CASES HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION NUMBERS: A-351-825 (BRAZIL), A-533-810 (INDIA), AND A-588-833 (JAPAN)

FOR CUSTOMS PURPOSES ONLY THE FOLLOWING IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

SHOULD BE USED FOR SPAIN: A-470-805.

CORRECTION TO CASE NUMBER FOR STAINLESS STEEL BAR FROM BRAZIL:
E-MAIL MESSAGE ISSUED AT THE INITIATION OF THIS INVESTIGATION
INCORRECTLY IDENTIFIED THE CASE NUMBER AS A-351-835. THE E-MAIL
MESSAGE ISSUED FOR PURPOSES OF THE PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION
CORRECTLY IDENTIFIED THE CASE NUMBER AS A-351-825.
THE MODULE INFORMATION IS CORRECT.

4. WITH RESPECT TO THE MARGIN FOR ACENOR, S.A., THE DEPARTMENT
OF COMMERCE HAS BEEN INFORMED THAT ACENOR'S SSB FACILITIES HAVE
BEEN SOLD TO TWO COMPANIES: DIGECO, S.A. AND CLORIMAX, S.R.L.
THE COMMERCE DEPARTMENT IS PRESENTLY TRYING TO ESTABLISH WHETHER

OR NOT THESE COMPANIES, OR ANY OTHER COMPANIES RELATED TO THIS
ACQUISITION, WILL BE EXPORTING SUBJECT MERCHANDISE TO THE UNITED
STATES. IN THE INTERIM, THE INSTRUCTIONS SPECIFIED IN PARAGRAPH
FIVE SHOULD BE FOLLOWED.

5. FOR ALL IMPORTS OF SSB FROM THE COUNTRIES LISTED BELOW, THE
CUSTOMS SERVICE SHALL CONTINUE TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF SUCH
PRODUCTS THAT ARE ENTERED OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE FOR
CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER AUGUST 4, 1994, AND EFFECTIVE DECEMBER
28,1994, CUSTOMS SHALL REQUIRE A CASH DEPOSIT OR POSTING OF A
BOND FOR SUCH ENTRY SUMMARIES EQUAL TO THE APPROPRIATE ESTIMATED
MARGIN PERCENTAGES LISTED BELOW.

MANUFACTURER/PRODUCER	CUSTOMS	WEIGHTED-AVERAGE
EXPORTER	ID NO	MARGIN PERCENTAGE

BRAZIL

ACOS VILLARES, S.A.	A-351-825-001	19.43%
ALL OTHERS	A-351-825-000	19.43%

INDIA:

GRAND FOUNDRY, LTD.	A-533-810-001	3.87%
MUKAND, LTD.	A-533-810-002	21.02%
ALL OTHERS	A-533-810-000	12.45%

JAPAN:

AICHI STEEL WORKS, LTD.	A-588-833-001	61.47%
DAIDO STEEL CO., LTD	A-588-833-002	61.47%
SANYO SPECIAL STEEL CO. LTD.	A-588-833-003	61.47%
ALL OTHERS	A-588-833-000	61.47%

SPAIN:

ACENOR, S.A. (AND ALL SUCCESSOR COMPANIES, INCLUDING DIGECO, S.A. AND CLORIMAX, S.R.L.)	A-470-805-001	62.85%
ROLDAN, S.A.	A-470-805-002	7.74%
ALL OTHERS	A-470-805-000	25.80%

6. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT VIA E-MAIL, THROUGH THE REGIONAL AD/CVD COORDINATOR, THE TRADE COMPLIANCE DIVISION, AD/CVD BRANCH, USING ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB." THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT KATE JOHNSON OR IRENE DARZENTA OF THE OFFICE OF ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATIONS, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AT (202) 482-4929 OR (202) 482-6320, RESPECTIVELY.

7. 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