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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

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

RE: NOTICE OF PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION IN THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF CERTAIN PASTA FROM ITALY (C-475-819)

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TO: CMC DIRECTORS,
PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, TECHNICAL PROGRAMS

RE: NOTICE OF PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION IN THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF CERTAIN PASTA FROM ITALY (C-475-819)

1. ON OCTOBER 17, 1995, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER ITS PRELIMINARY AFFIRMATIVE DETERMINATION IN THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF CERTAIN PASTA FROM ITALY.
2. THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION CONSISTS OF CERTAIN NON-EGG DRY PASTA IN PACKAGES OF 5 POUNDS (OR 2.27 KILOGRAMS) OR LESS, WHETHER OR NOT ENRICHED OR FORTIFIED OR CONTAINING MILK OR OTHER OPTIONAL INGREDIENTS SUCH AS CHOPPED VEGETABLES, VEGETABLE

PUREES, MILK, GLUTEN, DIASTASES, VITAMINS, COLORING AND FLAVORINGS, AND UP TO TWO PERCENT EGG WHITE. THE PASTA COVERED BY THIS SCOPE IS TYPICALLY SOLD IN THE RETAIL MARKET IN FIBERBOARD OR CARDBOARD CARTONS OR POLYETHYLENE OR POLYPROPYLENE BAGS, OF VARYING DIMENSIONS.

EXCLUDED FROM THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION IS REFRIGERATED, FROZEN, OR CANNED PASTAS, AS WELL AS ALL FORMS OF EGG PASTA, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF NON-EGG DRY PASTA CONTAINING UP TO TWO PERCENT EGG WHITE.

THE MERCHANDISE UNDER INVESTIGATION IS CURRENTLY CLASSIFIABLE UNDER SUBHEADING 1902.19.20 OF THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES (HTS). ALTHOUGH THE HTS SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES, OUR WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE SCOPE OF THESE PROCEEDINGS IS DISPOSITIVE.

3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES THIS CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED INVESTIGATION NUMBER (C-475-819).

4. FOR IMPORTS OF CERTAIN PASTA FROM ITALY, THE CUSTOMS SERVICE SHALL SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF SUCH SHIPMENTS THAT ARE ENTERED OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER OCTOBER 17,

1995. EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 17, 1995, CUSTOMS SHALL REQUIRE, FOR SUCH ENTRY SUMMARIES, EXCEPT FOR GRUPPO AND ISOLA DEL GRANO WHICH

HAVE ZERO MARGINS, AND ARRIGHI, WHICH HAS A DE MINIMIS MARGIN OF .96 PERCENT, A CASH DEPOSIT OR THE POSTING OF A BOND EQUAL TO THE SUBSIDY RATES SHOWN BELOW:

MANUFACTURERS/PRODUCERS/ EXPORTERS	CUSTOMS ID NUMBER	MARGIN/ PERCENT
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TIA	C-475-819-017	9.20%
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RISCOSSA	C-475-819-016	2.50%
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LA MOLISANA	C-475-819-015	3.64%
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LABOR	C-475-819-014	10.67%
ITALPAST	C-475-819-013	10.67%
ISOLA DEL GRANO	C-475-819-012	0.00%
INDALCO	C-475-819-011	1.44%
GUIDO FERRARA	C-475-819-010	1.44%
GRUPPO	C-475-819-009	0.00%
DELVERDE	C-475-819-008	9.20%
DEMASERVICE	C-475-819-007	1.97%
DE MATTEIS	C-475-819-006	1.97%
DE CECCO	C-475-819-005	2.68%
CAMPANO	C-475-819-004	2.23%
BARILLA	C-475-819-003	1.43%
AGRITALIA	C-475-819-002	2.41%
ARRIGHI	C-475-819-001	0.00%
ALL OTHER	C-475-819-000	4.08%

5. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT VIA E-MAIL, THROUGH THE REGIONAL ANTIDUMPING/COUNTERVAILING DUTY COORDINATOR, TECHNICAL PROGRAM DIVISION, ANTIDUMPING/COUNTERVAILING DUTY BRANCH, USING ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB". THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT JENNIFER YESKE, VINCENT KANE, TODD HANSEN OR CYNTHIA THIRUMALAI, OFFICE OF COUNTERVAILING DUTY INVESTIGATIONS, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, AT (202) 482-0189, 482-2815, 482-1276 AND 482-4087 RESPECTIVELY.

6. 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