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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

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

RE: Preliminary scope determination – antidumping duty order on aluminum extrusions from the People's Republic of China (A-570-967).

1. ON 06/01/2012, IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST BY AMERISTAR FENCE PRODUCTS (“AMERISTAR”), COMMERCE ISSUED A PRELIMINARY SCOPE DETERMINATION THAT AMERISTAR’S KITTED FENCES, WHICH AMERISTAR IMPORTS, ARE WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER ON ALUMINUM EXTRUSIONS FROM THE PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (“PRC”) (A-570-967).

2. THE DEPARTMENT PRELIMINARILY FOUND THAT THE KITTED FENCES WHICH CONTAIN ONE PUNCHED POST, POST CAP, 15 PICKETS, TWO OR THREE RAILS, TWO OR THREE RETAINING RODS AND NUMEROUS GROMMETS AND SCREWS IMPORTED IN THE SAME BOX ARE SUBJECT TO THE SCOPE OF THE ORDER BECAUSE THEY ARE MANUFACTURED FROM 6000 SERIES ALUMINUM ALLOY AND, AT THE TIME OF IMPORTATION, DO NOT CONSTITUTE A FINISHED PRODUCT.

IN ADDITION, THE DEPARTMENT FOUND THAT AMERISTAR’S KITTED FENCES DO NOT FIT WITHIN THE EXCLUSION FOR FINISHED GOODS KITS BECAUSE THEY DO NOT CONTAIN ALL OF THE PARTS NECESSARY TO FULLY ASSEMBLE A FINAL FINISHED FENCE SYSTEM. BECAUSE THESE KITTED FENCES MEET THE DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBJECT MERCHANDISE AND DO NOT MEET THE DEFINITION OF EXCLUDED FINISHED GOODS KITS, AS DEFINED BY THE PLAIN LANGUAGE OF THE SCOPE, THE DEPARTMENT HAS PRELIMINARILY DETERMINED THAT THE KITTED FENCES CONSTITUTE SUBJECT MERCHANDISE.

3. CONTINUE TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF ENTRIES OF ALUMINUM EXTRUSIONS FROM PRC, INCLUDING THE KITTED FENCES DESCRIBED ABOVE, SUBJECT TO THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER ON ALUMINUM EXTRUSIONS FROM PRC.

4. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS BY THE IMPORTING PUBLIC REGARDING THIS MESSAGE, PLEASE CONTACT THE CALL CENTER FOR THE OFFICE OF AD/CVD OPERATIONS, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S.

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