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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

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

RE: RE: COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDER IN THE INVESTIGATION OF CERTAIN
MAGNESIA CARBON BRICKS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA(C-570-955)

1. ON 09/21/2010, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER ITS COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDER ON CERTAIN MAGNESIA CARBON BRICKS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (75 FR 57442).

2. THE MERCHANDISE COVERED BY THE ORDER INCLUDES CERTAIN CHEMICALLY-BONDED (RESIN OR PITCH), MAGNESIA CARBON BRICKS WITH A MAGNESIA COMPONENT OF AT LEAST 70 PERCENT MAGNESIA ("MGO") BY WEIGHT, REGARDLESS OF THE SOURCE OF RAW MATERIALS FOR THE MGO, WITH CARBON LEVELS RANGING FROM TRACE AMOUNTS TO 30 PERCENT BY WEIGHT, REGARDLESS OF ENHANCEMENTS (FOR EXAMPLE, MAGNESIA CARBON BRICKS CAN BE ENHANCED WITH COATING, GRINDING, TAR IMPREGNATION OR COKING, HIGH TEMPERATURE HEAT TREATMENTS, ANTI-SLIP TREATMENTS OR METAL CASING) AND REGARDLESS OF WHETHER OR NOT ANTIOXIDANTS ARE PRESENT (FOR EXAMPLE, ANTIOXIDANTS CAN BE ADDED TO THE MIX FROM TRACE AMOUNTS TO 15 PERCENT BY WEIGHT AS VARIOUS METALS, METAL ALLOYS, AND METAL CARBIDES). CERTAIN MAGNESIA CARBON BRICKS THAT ARE THE SUBJECT OF THIS ORDER ARE CURRENTLY CLASSIFIABLE UNDER SUBHEADINGS 6902.10.1000, 6902.10.5000, 6815.91.0000, 6815.99.2000 AND 6815.99.4000 OF THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES ("HTSUS"). WHILE HTSUS SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES, THE WRITTEN DESCRIPTION IS DISPOSITIVE.

3. FOR IMPORTS OF CERTAIN MAGNESIA CARBON BRICKS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION (CBP) SHALL CONTINUE TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF ENTRIES OF SUBJECT MERCHANDISE ENTERED, OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER 08/02/2010 AT THE RATES SHOWN IN MESSAGE NUMBER 0232301. EFFECTIVE 09/16/2010, THE DATE THE INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION PUBLISHED ITS FINAL AFFIRMATIVE INJURY DETERMINATION, CBP SHALL REQUIRE A CASH DEPOSIT EQUAL TO THE SUBSIDY RATES IN EFFECT AT THE TIME OF ENTRY.

4. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CBP OFFICERS, THE IMPORTING PUBLIC, OR INTERESTED PARTIES, PLEASE CONTACT DAVINA HASHMI OR RON TRENTAM AT OFFICE OF AD/CVD OPERATIONS, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, AT (202) 482-0984 OR (202) 482-3577 RESPECTIVELY (GENERATED BY O6: TP).

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

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