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FROM: DIRECTOR, SPECIAL ENFORCEMENT

RE: NOTICE OF A PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION IN AN ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF GLYCINE FROM JAPAN (A-588-868)

1. ON 09/13/2007, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER ITS AFFIRMATIVE PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION OF SALES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE IN THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF GLYCINE FROM JAPAN.

2. THE MERCHANDISE COVERED BY THIS INVESTIGATION IS GLYCINE, WHICH IN ITS SOLID (i.e., CRYSTALLIZED) FORM IS A FREE-FLOWING CRYSTALLINE MATERIAL. GLYCINE IS USED AS A SWEETENER/TASTE ENHANCER, BUFFERING AGENT, REABSORBABLE AMINO ACID, CHEMICAL

INTERMEDIATE, METAL COMPLEXING AGENT, DIETARY SUPPLEMENT, AND IS USED IN CERTAIN PHARMACEUTICALS. THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION COVERS GLYCINE IN ANY FORM AND PURITY LEVEL. ALTHOUGH GLYCINE BLENDED WITH OTHER MATERIALS IS NOT COVERED BY THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION, GLYCINE TO WHICH RELATIVELY SMALL QUANTITIES OF OTHER MATERIALS HAVE BEEN ADDED IS COVERED BY THE SCOPE. GLYCINE'S CHEMICAL COMPOSITION IS C₂H₅NO₂ AND IS NORMALLY CLASSIFIED UNDER SUBHEADING 2922.49.4020 OF THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES (HTSUS). THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION ALSO COVERS PRECURSORS OF DRIED CRYSTALLINE GLYCINE, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, GLYCINE SLURRY (i.e., GLYCINE IN A NON-CRYSTALLIZED FORM) AND SODIUM GLYCINATE. GLYCINE SLURRY IS CLASSIFIED UNDER THE SAME HTSUS SUBHEADING AS CRYSTALLIZED GLYCINE (2922.49.4020) AND SODIUM GLYCINATE IS CLASSIFIED UNDER SUBHEADING HTSUS 2922.49.8000. WHILE HTSUS SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES, THE WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION IS DISPOSITIVE.

3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES, THIS CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED INVESTIGATION NUMBER A-588-868.

4. FOR IMPORTS OF GLYCINE FROM JAPAN, U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION (CBP) SHALL SUSPEND LIQUIDATIONS OF SUCH SHIPMENTS ENTERED, OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER 09/13/2007. EFFECTIVE 09/13/2007 CBP SHALL REQUIRE A CASH DEPOSIT OR THE POSTING OF A BOND EQUAL TO THE PERCENTAGE MARGINS SHOWN BELOW FOR ENTRIES OF THE MANUFACTURERS LISTED BELOW:

MANUFACTURER	CUSTOMS ID	PERCENTAGE MARGIN
NU-SCAAN NUTRACEUTICALS CO., LTD	A-588-868-001	280.57%
YUKI GOSEI CO., LTD	A-588-868-002	280.57%
SHOWA DENKO K.K.	A-588-868-003	280.57%

HAYASHI PURE CHEMICAL INDUSTRIES CO., LTD.	A-588-868-004	280.57%
CBC CO., LTD	A-588-868-005	280.57%
SEINO LOGIX CO., LTD	A-588-868-006	280.57%
ESTEE LAUDER GROUP COMPANIES K.K.	A-588-868-007	280.57%
CHELEST CORPORATION	A-588-868-008	280.57%
ALL OTHERS	A-588-868-000	165.34%

5. IF ANY ENTRIES OF THIS MERCHANDISE ARE EXPORTED BY A FIRM OTHER THAN THE MANUFACTURER, THEN THE FOLLOWING INSTRUCTIONS APPLY:

A. IF THE EXPORTER OF THE SUBJECT MERCHANDISE DOES NOT HAVE ITS OWN RATE BUT THE MANUFACTURER HAS ITS OWN RATE, THE CASH DEPOSIT OR BONDING RATE WILL BE THE MANUFACTURER'S RATE.

B. WHERE NEITHER THE EXPORTER NOR THE MANUFACTURER CURRENTLY HAS ITS OWN RATE OR THE MANUFACTURER IS UNKNOWN, USE THE 'ALL OTHER' RATE OF 165.34 PERCENT TO ESTABLISH THE CASH DEPOSIT OR BONDING RATE.

6. IN ACCORDANCE WITH T.D. 85-145, AT THE DISCRETION OF CBP, CUSTOMS OFFICERS MAY ACCEPT EITHER A SINGLE-ENTRY BASIC IMPORTATION AND ENTRY BOND OR A CONTINUOUS BASIC IMPORTATION AND ENTRY BOND ONLY IF THE AMOUNT OF THE ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING OR COUNTERVAILING DUTY IS LESS THAN FIVE PERCENT AD VALOREM (OR THE EQUIVALENT). OTHERWISE, WHERE THE IMPORTER HAS THE OPTION TO POST A BOND FOR ESTIMATED ANTIDUMPING OR COUNTERVAILING DUTIES, CUSTOMS OFFICERS MUST REQUIRE A SINGLE-ENTRY BASIC IMPORTATION AND ENTRY BOND PURSUANT TO T.D. 85-145. YOU ARE INSTRUCTED TO ADHERE TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF T.D. 85-145 WITH RESPECT TO THESE BONDING REQUIREMENTS.

7. 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 O5: DV).

8. 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