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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

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

RE: NOTICE OF FINAL DETERMINATION IN THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF SODIUM HEXAMETAPHOSPHATE FROM CHINA (A-570-908-000/001/002/003)

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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS
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FROM: DIRECTOR, SPECIAL ENFORCEMENT

RE: NOTICE OF FINAL DETERMINATION IN THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF SODIUM HEXAMETAPHOSPHATE FROM CHINA (A-570-908-000/001/002/003)

1. ON FEBRUARY 4, 2008, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER ITS FINAL DETERMINATION OF SALES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE IN THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF SODIUM HEXAMETAPHOSPHATE FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (A-570-908) (SEE 73 FR 6479) .

2. THE MERCHANDISE SUBJECT TO THIS INVESTIGATION IS SODIUM HEXAMETAPHOSPHATE ("SHMP"). SHMP IS A WATER-SOLUBLE POLYPHOSPHATE GLASS THAT CONSISTS OF A DISTRIBUTION OF

POLYPHOSPHATE CHAIN LENGTHS. IT IS A COLLECTION OF SODIUM POLYPHOSPHATE POLYMERS BUILT ON REPEATING NaPO_3 UNITS. SHMP HAS A P_2O_5 CONTENT FROM 60 TO 71 PERCENT. ALTERNATE NAMES FOR SHMP INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING: CALGON; CALGON S; GLASSY SODIUM PHOSPHATE; SODIUM POLYPHOSPHATE, GLASSY; METAPHOSPHORIC ACID; SODIUM SALT; SODIUM ACID METAPHOSPHATE; GRAHAM'S SALT; SODIUM HEX; POLYPHOSPHORIC ACID, SODIUM SALT; GLASS H; HEXAPHOS; SODAPHOS; VITRAFOS; AND BAC-N-FOS. SHMP IS TYPICALLY SOLD AS A WHITE POWDER OR GRANULE (CRUSHED) AND MAY ALSO BE SOLD IN THE FORM OF SHEETS (GLASS) OR AS A LIQUID SOLUTION. IT IS IMPORTED UNDER HEADING 2835.39.5000, HTSUS. IT MAY ALSO BE IMPORTED AS A BLEND OR MIXTURE UNDER HEADING 3824.90.3900 OR 3823.90.3900, HTSUS. THE AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY, CHEMICAL ABSTRACT SERVICE ("CAS") HAS ASSIGNED THE NAME "POLYPHOSPHORIC ACID, SODIUM SALT" TO SHMP. THE CAS REGISTRY NUMBER IS 68915-31-1. HOWEVER, SHMP IS COMMONLY IDENTIFIED BY CAS NO. 10124-56-8 IN THE MARKET. FOR PURPOSES OF THE INVESTIGATION, THE NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION IS DISPOSITIVE, NOT THE TARIFF HEADING, CAS REGISTRY NUMBER OR CAS NAME.

THE PRODUCT COVERED BY THIS INVESTIGATION INCLUDES SHMP IN ALL GRADES, WHETHER FOOD GRADE OR TECHNICAL GRADE. THE PRODUCT COVERED BY THIS INVESTIGATION INCLUDES SHMP WITHOUT REGARD TO CHAIN LENGTH I.E., WHETHER REGULAR OR LONG CHAIN. THE PRODUCT COVERED BY THIS INVESTIGATION INCLUDES SHMP WITHOUT REGARD TO PHYSICAL FORM, WHETHER GLASS, SHEET, CRUSHED, GRANULE, POWDER, FINES, OR OTHER FORM, AND WHETHER OR NOT IN SOLUTION.

HOWEVER, THE PRODUCT COVERED BY THIS INVESTIGATION DOES NOT INCLUDE SHMP WHEN IMPORTED IN A BLEND WITH OTHER MATERIALS IN WHICH THE SHMP ACCOUNTS FOR LESS THAN 50 PERCENT BY VOLUME OF THE FINISHED PRODUCT.

3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES THIS CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED INVESTIGATION NUMBER A-570-908.

4. FOR IMPORTS OF SODIUM HEXAMETAPHOSPHATE FROM THE PEOPLE'S

REPUBLIC OF CHINA, CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION SHALL CONTINUE TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATIONS OF SUCH SHIPMENTS ENTERED OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER 2/4/2008.

EFFECTIVE 2/4/2008 CBP SHALL REQUIRE FOR ENTRIES A CASH DEPOSIT OR THE POSTING OF A BOND EQUAL TO THE MARGINS/SUBSIDY RATES SHOWN BELOW:

PRODUCER/ EXPORTER	CUSTOMS ID NUMBER	MARGIN
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JIANGYIN CHENGXING TRADING CO., LTD. JIANGYIN CHENGXING HOUSEHOLD CHEMICALS CO., LTD.	A-570-908-002	92.02%
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SICHUAN MIANZHU NORWEST PHOSPHATE CHEMICAL CO. LTD/SICHUAN MIANZHU NORWEST PHOSPHATE CHEMICAL CO. LTD	A-570-908-003	92.02%
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PRC-WIDE RATE	A-570-908-000	188.05%
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HUBEI XINGFA CHEMICALS GROUP CO. LTD. (A-570-908-001) LOST ITS SEPARATE RATE FOR THE FINAL DETERMINATION AND IS PART OF THE PRC-WIDE ENTITY (A-570-908-000).

5. 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 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 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.

6. 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 O9: ECB).

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

DAVID M. GENOVESE

Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party