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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

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

RE: PRELIMINARY AFFIRMATIVE CRITICAL CIRCUMSTANCES DETERMINATION IN ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF STEEL CONCRETE REINFORCING BAR FROM CHINA (A-570-860), POLAND (A-455-803)

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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS

PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, TRADE ENFORCEMENT & CONTROL

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1. ON 09/07/2000, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER (65 FR 54228) ITS AFFIRMATIVE PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION OF CRITICAL CIRCUMSTANCES IN THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATIONS OF STEEL CONCRETE REINFORCING BAR (REBAR) FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (PRC) AND POLAND.

2. COMMERCE WILL ISSUE ITS PRELIMINARY ANTIDUMPING DUTY DETERMINATIONS OF REBAR FROM THE PRC AND POLAND ON 12/05/2000.

AT THAT TIME, IF EITHER DETERMINATION IS AFFIRMATIVE, COMMERCE WILL DIRECT CUSTOMS TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF ALL SUCH ENTRIES OF REBAR FROM THE PRC AND/OR POLAND THAT ARE ENTERED, OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER 90 DAYS PRIOR TO THE DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER OF OUR PRELIMINARY DETERMINATIONS OF SALES AT LTFV. CUSTOMS SHALL REQUIRE A CASH DEPOSIT OR POSTING OF A BOND EQUAL TO THE ESTIMATED PRELIMINARY DUMPING MARGINS REFLECTED IN THE PRELIMINARY DETERMINATIONS OF SALES AT LTFV PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER.

3. FOR PURPOSES OF THESE INVESTIGATIONS, THE PRODUCT COVERED IS ALL REBAR SOLD IN STRAIGHT LENGTHS, CURRENTLY CLASSIFIABLE IN THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES (HTSUS) UNDER ITEM NUMBER 7213.20.00 OR ANY OTHER TARIFF ITEM NUMBER. SPECIFICALLY EXCLUDED ARE PLAIN ROUNDS (I.E., NON-DEFORMED OR SMOOTH BARS) AND REBAR THAT HAS BEEN FURTHER PROCESSED THROUGH BENDING OR COATING. HTSUS SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES. THE WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE SCOPE OF THIS PROCEEDING IS DISPOSITIVE.

4. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES, THESE CASES HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED INVESTIGATION NUMBERS A-570-860 (PRC) AND A-455-803 (POLAND).

5. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT, VIA E-MAIL, THROUGH THE APPROPRIATE SUPERVISORY CHANNELS, OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY LIAISON, USING THE ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB." THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT MAGD ZALOK, OFFICE OF AD/CVD ENFORCEMENT, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, AT (202) 482-4162.

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

PAUL SCHWARTZ

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*Party Indicator Value:

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