

**Applicable Statute and Regulations**

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended ("the Act"), are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Act by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act ("URAA"). In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department of Commerce's ("the Department's") regulations are to the current regulations at 19 CFR part 351, 62 FR 27296 (May 19, 1997).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****Background**

On April 21, 1998, the Department initiated an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on Fresh Cut Flowers from Colombia ("Flowers"), covering the period March 1, 1997, through February 28, 1998 (63 FR 19709). Originally, the preliminary determination was due on December 1, 1998 and the final determination was due within 120 days after the publication of the preliminary determination, in accordance with the requirements in section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act (see below).

**Postponement of the Preliminary Results**

Section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act requires the Department to make a preliminary determination within 245 days after the last day of the anniversary month of an order for which a review is requested. However, if it is not practicable to issue the preliminary results in 245 days, section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act allows the Department to extend this time period to 365 days.

We determine that it is not practicable to issue the preliminary results within 245 days because of the large number of respondents and the complexity of the legal and methodological issues in this review.

Accordingly, the deadline for issuing the preliminary results of this review is now no later than February 10, 1999. The deadline for issuing the final results of this review will be 120 days from the publication of the preliminary results.

This extension is in accordance with section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act.

Dated: November 25, 1998.

**Richard W. Moreland,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary, AD/CVD Enforcement, Group I.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE****International Trade Administration**

[A-475-703]

**Granular Polytetrafluoroethylene Resin From Italy: Rescission of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review**

**AGENCY:** Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of Rescission of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review.

**SUMMARY:** On September 29, 1998, the Department of Commerce initiated an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on granular polytetrafluoroethylene resin from Italy. This review was requested by Ausimont SpA, a manufacturer/exporter of subject merchandise, for the period August 1, 1997 through July 31, 1998. Ausimont SpA filed a timely withdrawal of its request for this review on November 12, 1998. Because no other interested party requested a review, we are rescinding this review.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** December 7, 1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Magd Zalok or Gabriel Adler, Office of AD/CVD Enforcement, Office 2, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone (202) 482-4162 and (202) 482-1442, respectively.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****The Applicable Statute**

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the statute are references to the provisions effective January 1, 1995, the effective date of the amendments made to the Tariff Act of 1930 (the Act) by the Uruguay Round Agreements Act (URAA). In addition, unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the Department of Commerce (the Department) regulations refer to the regulations codified at 19 CFR part 351 (1998).

**Background**

On August 31, 1998, Ausimont SpA (Ausimont) requested that the Department conduct an administrative review of granular polytetrafluoroethylene (PTFE) resin from Italy for the period August 1, 1997 through July 31, 1998. No other interested party requested that the Department conduct an administrative review.

On September 29, 1998, the Department published in the **Federal**

**Register** a notice of initiation of administrative review with respect to Ausimont. See *Notice of Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative Reviews and Requests for Revocation in Part*; 63 FR 51893 (September 29, 1998). Subsequently, on November 12, 1998, Ausimont filed a letter with the Department withdrawing its request for an administrative review.

**Rescission of Review**

Pursuant to 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1), the Department will rescind an administrative review, in whole or in part, if a party that requested a review withdraws the request within 90 days of the date of publication of notice of initiation of the requested review. There were no requests for administrative review from other interested parties, and the only party affected by the withdrawal request is the party making the timely request. Given that the review has not progressed substantially and there would be no undue burden on the parties or the Department, the Department has determined that it is reasonable to accept respondent's withdrawal. Therefore, the Department is rescinding this review.

This rescission of the administrative review and notice are in accordance with section 751 of the Act and 19 CFR 351.213(d).

Dated: November 27, 1998.

**Richard W. Moreland,**  
*Deputy Assistant Secretary, Import Administration.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE****International Trade Administration**

[A-580-807]

**Polyethylene Terephthalate Film, Sheet, and Strip From Korea; Postponement of Preliminary Results of Antidumping Duty New Shipper Administrative Review and Partial Rescission of Review**

**AGENCY:** Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of extension of time limit and partial rescission of review.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce (the Department) is extending the time limit for the preliminary results of the new shipper administrative review of the antidumping duty order on polyethylene terephthalate, film, sheet, and strip (PET film) from Korea. The Department is also rescinding the

review with respect to Kohap, Ltd. (Kohap). The review covers two manufacturers/exporters of the subject merchandise and the period June 1, 1997 through May 31, 1998.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** December 7, 1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Michael J. Heaney or John Kugelman, Office of AD/CVD Enforcement, Group III, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230, telephone: (202) 482-4475 or 482-0649, respectively.

**Postponement of Preliminary Results of Review and Rescission of Review With Respect To Kohap**

On July 16, 1998, the Department initiated this new shipper review of the antidumping duty order on PET film from Korea, manufactured by H.S. Industries and Kohap, Ltd. (63 FR 38371). The current deadline for the preliminary results is January 12, 1999. We have determined that this review is extraordinarily complicated, and that we are unable to complete it within the original timeframe. (See Memorandum to the File dated November 24, 1998.)

Accordingly, the deadline for issuing the preliminary results is now due no later than May 12, 1999. The deadline for issuing the final results will be no later than 90 days from the publication of the preliminary results.

On August 21, 1998, Kohap withdrew its request for a new shipper administrative review. Accordingly, we are rescinding this new shipper review with respect to Kohap. Upon publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**, we will instruct the U.S. Customs Service to require cash deposits on all shipments of PET film manufactured by Kohap and entered or withdrawn from warehouse.

This notice is in accordance with Section 751(a)(2)(B)(iv) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (19 U.S.C. 1675(a)(2)(B)(iv)).

Dated: November 29, 1998.

**Joseph A. Spetrini,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary for AD/CVD Enforcement, Group III.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**International Trade Administration**

**[A-580-807]**

**Polyethylene Terephthalate, Film, Sheet, and Strip From Korea; Postponement of Preliminary Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review**

**AGENCY:** Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

**ACTION:** Notice of extension of time limit.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce (the Department) is extending the time limit for the preliminary results of the administrative review of the antidumping duty order on polyethylene terephthalate film, sheet, and strip from Korea. The review covers two manufacturers/exporters of the subject merchandise and the period June 1, 1997 through May 31, 1998.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** December 7, 1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Michael J. Heaney or John Kugelman, Office of AD/CVD Enforcement, Group III, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20230, telephone: (202) 482-4475 or 482-0649, respectively.

**Postponement of Preliminary Results of Review**

On July 28, 1998, the Department initiated this administrative review of the antidumping duty order on polyethylene terephthalate film, sheet, and strip from Korea. (63 FR 40258). The current deadline for the preliminary results is March 2, 1999. We determine that it is not practicable to complete this review within the original time frame. (See Memorandum to the File dated November 24, 1998.)

Accordingly, the deadline for issuing the preliminary results of this review is now due no later than June 30, 1999. The deadline for issuing the final results of this review will be no later than 120 days from the publication of the preliminary results.

This extension is in accordance with section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (19 U.S.C. 1675(a)(3)(A)).

Dated: November 21, 1998.

**Joseph A. Spetrini,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary for AD/CVD Enforcement, Group III.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**International Trade Administration**

**[A-583-827]**

**Static Random Access Memory Semiconductors From Taiwan; Initiation of New Shipper Antidumping Duty Administrative Review**

**AGENCY:** Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce has received a request to conduct a new shipper administrative review of the antidumping duty order on static random access memory semiconductors from Taiwan. In accordance with 19 CFR 351.214(d), we are initiating this administrative review.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** December 7, 1998.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Shawn Thompson or Sergio Gonzalez, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone (202) 482-1776 or 482-1779, respectively.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Background**

The Department received a timely request from Giga Semiconductor Inc. (GSI Technology), in accordance with 19 CFR 351.214(d), for a semiannual new shipper review of the antidumping duty order on certain static random access memory semiconductors (SRAMS) from Taiwan, which has an October semiannual anniversary date. GSI Technology (the respondent) has certified in its October 15, 1998, and its November 20, 1998, submissions to Department that it did not export SRAMS to the United States for sale during the period of investigation (POI) and that it is not affiliated with any exporter or producer which did export SRAMS for sale during the POI. According to 19 CFR 351.214(b)(2)(i), a person may request a new shipper review if the person did not export