	Period
Spain: Stainless Steel Angle, A–469–810 South Africa: Stainless Steel Plate in Coils, A–791–805	5/1/03–4/30/04 5/1/03–4/30/04
Taiwan:. Certain Circular Welded Carbon Steel Pipe & Tubes, A–583–008 Polyester Staple Fiber, A–583–833 Stainless Steel Plate in Coils, A–583–830	5/1/03–4/30/04 5/1/03–4/30/04 5/1/03–4/30/04
The People's Republic of China:. Iron Construction Castings, A–570–502 Pure Magnesium, A–570–832 The United Kingdom: Antifriction Bearings, Ball, A–412–801 Turkey: Welded Carbon Steel Pipe and Tube, A–489–501 Venezuela: Silicomanganese, A–307–820	5/1/03–4/30/04 5/1/03–4/30/04 5/1/03–4/30/04 5/1/03–4/30/04 5/1/03–4/30/04
Countervailing Duty Proceedings Belgium: Stainless Steel Plate in Coils, C-423-809 Brazil: Iron Construction Castings, C-351-504 Canada: Softwood Lumber, C-122-839 Italy: Stainless Steel Plate in Coils, C-475-823 South Africa: Stainless Steel Plate in Coils, C-791-806 Suspension Agreements None.	1/1/03–12/31/03 1/1/03–12/31/03 4/1/03–3/31/04 1/1/03–12/31/03 1/1/03–12/31/03

In accordance with section 351.213(b) the regulations, an interested party as defined by section 771(9) of the Act may request in writing that the Secretary conduct an administrative review. For both antidumping and countervailing duty reviews, the interested party must specify the individual producers or exporters covered by an antidumping finding or an antidumping or countervailing duty order or suspension agreement for which it is requesting a review, and the requesting party must state why it desires the Secretary to review those particular producers or exporters. If the interested party intends for the Secretary to review sales of merchandise by an exporter (or a producer if that producer also exports merchandise from other suppliers) which were produced in more than one country of origin and each country of origin is subject to a separate order, then the interested party must state specifically, on an order-by-order basis, which exporter(s) the request is intended to cover.

As explained in Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Proceedings: Assessment of Antidumping Duties, 69 FR 23954 (May 6, 2003), the Department has clarified its practice with respect to the collection of final antidumping duties on imports of merchandise where intermediate firms are involved. The public should be aware of this clarification in determining whether to request an administrative review of merchandise subject to antidumping findings and orders. See also the Import Administration Web site at http:// www.ia.ita.doc.gov.

Six copies of the request should be submitted to the Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Room 1870, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street & Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230. The Department also asks parties to serve a copy of their requests to the Office of Antidumping/ Countervailing Enforcement, Attention: Sheila Forbes, in room 3065 of the main Commerce Building. Further, in accordance with section 351.303(f)(l)(i) of the regulations, a copy of each request must be served on every party on the Department's service list.

The Department will publish in the Federal Register a notice of "Initiation of Administrative Review of Antidumping or Countervailing Duty Order, Finding, or Suspended Investigation" for requests received by the last day of May 2004. If the Department does not receive, by the last day of May 2004, a request for review of entries covered by an order, finding, or suspended investigation listed in this notice and for the period identified above, the Department will instruct the Customs Service to assess antidumping or countervailing duties on those entries at a rate equal to the cash deposit of (or bond for) estimated antidumping or countervailing duties required on those entries at the time of entry, or withdrawal from warehouse. for consumption and to continue to collect the cash deposit previously ordered.

This notice is not required by statute but is published as a service to the international trading community.

Dated: April 28, 2004.

## Holly A. Kuga,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary, Group II for Import Administration. [FR Doc. 04–10093 Filed 4–30–04; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3510–DS–P

# DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

#### Initiation of Five-Year ("Sunset") Reviews

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

**ACTION:** Notice of initiation of Five-Year ("Sunset") Reviews.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended ("the Act"), the Department of Commerce ("the Department") is automatically initiating five-year ("sunset") reviews of the antidumping and countervailing duty orders and of the suspended investigations listed below. The International Trade Commission ("the Commission") is publishing concurrently with this notice its notice of *Institution of Five-Year Review*, which covers these same orders and suspended investigations.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Hilary Sadler, Esq., Office of Policy, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce at (202) 482–4340, or Mary Messer, Office of Investigations, U.S. International Trade Commission at (202) 205–3193.

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### Background

The Department's procedures for the conduct of sunset reviews are set forth in 19 CFR 351.218. Guidance on methodological or analytical issues relevant to the Department's conduct of sunset reviews is set forth in the Department's Policy Bulletin 98.3— *Policies Regarding the Conduct of Five*- Year ("Sunset") Reviews of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Orders; Policy Bulletin, 63 FR 18871 (April 16, 1998) ("Sunset Policy Bulletin").

#### **Initiation of Reviews**

In accordance with 19 CFR 351.218(c), we are initiating sunset reviews of the following antidumping and countervailing duty orders and suspended investigations. The suspended investigations are denoted by an asterisk ("\*").

DOC case No.	ITC case No.	Country	Product
A-351-828 C-351-829 A-588-846 A-821-809 A-570-501	701–TA–384 731–TA–807 731–TA–809	Brazil Japan Russia	Hot-rolled Flat-rolled Carbon Quality Steel Products (AD). Hot-rolled Flat-rolled Carbon Quality Steel Products (CVD)*. Hot-rolled Flat-rolled Carbon Quality Steel Products (AD). Hot-rolled Flat-rolled Carbon Quality Steel Products (AD)*. Natural Bristle Paint Brushes (2nd sunset review) (AD).

## **Filing Information**

As a courtesy, we are making information related to sunset proceedings, including copies of the Department's regulations regarding sunset reviews (19 CFR 351.218) and *Sunset Policy Bulletin*, the Department's schedule of sunset reviews, case history information (*i.e.*, previous margins, duty absorption determinations, scope language, import volumes), and service lists available to the public on the Department's sunset Internet Web site at the following address: *http:// ia.ita.doc.gov/sunset/.* 

All submissions in these sunset reviews must be filed in accordance with the Department's regulations regarding format, translation, service, and certification of documents. These rules can be found at 19 CFR 351.303. Also, we suggest that parties check the Department's sunset Web site for any updates to the service list before filing any submissions. The Department will make additions to and/or deletions from the service list provided on the sunset Web site based on notifications from parties and participation in these reviews. Specifically, the Department will delete from the service list all parties that do not submit a substantive response to the notice of initiation.

Because deadlines in a sunset review are, in many instances, very short, we urge interested parties to apply for access to proprietary information under administrative protective order ("APO") immediately following publication in the **Federal Register** of the notice of initiation of the sunset review. The Department's regulations on submission of proprietary information and eligibility to receive access to business proprietary information under APO can be found at 19 CFR 351.304–306.

#### Information Required From Interested Parties

Domestic interested parties (defined in 19 CFR 351.102(b) and section 771(9)(C), (D), (E), (F), and (G) of the Act) wishing to participate in these sunset reviews must respond not later than 15 days after the date of publication in the **Federal Register** of the notice of initiation by filing a notice of intent to participate. The required contents of the notice of intent to participate are set forth at 19 CFR 351.218(d)(1)(ii). In accordance with the Department's regulations, if we do not receive a notice of intent to participate from at least one domestic interested party by the 15-day deadline, the Department will automatically revoke the orders without further review. *See* 19 CFR 351.218(d)(1)(iii).

If we receive an order-specific notice of intent to participate from a domestic interested party, the Department's regulations provide that all parties wishing to participate in the sunset review must file complete substantive responses not later than 30 days after the date of publication in the Federal **Register** of the notice of initiation. The required contents of a substantive response, on an order-specific basis, are set forth at 19 CFR 351.218(d)(3). Note that certain information requirements differ for respondent and domestic parties. Also, note that the Department's information requirements are distinct from the International Trade Commission's information requirements. Please consult the Department's regulations for information regarding the Department's conduct of sunset reviews.1 Please consult the Department's regulations at 19 CFR Part 351 for definitions of terms and for other general information concerning antidumping and countervailing duty proceedings at the Department.

This notice of initiation is being published in accordance with section 751(c) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.218(c). Dated: April 26, 2004. James J. Jochum, Assistant Secretary for Import Administration. [FR Doc. 04–9990 Filed 4–30–04; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 3510–DS–P

## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

## International Trade Administration

#### Separate Rates Practice in Antidumping Proceedings Involving Non-Market Economy Countries

**AGENCY:** Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce. **ACTION:** Request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce has a long-standing policy in antidumping proceedings of presuming that all firms within a non-market economy country ("NME") are subject to government control and thus should all be assigned a single, country-wide rate unless a respondent can demonstrate an absence of both *de jure* and de facto control over its export activities. In that case, the Department assigns the respondent its own individually calculated rate or, in the case of a non-investigated or nonreviewed firm, a weighted-average of the rates of the fully analyzed companies, excluding any rates that were zero, de minimis, or based entirely on facts available. The Department is considering options to change certain aspects of its current separate rates policy and practice. This notice describes various options for such changes, in order to provide the public with an opportunity to comment on whether those changes would be consistent with the statute and would appropriately redress problems that have been identified concerning separate rates. The Department intends to consider additional modifications to its NME practice and may solicit additional public comment on other potential changes, as appropriate.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In comments made on the interim final sunset regulations, a number of parties stated that the proposed five-day period for rebuttals to substantive responses to a notice of initiation was insufficient. This requirement was retained in the final sunset regulations at 19 CFR 351.218(d)(4). As provided in 19 CFR 351.302(b), however, the Department will consider individual requests for extension of that five-day deadline based upon a showing of good cause.