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Kelley ParkhillDirector for Industry Support and AnalysisImport AdministrationRoom 3713Department of Congress14th Street and Constitution Ave., NWWashington, DC20230

Dear Kelley:

Being a small 35 employee rubber roll covering operation with 95% of sales derived from flat sheet operations of the steel industry, we are very concerned that many small suppliers serving the steel industry will soon be history. The bankruptcies of many of our flat steel producers due to low cost sheet from foreign markets, has placed our company, after fifty-five years of serving the steel industry, in a serious financial situation.



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It is vitally essential that every effort be made to encourage our Administration to quickly act on their commitment to expand and act quickly for expanding and extending the existing Steel Import Monitoring and Analysis system, especially since the existing program will expire in March of 2005. We encourage the expansion already outlined by Secretary Evans to make it indefinite in duration and to extend it to other steel products and not only to Section 201 products.

A world market is great as long as our people in America are working and progressing in a system that we worked very hard to achieve.

Sincerely, The Nazar Rubber Co. (God Bless America)

E.L. Nazar President

Cc: Honorable Donald L. Evans Secretary of Commerce