

final determination before the later of 120 days after the date of the Department's preliminary determination or 45 days after the Department's final determination whether the domestic industry in the United States is materially injured, or threatened with material injury, by reason of imports, or sales (or the likelihood of sales) for importation, of the subject merchandise.

#### Public Comment

Case briefs or other written comments may be submitted to the Assistant Secretary for Import Administration no later than seven days after the date of the final verification report issued in this proceeding and rebuttal briefs, limited to issues raised in case briefs, no later than five days after the deadline date for case briefs. A list of authorities used and an executive summary of issues should accompany any briefs submitted to the Department. This summary should be limited to five pages total, including footnotes. In accordance with section 774 of the Act, we will hold a public hearing, if requested, to afford interested parties an opportunity to comment on arguments raised in case or rebuttal briefs. Tentatively, any hearing will be held three days after the deadline for submission of the rebuttal briefs at the U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230, at a time and location to be determined. Parties should confirm by telephone the date, time, and location of the hearing two days before the scheduled date. Interested parties who wish to request a hearing, or to participate if one is requested, must submit a written request to the Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Room 1870, within 30 days of the date of publication of this notice. See 19 CFR 351.310(c). Requests should contain (1) the party's name, address, and telephone number, (2) the number of participants, and (3) a list of the issues to be discussed. At the hearing, each party may make an affirmative presentation only on issues raised in that party's case brief and may make rebuttal presentations only on arguments included in that party's rebuttal brief. See 19 CFR 351.310(c).

We will make our final determination no later than 135 days after the date of publication of the preliminary determination.

This determination is issued and published in accordance with sections 733(f) and 777(i)(1) of the Act.

Dated: May 17, 2004.

**James J. Jochum,**

*Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[A-351-824]

#### Silicomanganese From Brazil: Notice of Amended Final Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

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

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Commerce (the Department) is amending the final results of administrative review of the antidumping duty order on silicomanganese from Brazil to reflect the correction of a ministerial error in those final results. The review covers the collapsed entity of SIBRA Electrosiderurgica Brasileira S.A. (SIBRA), Companhia Paulista de Ferro-Ligas (CPFL), and Urucum Mineracao S.A. (Urucum) (collectively "SIBRA/CPFL/Urucum"). The period of review is December 1, 2001, through November 31, 2002.

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** May 24, 2004.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Katja Kravetsky or Mark Ross, Office of AD/CVD Enforcement 3, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone: (202) 482-0108 or (202) 482-4794, respectively.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Background

On March 24, 2004, the Department published in the **Federal Register** the final results of the administrative review of the antidumping duty order on silicomanganese from Brazil. See *Silicomanganese from Brazil: Final Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review*, 69 FR 13813 (*Final Results*). On April 15, 2004, in response to timely filed ministerial-error allegations by SIBRA/CPFL/Urucum and the Eramet Marietta Inc. (the petitioner), we issued a memorandum detailing our analysis of the ministerial-error comments. See the April 15, 2004, memorandum titled "Silicomanganese from Brazil: Analysis of Ministerial-Error Comments" (Ministerial-Error Memo), the public

version of which is on file in the Central Records Unit in room B-099 of the main Commerce building. On April 21, 2004, the petitioner filed a timely ministerial-error allegation pertaining to the Ministerial-Error Memo. Specifically, the petitioner alleged that the Department did not include the reported manufacturing costs for 15/20-grade silicomanganese in the calculation of the weighted-average cost of production and constructed value of the 16/20-grade silicomanganese sold in the United States as it stated it had in the *Final Results*. SIBRA/CPFL did not reply to this ministerial-error allegation.

#### Amendment to Final Results

We have reviewed the *Ministerial-Error Memo* and the calculations in the *Final Results* and find that the error alleged by the petitioner on April 21, 2004, constitutes a ministerial error within the meaning of 19 CFR 351.224(f). For a detailed analysis of the ministerial-error allegation and the Department's position, see the Memorandum to Jeffrey May, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, from Laurie Parkhill, Office Director, dated May 14, 2004. Pursuant to section 751(h) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), we have amended the *Final Results* by correcting this error, which changes the final antidumping duty margin from 13.02 percent to 16.50 percent. Consequently, we will issue amended cash-deposit instructions to U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) to reflect the amendment of the final results of review.

#### Duty Assessment and Cash-Deposit Requirements

The Department will determine, and CBP shall assess, antidumping duties on all appropriate entries. In accordance with 19 CFR 351.212(b)(1), we have calculated an importer-specific assessment rate. The Department will issue appropriate assessment instructions directly to CBP within 15 days of publication of these amended final results of review. Further, the following deposit requirements will be effective upon publication of the amended final results of this administrative review for all shipments of silicomanganese from Brazil entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after the publication date of the amended final results, as provided by section 751(a)(2)(C) of the Act: (1) The cash-deposit rate for SIBRA/CPFL/Urucum will be 16.50 percent; (2) for merchandise exported by producers or exporters that were previously reviewed or investigated, the

cash-deposit rate will continue to be the most recent rate published in the final determination or final results for which the producer or exporter received an individual rate; (3) if the exporter is not a firm covered by these amended final results of review, a prior review, or the original less-than-fair-value (LTFV) investigation, but the manufacturer is, the cash-deposit rate will be the rate established for the most recent period for the manufacturer of the subject merchandise; and (4) if neither the exporter nor the manufacturer is a firm covered by these amended final results of review, the cash deposit rate will be 17.60 percent, the all-others rate established in the LTFV investigation. See *Notice of Final Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value: Silicomanganese from Brazil*, 59 FR 55432, (November 7, 1994). These deposit requirements shall remain in effect until publication of the final results of the next administrative review.

We are issuing and publishing these amended final results in accordance with section 751(h) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.224.

Dated: May 14, 2004.

**James J. Jochum,**

*Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[A-557-809]

#### **Stainless Steel Butt-Weld Pipe Fittings from Malaysia: Rescission of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review**

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

**ACTION:** Notice of rescission of the antidumping duty administrative review.

**SUMMARY:** On March 26, 2004, in response to a request made by Schulz (Mfg.) Sdn. Bhd. ("Schulz"), a producer and exporter of the subject merchandise in Malaysia, the Department of Commerce ("Department") published a notice of initiation of an antidumping duty administrative review on stainless steel butt-weld pipe fittings ("SSBWPF") from Malaysia, for the period February 1, 2003 through January 31, 2004. Because Schulz has withdrawn its request for review, and there were no other requests for review

for this time period, the Department is rescinding this review in accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1).

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** May 24, 2004.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Laurel LaCivita, Enforcement Group III, Office 9, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20230; telephone: 202-482-4243.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Background**

On February 29, 2004, Schulz, a producer and exporter of the subject merchandise in Malaysia, requested the Department to conduct an administrative review of its sales for the period February 1, 2003 through January 31, 2004. Schultz was the only interested party to request a review for this time period. On March 26, 2004, the Department published a notice of initiation of the antidumping administrative review on SSBWPF from Malaysia, in accordance with 19 CFR 351.221(c)(1)(i). See *Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative Reviews and Requests for Revocations in Part*, 69 FR 15788 (March 26, 2004). On March 31, 2004, Schulz withdrew its request for review.

**Rescission of Review**

Pursuant to the Department's regulations, the Department will rescind an administrative review "if a party that requested the review withdraws the request within 90 days of the date of publication of notice of initiation of the requested review." See 19 CFR 351.213(d)(1). Schultz, the only interested party to request an administrative review for this time period, withdrew its request for this review within the 90-day time limit; accordingly, we are rescinding the administrative review for the period February 1, 2003 through January 31, 2004, and will issue appropriate assessment instructions to the U.S. Customs and Border Protection ("Customs").

This notice serves as a reminder to parties subject to administrative protective order ("APO") of their responsibility concerning the disposition of proprietary information disclosed under APO in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305(a)(3). Timely written notification of the return or destruction of APO materials or conversion to judicial protective order is hereby requested. Failure to comply with the regulations and terms of an APO is a sanctionable violation. This

determination is issued in accordance with 19 CFR 351.213(d)(4) and section 777(i)(1) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended.

Dated: May 17, 2004.

**Joseph A. Spetrini,**

*Deputy Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[C-357-813]

#### **Honey from Argentina: Final Results of Countervailing Duty Administrative Review**

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

**SUMMARY:** On December 15, 2003, the Department of Commerce (the Department) published in the **Federal Register** its preliminary results of administrative review of the countervailing duty order on honey from Argentina for the period January 1, 2001 through December 31, 2002. We are now issuing the final results.

Based on our analysis of the comments received, we have made no changes to the net countervailable subsidy rates for 2001 and 2002. Therefore, the final results do not differ from the preliminary results. The final net countervailable subsidy rates are listed below in the section entitled "Final Results of Administrative Review."

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** May 24, 2004.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Thomas Gilgunn or Addilyn Chams-Eddine, Office of AD/CVD Enforcement VII, Import Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, Room 4012, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20230; telephone (202) 482-4236 or (202) 482-0648, respectively.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Background**

In response to requests for an administrative review of the countervailing duty (CVD) order on honey from Argentina from the Government of Argentina (GOA) and the American Honey Producers Association and Sioux Honey Association (petitioners), the Department initiated an administrative review for the period January 1, 2001 through December 31, 2001. See *Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative*