UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:)	
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OIL COUNTRY TUBULAR GOODS) Investigation 1	No.
FROM ARGENTINA, ITALY,) 731-TA-711 and	
JAPAN, KOREA, AND MEXICO) 713-716	
) (Second Review))
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> Thursday, May 31, 2007

Room 101 U.S. International Trade Commission 500 E Street, SW Washington, D.C.

The Commission meeting commenced, pursuant to notice, at 11:00 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States International Trade Commission, the Honorable DANIEL R. PEARSON, Chairman, presiding.

APPEARANCES:

On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

Commissioners:

DANIEL R. PEARSON, CHAIRMAN (presiding)
SHARA L. ARANOFF, VICE CHAIRMAN (via telephone)
DEANNA TANNER OKUN, COMMISSIONER
CHARLOTTE R. LANE, COMMISSIONER (via telephone)
IRVING A. WILLIAMSON, COMMISSIONER
DEAN A. PINKERT, COMMISSIONER

APPEARANCES (continued):

Staff:

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COORDINATOR

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DOUGLAS CORKRAN, SUPERVISORY INVESTIGATOR

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Agenda for Future Meetings: none	4
Minutes: none	4
Ratification List: none	4
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Korea, and Mexico) - briefing and vote	4
Outstanding Action Jackets: none	4

1	PROCEEDINGS
2	(11:00 a.m.)
3	CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Good morning. This
4	meeting of the U.S. International Trade Commission
5	will now come to order. Welcome to Commissioners
6	Aranoff and Lane who are participating by telephone.
7	COMMISSIONER ARANOFF: Good morning.
8	COMMISSIONER LANE: Good morning.
9	CHAIRMAN PEARSON: I hear both of you, okay?
10	I understand that there are no agendas for
11	future meetings, outstanding action jackets, minutes,
12	or ratification lists to consider.
13	Next we turn to the vote in Investigation
14	No. 731-TA-711 and 713-716 (Second Review) Oil Country
15	Tubular Goods from Argentina, Italy, Japan, Korea, and
16	Mexico.
17	Welcome to Mr. Corkran and the staff who
18	participated in this investigation.
19	Are there any questions for the staff?
20	(No response.)
21	CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Are there any additions
22	or corrections to the staff report?
23	MR. CORKRAN: Douglas Corkran, Office of
24	Investigations. Thank you, Chairman Pearson. Staff
25	proposes that the staff report on the subject reviews
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- 1 be revised in accordance with Memorandum Inv. EE-054
- 2 dated May 22, 2007.
- 3 Staff has no further revisions.
- 4 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Is there any objection to
- 5 approval of the staff report as revised?
- 6 (No response.)
- 7 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Hearing none, it is
- 8 approved.
- 9 Madame Secretary, will you please call the
- 10 roll?
- 11 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Aranoff?
- 12 VICE CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: I vote in the
- 13 negative with respect to all countries in these
- 14 reviews.
- 15 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Pearson?
- 16 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: I vote in the negative
- 17 with respect to all products and all countries.
- 18 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Williamson?
- 19 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the
- 20 negative with respect to all countries.
- 21 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Okun?
- 22 CHAIRMAN OKUN: I vote in the negative.
- 23 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Pinkert?
- 24 COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I make affirmative
- 25 determinations with respect to casing and tubing from

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- Japan and Korea. I make a negative determination with
- 2 respect to drill pipe from Japan, and I make negative
- determinations with respect to casing and tubing from
- 4 Argentina, Italy and Mexico.
- 5 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Lane?
- 6 COMMISSIONER LANE: I make an affirmative
- 7 determination with regard to all countries on casing
- 8 and tubing and I make a negative determination on
- 9 drill pipe from Japan.
- 10 MS. ABBOTT: Mr. Chairman, the Commission
- 11 has made negative determinations in all reviews.
- 12 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Thank you, Madame
- 13 Secretary.
- 14 Further information regarding this
- determination will be available in the press release.
- 16 Commissioners' opinions currently are scheduled to be
- 17 transmitted to the Department of Commerce on or before
- 18 June 15, 2007.
- 19 Thank you to all staff who participated in
- 20 this investigation. Seeing that there is no other
- 21 business before us, this meeting is adjourned.
- 22 (Whereupon, at 11:05 a.m., the Commission
- 23 meeting in the above-entitled matter was concluded.)
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CERTIFICATION OF TRANSCRIPTION

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Mexico

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