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Thursday,  
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Main Hearing Room  
 Room 101  
 500 E Street, S.W.  
 Washington, D.C.

The hearing commenced, pursuant to notice, at 9:29 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States International Trade Commission, the Honorable Deanna Tanner Okun, Chairman, presiding.

## APPEARANCES:

On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

Commissioners:

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P R O C E E D I N G S

(9:29 a.m.)

CHAIRMAN OKUN: Good morning. On behalf of the United States International Trade Commission, I welcome you to this hearing on Investigation No. TA-204-11, Certain Steel Wire Rods: Evaluation of the Effectiveness of Import Relief.

On February 16, 2000, the President, pursuant to Section 203 of the Trade Act of 1974, issued a proclamation to facilitate positive adjustment to competition from imports of certain steel wire rod. He imposed import relief for a period of three years and one day, effective March 1, 2000.

On March 1, 2003, the import relief terminated. Following termination, the commission, as required by Section 204(d) of the act, instituted Investigation No. TA-204-11 to evaluate the effectiveness of the action in facilitating positive adjustment by the domestic steel wire rod industry to import competition.

The appearances for this hearing were due on June 19, 2003 and of that date the commission had received no appearances.

Mr. Secretary, are there any other matters to consider?

1 MR. BISHOP: No, Madam Chairman.

2 CHAIRMAN OKUN: If not, this hearing is  
3 adjourned.

4 (Whereupon, at 9:30 a.m., the hearing in the  
5 above-captioned matter were concluded.)

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**TITLE:** Certain Steel Wire Rod  
**INVESTIGATION NO.:** TA-204-11 (Review)  
**HEARING DATE:** June 26, 2003  
**LOCATION:** Washington, D.C.  
**NATURE OF HEARING:** Hearing

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