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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

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GLYCINE FROM INDIA (FINAL)) 731-TA-1111

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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
 DEANNA TANNER OKUN, COMMISSIONER
 CHARLOTTE R. LANE, COMMISSIONER
 IRVING A. WILLIAMSON, COMMISSIONER
 DEAN A. PINKERT, COMMISSIONER (via telephone)

MARILYN R. ABBOTT, SECRETARY TO THE COMMISSION
 SHARON BELLAMY, HEARINGS AND MEETINGS ASSISTANT

APPEARANCES: (Cont'd)

Inv. No. 731-TA-1145 (Preliminary) (Certain Steel Threaded Rod from China)

Staff:

JAMES McCLURE, INVESTIGATOR
KAREN TAYLOR, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ANALYST
KELLY CLARK, ECONOMIST
JOHN ASCIENZO, ACCOUNTANT/AUDITOR
PETER SULTAN, ATTORNEY

Inv. No. 731-TA-1111 (Final) (Glycine from India)

Staff:

RUSSELL DUNCAN, INVESTIGATOR
PHILIP STONE, INDUSTRY ANALYST
AMELIA PREECE, ECONOMIST
JOHN ASCIENZO, ACCOUNTANT/AUDITOR
CHARLES ST. CHARLES, ATTORNEY
DOUGLAS CORKRAN, SUPERVISORY INVESTIGATOR

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P R O C E E D I N G S

(11:00 a.m.)

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3 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Good morning. This
4 meeting of the U.S. International Trade Commission
5 will now come to order.

6 Welcome to Commissioner Pinkert, who is
7 participating by telephone.

8 COMMISSIONER PINKERT: Thank you.

9 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: I understand that there
10 are no agendas for future meetings or outstanding
11 action jackets to consider.

12 Is there any objection to approval of the
13 minutes of April 9, 11, and 15, 2008, or Ratification
14 List 08-008?

15 (No response.)

16 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Hearing none, they are
17 approved.

18 Next, we turn to the vote in Investigation
19 No. 731-TA-1145 (Preliminary) (Certain Steel Threaded
20 Rod from China).

21 Welcome to Mr. McClure and the staff who
22 worked in this investigation. Mr. McClure, would I be
23 correct to observe that this is your first appearance
24 before the Commission in your new capacity as
25 supervisory investigator?

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1 MR. McCLURE: Jim McClure, Office of
2 Investigations. Yes, Mr. Chairman, you would be
3 correct.

4 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Well, congratulations and
5 welcome.

6 MR. McCLURE: Thank you, I think.

7 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Are there any questions
8 for the staff?

9 (No response.)

10 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Are there any additions
11 or corrections to the staff report?

12 MR. McCLURE: Mr. Chairman, there is one
13 addition to the staff report, as contained in the
14 Office of Investigations, Memorandum INV-FF-041, dated
15 April 18, 2008.

16 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Is there any objection to
17 approval of the staff report, as modified?

18 (No response.)

19 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Hearing none, it is
20 approved.

21 Madam Secretary, will you please call the
22 roll?

23 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Lane?

24 COMMISSIONER LANE: I vote in the
25 affirmative.

1 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Okun?

2 COMMISSIONER OKUN: I vote in the
3 affirmative.

4 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Williamson?

5 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the
6 affirmative.

7 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Aranoff?

8 VICE CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: I vote in the
9 affirmative.

10 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Pearson?

11 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: I vote in the
12 affirmative.

13 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Pinkert?

14 COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I vote in the
15 affirmative.

16 MS. ABBOTT: Mr. Chairman, the Commission
17 has reached an affirmative determination.

18 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Thank you, Madam
19 Secretary.

20 Further information regarding these
21 determinations will be available in the press release.
22 Commissioners' opinions currently are scheduled to be
23 delivered to the Department of Commerce on or before
24 April 28, 2008. Thank you to all of the staff who
25 participated in this investigation.

1 We will now take a moment to change staff
2 for the next vote.

3 (Pause.)

4 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Next, we turn to the vote
5 in Investigation No. 731-TA-1111 (Final) (Glycine from
6 India).

7 Welcome to Mr. Corkran and the staff who
8 participated in this investigation.

9 Are there any questions for the staff?

10 (No response.)

11 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Are there any additions
12 or corrections to the staff report?

13 MR. CORKRAN: Douglas Corkran, Office of
14 Investigations. Thank you, Chairman Pearson. There
15 are no revisions or corrections to the staff report.

16 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Is there any objection to
17 approval of the staff report?

18 (No response.)

19 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Hearing none, it is
20 approved.

21 Madam Secretary, will you please call the
22 roll?

23 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Lane?

24 COMMISSIONER LANE: I vote in the negative.

25 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Pearson?

1 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: I vote in the negative.

2 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Okun?

3 COMMISSIONER OKUN: I vote in the negative.

4 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Aranoff?

5 VICE CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: I vote in the
6 negative.

7 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Williamson?

8 COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I vote in the
9 affirmative.

10 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Pinkert?

11 COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I vote in the
12 affirmative.

13 MS. ABBOTT: Mr. Chairman, the Commission
14 has reached a negative determination.

15 CHAIRMAN PEARSON: Thank you, Madam
16 Secretary.

17 Further information regarding these
18 determinations will be available in the press release.
19 Commissioners' opinions currently are scheduled to be
20 transmitted to the Department of Commerce on or before
21 May 5, 2008. Thank you to all of the staff who
22 participated in this investigation.

23 Seeing that there is no other business
24 before us, this meeting is adjourned.

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1 (Whereupon, at 11:06 a.m., the Commission
2 meeting in the above-entitled matter was concluded.)

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