# UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:	)	
	)	Investigation Nos.:
CERTAIN LIGHTWEIGHT THERMAL	)	701-TA-451 and
PAPER FROM CHINA AND GERMANY	)	731-TA-1126-1127
	)	(Final)

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Thursday, October 30, 2008

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

The Commission meeting commenced, pursuant to notice, at 9:32 a.m., before the Commissioners of the United States International Trade Commission, the Honorable SHARA L. ARANOFF, Chairman, presiding.

APPEARANCES:

#### On Behalf of the International Trade Commission:

#### Commissioners:

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

MARILYN R. ABBOTT, SECRETARY TO THE COMMISSION BILL BISHOP, HEARINGS AND MEETINGS COORDINATOR

APPEARANCES: (Cont'd)

#### Staff:

CHRISTOPHER CASSISE, INVESTIGATOR
VINCE HONNOLD, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ANALYST
MARY KLIR, ACCOUNTANT/AUDITOR
NANCY BRYAN, ECONOMIST
MARC BERNSTEIN, ATTORNEY
JAMES MCCLURE, SUPERVISORY INVESTIGATOR

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1	PROCEEDINGS
2	(9:32 a.m.)
3	CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Good morning. This
4	meeting of the U.S. International Trade Commission
5	will now come to order.
6	Welcome to Commissioner Lane, who is
7	participating by telephone.
8	COMMISSIONER LANE: Good morning.
9	CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: 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 October 14, 16, 21, and 22, 2008, or
14	Ratification List 08-016?
15	(No response.)
16	CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Hearing none, they are
17	approved.
18	Next we turn to the vote in Investigation
19	Nos. 701-TA-451 and 731-TA-1126-1127 (Final) (Certain
20	Lightweight Thermal Paper from China and Germany).
21	Welcome to Mr. McClure and the staff who
22	participated in these investigations.
23	Are there any questions for the staff?
24	(No response.)
25	CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Are there any additions
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- 1 or corrections to the staff report?
- 2 MR. MCCLURE: Jim McClure, Office of
- 3 Investigations. Chairman Aranoff, the staff report
- 4 should be approved subject to the revisions contained
- 5 in Office of Investigations Memorandum Inv. FF-135
- 6 dated October 29, 2008.
- 7 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Is there any objection to
- 8 approval of the staff report as revised?
- 9 (No response.)
- 10 CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Hearing none, it is
- 11 approved.
- 12 Madam Secretary, will you please call the
- 13 roll?
- MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Lane.
- 15 COMMISSIONER LANE: I vote affirmative
- threat with regard to each country.
- 17 MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Okun.
- 18 COMMISSIONER OKUN: I make an affirmative
- 19 threat determination with respect to China. I make a
- 20 negative determination with respect to Germany.
- MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Pinkert.
- 22 COMMISSIONER PINKERT: I reach an
- 23 affirmative determination on both countries on the
- 24 basis of threat.
- MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Aranoff.

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1	CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: I make an affirmative
2	determination on the basis of threat with respect to
3	China and a negative determination with respect to
4	Germany.
5	MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Pearson.
6	VICE CHAIRMAN PEARSON: I vote in the
7	affirmative with respect to China on the basis of
8	threat and in the negative with respect to Germany.
9	MS. ABBOTT: Commissioner Williamson.
10	COMMISSIONER WILLIAMSON: I reach an
11	affirmative determination on the basis of threat with
12	respect to both countries.
13	MS. ABBOTT: Madam Chairman, the Commission
14	has reached affirmative determinations in these
15	investigations.
16	CHAIRMAN ARANOFF: Thank you, Madam
17	Secretary.
18	Further information regarding these
19	determinations will be in the press release.
20	Commissioners' opinions currently are scheduled to be
21	transmitted to the Department of Commerce on or before
22	November 10, 2008.
23	Thank you to all the staff who participated
24	in these investigations. It's been a difficult task
25	and you've done a really terrific job combing through

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       a very large record.
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                  Seeing that there is no other business
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       before the Commission, this meeting is adjourned.
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                  (Whereupon, at 9:35 a.m., the Commission
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      meeting in the above-entitled matter was adjourned.)
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#### CERTIFICATION OF TRANSCRIPTION

TITLE: (Final) (Certain Lightweight

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Germany)

**INVESTIGATION NOS.:** 701-TA-451 and 731-TA-1126-1127

**HEARING DATE:** October 30, 2008

**LOCATION:** Washington, D.C.

NATURE OF HEARING: Commission meeting

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