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

The Commission meeting commenced, pursuant to notice, at 1:00 p.m., before the Commissioners of the United States International Trade Commission, the Honorable STEPHEN KOPLAN, Chairman, presiding. APPEARANCES:

On behalf of the International Trade Commission:

Commissioners:

STEPHEN KOPLAN, CHAIRMAN (presiding) DEANNA TANNER OKUN, VICE CHAIRMAN JENNIFER A. HILLMAN, COMMISSIONER CHARLOTTE R. LANE, COMMISSIONER DANIEL R. PEARSON, COMMISSIONER SHARA L. ARANOFF, COMMISSIONER

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Meeting called to order	4
Agenda for Future Meeting: none	4
Minutes: February 23 and March 2, 6, and 7, 2006	4
Ratification List: 06-005	4
Outstanding Action Jackets: none	4
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1	PROCEEDINGS
2	(1:00 p.m.)
3	CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: Good afternoon. This
4	meeting of the U.S. International Trade Commission
5	will please come to order.
6	I understand there is no agenda for future
7	meetings. Is there any objection to approval of the
8	minutes of February 23 and March 2, 6, and 7, 2006 or
9	Ratification List 06-005?
10	(No response.)
11	CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: Hearing none, they are
12	approved.
13	We will now turn to the briefing and vote in
14	Investigation No. 731-TA-856 (Review)(Certain Ammonium
15	Nitrate from Russia). Welcome, Mr. Deyman.
16	MR. DEYMAN: Good afternoon.
17	CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: Are there any questions
18	for the staff?
19	(No response.)
20	CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: Are there any additions or
21	corrections to the staff report?
22	MR. DEYMAN: Yes, Mr. Chairman. This is
23	George Deyman, Office of Investigations. We propose
24	that the staff report be amended to include the
25	revisions in Memorandum Inv. DD-032 of March 13, 2006.
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1 CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: Thank you. Are there any 2 objections to approval of the staff report as revised? 3 (No response.) CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: Hearing none, it is 4 approved. 5 Mr. Secretary, will you please call the 6 roll? 7 Commissioner Koplan. 8 MR. BISHOP: I vote in the affirmative. 9 CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Hillman. 10 11 COMMISSIONER HILLMAN: I vote in the affirmative. 12 13 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Aranoff. COMMISSIONER ARANOFF: I vote in the 14 affirmative. 15 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Okun. 16 17 VICE CHAIRMAN OKUN: I vote in the 18 affirmative. MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Pearson. 19 20 COMMISSIONER PEARSON: I vote in the affirmative. 21 MR. BISHOP: Commissioner Lane. 22 23 COMMISSIONER LANE: I vote in the 24 affirmative. MR. BISHOP: Mr. Chairman, the Commission 25 Heritage Reporting Corporation (202) 628-4888

has reached an affirmative determination in this second five-year review -- I'm sorry, in this five-year review. CHAIRMAN KOPLAN: Thank you. Further information regarding this determination will be in the press release. Commissioners' opinions are currently scheduled to be transmitted to the Department of Commerce on or before March 27, 2006. I want to thank all the staff that assisted us in this investigation. Understanding that there is no other business before the Commission, this meeting is adjourned. (Whereupon, at 1:02 p.m., the Commission meeting in the above-entitled matter was concluded.) // // 

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#### CERTIFICATION OF TRANSCRIPTION

TITLE: Certain Ammonium Nitrate

**INVESTIGATION NOS.**: 731-TA-856

HEARING DATE: March 14, 2006

LOCATION: Washington, D.C.

NATURE OF HEARING: Commission Meeting

I hereby certify that the foregoing/attached transcript is a true, correct and complete record of the above-referenced proceeding(s) of the U.S. International Trade Commission.

DATE: <u>March 14, 2006</u>

SIGNED: LaShonne Robinson Signature of the Contractor or the Authorized Contractor's Representative 1220 L Street, N.W. - Suite 600 Washington, D.C. 20005

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SIGNED:

<u>Carlos Gamez</u> Signature of Proofreader

I hereby certify that I reported the abovereferenced proceeding(s) of the U.S. International Trade Commission and caused to be prepared from my tapes and notes of the proceedings a true, correct and complete verbatim recording of the proceeding(s).

SIGNED:

<u>Renee Katz</u> Signature of Court Reporter

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