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MEMORANDUM TO: James Maeder
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THROUGH: Irene Darzenta Tzafolias
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SUBJECT: Forged Steel Fluid End Blocks from the Federal Republic of
Germany: Extension of Deadline for Preliminary Results of
Countervailing Duty Administrative Review

I. BACKGROUND

The U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) is conducting an administrative review of the countervailing duty order on forged steel fluid end blocks from the Federal Republic of Germany covering the period from January 1, 2022, through December 31, 2022.¹ The current deadline for the preliminary results of this review is October 3, 2023.

II. EXTENSION OF TIME LIMIT FOR PRELIMINARY RESULTS

Section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act) requires Commerce to complete the preliminary results within 245 days after the last day of the anniversary month of an order for which a review is requested. If it is not practicable to complete the review within this time period, section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Act allows Commerce to extend the time limit for the preliminary results to a maximum of 365 days after the last day of the anniversary month.

We determine that it is not practicable to complete the preliminary results of this review by the current deadline of October 3, 2023, because Commerce requires additional time to analyze the questionnaire responses submitted by the respondents submitted during the review.

¹ See *Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative Reviews*, 88 FR 15642 (March 14, 2023).



Therefore, we are extending the time period for issuing the preliminary results of this review by 120 days, to 365 days after the last day of the anniversary month, until January 31, 2024.



Agree



Disagree

9/27/2023

X

James Maeder

Signed by: JAMES MAEDER

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