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MEMORANDUM TO: James Maeder
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THROUGH: Shawn Thompson
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SUBJECT: Certain Cold-Drawn Mechanical Tubing of Carbon and Alloy Steel
from Italy: Extension of Deadline for Final Results of
Antidumping Duty Administrative Review, 2021-2022

I. BACKGROUND

The U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) is conducting an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on certain cold-drawn mechanical tubing of carbon and alloy steel from Italy covering the period from June 1, 2021, through May 31, 2022.¹ On July 7, 2023, Commerce published in the *Federal Register* the preliminary results of the administrative review.² The current deadline for the final results of this review is November 6, 2023.³

II. EXTENSION OF TIME LIMIT FOR FINAL RESULTS

Section 751(a)(3)(A) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), requires Commerce to complete the final results within 120 days after the date of publication of the preliminary results. If it is not practicable to complete the review within this time period, section 751(a)(3)(A) of the

¹ See *Initiation of Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Administrative Reviews*, 87 FR 48459 (August 9, 2022).

² See *Certain Cold-Drawn Mechanical Tubing of Carbon and Alloy Steel from Italy: Preliminary Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review; 2021-2022*, 88 FR 43281 (July 7, 2023) (*Preliminary Results*).

³ Because the current deadline for these final results falls on the weekend (*i.e.*, November 4, 2023), the deadline became the next business day (*i.e.*, November 6, 2023). See *Notice of Clarification: Application of "Next Business Day" Rule for Administrative Determination Deadlines Pursuant to the Tariff Act of 1930, As Amended*, 70 FR 24533 (May 10, 2005).



Act allows Commerce to extend the time limit for the final results to a maximum of 180 days after the date of publication of the preliminary results.

We determine that it is not practicable to complete the final results of this review by the current deadline of November 6, 2023, because we require additional time to analyze the various issues raised in parties' briefs.

Therefore, we recommend extending the time period for issuing the final results of this review by 60 days, to 180 days after the publication date of the *Preliminary Results*, until January 3, 2024.



Agree



Disagree

9/28/2023

X

James Maeder

Signed by: JAMES MAEDER

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