

International Trade Administration

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Antifriction Bearings (Other Than Tapered Roller Bearings) and Parts Thereof From Germany, Italy, Japan, and the United Kingdom: Amended Final Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Reviews

AGENCY: International Trade Administration, Import Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of amended final results of antidumping duty administrative reviews.

SUMMARY: On December 17, 1996, the Department of Commerce (the Department) published the final results of administrative reviews of the antidumping duty orders on Antifriction Bearings (Other Than Tapered Roller Bearings) and Parts Thereof from France, Germany, Italy, Japan, Singapore, Sweden, and the United Kingdom in the Federal Register.

The classes or kinds of merchandise covered by these reviews are ball bearings and parts thereof (BBs), cylindrical roller bearings and parts

thereof (CRBs), and spherical plain bearings and parts thereof (SPBs). The review period is May 1, 1993, through April 30, 1994. We received allegations of clerical errors from petitioners and respondents regarding subject merchandise from Germany, Italy, Japan, and the United Kingdom. Based on the correction of clerical errors, we have changed the margins for BBs for 5 companies, CRBs for 2 companies, and SPBs for 1 company.

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 21, 1997.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On December 17, 1996, the Department of Commerce (the Department) published the final results of the fifth administrative review of the antidumping duty orders on Antifriction Bearings (Other Than Tapered Roller Bearings) and Parts Thereof from France, Germany, Italy, Japan,

Singapore, Sweden, and the United Kingdom in the Federal Register (61 FR 66472). The classes or kinds of merchandise covered by these reviews are BBs, CRBs, and SPBs. The reviews cover 64 manufacturers/exporters. The review period is May 1, 1993, through April 30, 1994.

After publication of our final results, we received in a timely fashion allegations of clerical errors from petitioners and several respondents: Barden, FAG, NSK, and NSK/RHP. Where we agree with the allegations, we have made corrections as appropriate (see company-specific analysis memoranda).

Applicable Statute and Regulations

Unless otherwise indicated, all citations to the statute and to the Department's regulations are references to the provisions as they existed on December 31, 1994.

Amended Final Results of Review

We have determined the following weighted-average margins to exist for the period May 1, 1993, through April 30, 1994:

Country	Company	Class or kind	Rate (percent)	
Germany	FAG	BBs	12.93	
		CRBs	13.57	
		SPBs	*2.00	
	SKF	BBs	*2.67	
		CRBs	*9.46	
		SPBs	14.29	
Italy	FAG	BBs	1.37	
		CRBs	*0.00	
Japan	NSK Ltd.	BBs	18.88	
		CRBs	*15.37	
United Kingdom	Barden	BBs	1.48	
		NSK/RHP	BBs	7.69
			CRBs	7.13

* This rate did not change as a result of the correction.

Because we issued final results of reviews for these firms for the subsequent period, May 1, 1994 through April 30, 1995, on January 6, 1997 (scheduled to be published in the Federal Register on January 15, 1997), we will not change the cash deposit rates for the above firms to reflect these amended final results of reviews.

This notice serves as a final reminder to importers of their responsibility under 19 CFR 353.26 to file a certificate regarding the reimbursement of antidumping duties prior to liquidation of the relevant entries during this review period. Failure to comply with this requirement could result in the Secretary's presumption that

reimbursement of antidumping duties occurred and the subsequent assessment of double antidumping duties.

This notice also serves as the only reminder to parties subject to administrative protective orders (APO) of their responsibility concerning the return or destruction of proprietary information disclosed under APO in accordance with 19 CFR 353.34(d). Failure to comply is a violation of the APO.

This administrative review and this notice are in accordance with section 751(a)(1) of the Tariff Act (19 U.S.C. 1675(a)(1)) and 19 CFR 353.22.

Dated: January 14, 1997.

Robert S. LaRussa,
Acting Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

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Notice of Postponement of Preliminary Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value: Open-End Spun Rayon Singles Yarn From Austria

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 21, 1997.