

opportunity were permitted to appear in person or by counsel.

The Commission transmitted its determinations in these investigations to the Secretary of Commerce on July 19, 1999. The views of the Commission are contained in USITC Publication 3208 (July 1999), entitled Certain Stainless Steel Sheet and Strip From France, Germany, Italy, Japan, The Republic of Korea, Mexico, Taiwan, and The United Kingdom: Investigations Nos. 701-TA-380-382 and 731-TA-797-804 (Final).

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Donna R. Koehnke,

Secretary.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation No. 731-TA-539-A (Final)]

Uranium From Kazakhstan

Determination

On the basis of the record¹ developed in the subject investigation, the United States International Trade Commission determines, pursuant to section 735(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1673d(b)) (the Act), that an industry in the United States is not materially injured or threatened with material injury, and the establishment of an industry in the United States is not materially retarded, by reason of imports from Kazakhstan of uranium, provided for in subheadings 2612.10.10, 2844.10.10, 2844.10.20, 2844.10.50, and 2844.20.00 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, that have been found by the Department of Commerce to be sold in the United States at less than fair value (LTFV).

Background

The Commission instituted this investigation effective November 8, 1991, following receipt of a petition filed with the Commission and the Department of Commerce by the Ad Hoc Committee of Domestic Uranium Producers and the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers International Union (which has since become the Paper, Allied-Industrial-Chemical Union (PACE)). The Commission's investigation was suspended on October 21, 1992, following Commerce's notification that it was entering into a suspension agreement with Kazakhstan.

The final phase of the investigation was continued on January 15, 1999, when Commerce notified the Commission that it was resuming its antidumping investigation with respect to Kazakhstan as a result of the Government of Kazakhstan's termination of its suspension agreement. Notice of the scheduling of the Commission's investigation and of a public hearing to be held in connection therewith was given by posting copies of the notice in the Office of the Secretary, U.S. International Trade Commission, Washington, DC, and by publishing the notice in the **Federal Register** of March 3, 1999 (64 FR 10317). The hearing was held in Washington, DC, on June 9, 1999, and all persons who requested the opportunity were permitted to appear in person or by counsel.

The Commission transmitted its determination in this investigation to the Secretary of Commerce on July 23, 1999. The views of the Commission are contained in USITC Publication 3213 (July 1999), entitled "Uranium from Kazakhstan: Investigation No. 731-TA-539-A (Final)."

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Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act ("CERCLA") and the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act ("RCRA")

Under 28 CFR 50.7, notice is hereby given that on July 6, 1999, a proposed consent decree in *United States v. Burgess Brothers, Inc.*, 2:99 Civil Action No. 194, was lodged with the United States District Court for the District of Vermont.

The proposed consent decree is a Remedial Design/Remedial Action ("RD/RA") consent decree under Sections 106 and 107 of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9606 and 9607, and Section 7003 of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. 9673, for implementation of the remedy selected by the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") in the Record of Decision ("ROD") issued September 25, 1998, for reimbursement of certain past response costs, for reimbursement of future oversight and response costs, and for payment of

natural resource damages related to the Burgess Brothers Superfund Site between Bennington and Woolford, Vermont. The proposed consent decree requires three defendants—Burgess Brothers, Inc., operator at the Site, Eveready Battery Company, a generator of wastes at the Site, and Clyde Burgess, Jr., the owner of the Site, to perform the cleanup of the Site as selected by the September 25, 1998 ROD, pay the United States \$374,143.51 in unreimbursed past response costs incurred by EPA, reimburse all future response and oversight costs incurred by EPA and future response and oversight costs up to \$90,000 incurred by the State of Vermont, and pay the United States \$100,000 in natural resource damages for restoration of wetlands at the Site.

The Department of Justice will receive for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication comments relating to the consent decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General of the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20530, and should refer to *United States v. Burgess Brothers, Inc.*, D.J. Ref. 90-11-3-1454. Commenters may request an opportunity for a public meeting in the affected area, in accordance with Section 7003(d) of RCRA, 42 U.S.C. 6973(d).

The consent decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, District of Vermont, 11 Elmwood Avenue, Burlington, VT 05402, at U.S. EPA Region I, One Congress Street, Suite 1100, Boston, MA 02114, and at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, N.W., 3rd Floor, Washington, D.C. 20005, (202) 624-0892. A copy of the consent decree may be obtained in person or by mail from the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, N.W., 3rd Floor, Washington, D.C. 20005. In requesting a copy, please enclose a check in the amount of \$62.50 (25 cents per page reproduction cost) payable to the Consent Decree Library. In requesting a copy exclusive of exhibits and defendants' signatures, please enclose a check in the amount of \$10.75 (25 cents per page reproduction cost) payable to the Consent Decree Library.

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¹ The record is defined in § 207.2(f) of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure (19 CFR 207.2(f)).