

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

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Acetone From Belgium, the Republic of South Africa, and the Republic of Korea: Correction to Antidumping Duty Orders

AGENCY: Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (Commerce) is correcting the antidumping duty (AD) orders on acetone from Belgium, the Republic of South Africa (South Africa), and the Republic of Korea (Korea).

DATES: Applicable April 17, 2020.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On March 31, 2020, Commerce published in the *Federal Register* the antidumping duty orders for acetone from Belgium, South Africa, and Korea.¹ Pursuant to section 733(d) of the Act, suspension of liquidation instructions issued pursuant to an affirmative preliminary AD determination may not remain in effect for more than four months, except where exporters representing a significant proportion of exports of the subject merchandise request Commerce to extend that four-month period to no more than six months. In the *Orders*, we erroneously stated that the six-month period, beginning on the date of publication of the *Preliminary Determinations*,² ended on March 22, 2020.³ However, the 180-day period, beginning on the date of publication of

the *Preliminary Determinations*, ended on March 21, 2020.

AD duties will be assessed on unliquidated entries of acetone from Belgium, South Africa, and Korea entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after September 24, 2019 (which is the date of publication of the *Preliminary Determinations*), but will not be assessed on entries occurring after the expiration of the provisional measures period on March 21, 2020, and before publication of the International Trade Commission's final affirmative injury determinations. No other changes have been made to the *Orders*.

These corrected orders are published in accordance with sections 706(a) and 736(a) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.211(b).

Dated: April 13, 2020.

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Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Compliance.

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[A-533-871]

Finished Carbon Steel Flanges From India: Final Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review; 2017–2018

AGENCY: Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce (Commerce) finds that the producers/exporters subject to this administrative review made sales of finished carbon steel flanges (flanges) from India at less than normal value during the period of review (POR), February 8, 2017 through July 31, 2018.

DATES: Applicable April 17, 2020.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**Background**

This administrative review covers 37 producers/exporters of the subject merchandise. Commerce selected two companies, the Norma Group¹ and R.N.

Gupta & Co. Ltd. (Gupta) for individual examination as the mandatory respondents in this administrative review.² On October 29, 2019, Commerce published the *Preliminary Results* of this administrative review and invited interested parties to comment.³ On December 2, 2019, Norma Group submitted its case brief.⁴ On the same day, Weldbend Corporation and Boltex Manufacturing Co., L.P. (collectively, the petitioners), submitted two case briefs, one related to Norma Group and one related to Gupta.⁵ On December 9, 2019, Norma Group and Gupta each submitted a rebuttal brief.⁶ However, Commerce rejected Gupta's rebuttal brief on February 7, 2020, because it contained untimely submitted factual information.⁷ Gupta submitted a redacted version of its original rebuttal brief on February 10, 2020.⁸ No other party submitted case or rebuttal briefs. On February 13, 2020, we extended the deadline for these final results, until April 10, 2020.⁹

& Co., and Bansidhar Chiranjilal. The agency collapsed these companies for purposes of respondent selection because they were collapsed in a prior segment of this proceeding (*i.e.*, investigation). See *Finished Carbon Steel Flanges from India: Preliminary Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value and Postponement of Final Determination*, 82 FR 9719 (February 8, 2017), and accompanying Preliminary Determination Memorandum at 4 (collectively, *Preliminary Determination*); unchanged in *Finished Carbon Steel Flanges from India: Final Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value*, 82 FR 29483 (June 29, 2017) (*Final Determination*). Norma Group presented evidence that the factual basis on which Commerce made its prior determination has not changed. See Norma Group's March 1, 2019 Supplemental Questionnaire Response (Norma Group March 1, 2019 SQR) at 12–20. Accordingly, we continue to collapse and treat these companies as a single entity for purposes of this proceeding.

² See Memorandum, "Antidumping Duty Administrative Review of Finished Carbon Steel Flanges from India: Respondent Selection," dated November 9, 2018.

³ See *Finished Carbon Steel Flanges from India: Preliminary Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review; 2017–2018*, 84 FR 57848 (October 29, 2019), and accompanying Preliminary Decision Memorandum (collectively, the *Preliminary Results*).

⁴ See Norma Group's Case Brief, "Finished Carbon Steel Flanges from India: Norma's Comments on the Preliminary Results," dated December 2, 2019.

⁵ See Petitioners' Case Briefs, "Finished Carbon Steel Flanges from India: Case Brief—Weldbend Corporation and Boltex Manufacturing Co., L.P.," dated December 2, 2019.

⁶ See Norma Group's Rebuttal Brief, "Finished Carbon Steel Flanges from India: Norma's Rebuttal Comments," dated December 9, 2019.

⁷ See Commerce Letter, "Finished Carbon Steel Flanges from India: Rejection of Rebuttal Brief," dated February 7, 2020.

⁸ See Gupta Rebuttal Brief, "Finished Carbon Steel Flanges from India: Redacted Rebuttal Brief of R.N. Gupta & Company Limited," dated February 10, 2020.

⁹ See Memorandum, "Finished Carbon Steel Flanges from India: Extension of Deadline for Final

¹ See *Acetone from Belgium, the Republic of South Africa, and the Republic of Korea: Antidumping Duty Orders*, 85 FR 17866 (March 31, 2020) (*Orders*).

² See *Acetone from Belgium: Preliminary Affirmative Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value, Postponement of Final Determination, and Extension of Provisional Measures*, 84 FR 49999 (September 24, 2019); see also *Acetone from the Republic of Korea: Preliminary Affirmative Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value, Postponement of Final Determination, and Extension of Provisional Measures*, 84 FR 50005 (September 24, 2019); and *Acetone from the Republic of South Africa: Preliminary Affirmative Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value, Postponement of Final Determination, and Extension of Provisional Measures*, 84 FR 49984 (September 24, 2019) (collectively, *Preliminary Determinations*).

³ See *Orders* at 17867.

¹ The Norma Group consists of the following companies: Norma (India) Limited (Norma), USK Exports Private Limited, Uma Shanker Khandelwal