

**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE****International Trade Administration**

[A-570-910]

**Circular Welded Carbon-Quality Steel Pipe From the People's Republic of China: Final Results of the Expedited Third Sunset Review of the Antidumping Duty Order**

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

**SUMMARY:** As a result of this expedited third sunset review, the U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) finds that revocation of the antidumping duty (AD) order on circular welded carbon-quality steel pipe from the People's Republic of China (China) would likely lead to continuation or recurrence of dumping at the level indicated in the "Final Results of Expedited Sunset Review" section of this notice.

**DATES:** Applicable September 11, 2024.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Howard Smith, AD/CVD Operations, Office IV, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482-5193.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:****Background**

After Commerce initiated this sunset review<sup>1</sup> of the *Order*,<sup>2</sup> pursuant to section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), domestic interested parties<sup>3</sup> timely submitted complete notices of intent to participate in,<sup>4</sup> and an adequate substantive response regarding, the review.<sup>5</sup> The domestic interested parties claimed interested party status under section 771(9)(C) of the Act as producers of the domestic like product in the United

<sup>1</sup> See *Initiation of Five-Year (Sunset) Reviews*, 89 FR 35073 (May 1, 2024).

<sup>2</sup> See *Notice of Antidumping Duty Order: Circular Welded Carbon Quality Steel Pipe from the People's Republic of China*, 73 FR 42547 (July 22, 2008) (*Order*).

<sup>3</sup> The domestic interested parties are Bull Moose Tube Company (Bull Moose), Maruichi American Corporation (Maruichi American), Nucor Tubular Products Inc. (Nucor Tubular) and Zekelman Industries (Zekelman).

<sup>4</sup> See Bull Moose, Maruichi, and Zekelman's Letter, "Notice of Intent to Participate," dated May 16, 2024; see also Nucor Tubular's Letter, "Notice of Intent to Participate in Sunset Review," dated May 16, 2024, (Domestic Interested Parties' Intent to Participate).

<sup>5</sup> See Domestic Interested Parties' Letter, "Substantive Response to Notice of Initiation," dated May 31, 2024 (Domestic Interested Parties' Substantive Response).

States.<sup>6</sup> Commerce did not receive a substantive response from any respondent interested party, nor was a hearing requested. Consequently, on June 21, 2024, Commerce notified the U.S. International Trade Commission that it did not receive an adequate substantive response from any respondent interested parties.<sup>7</sup> As a result, pursuant to section 751(c)(3)(B) of the Act and 19 CFR

351.218(e)(1)(ii)(C)(2), Commerce conducted an expedited (120-day) sunset review of the *Order*. On July 22, 2024, Commerce tolled certain deadlines in this administrative proceeding by seven days.<sup>8</sup> The deadline for the final results of this expedited sunset review is now September 5, 2024.

**Scope of the Order**

The merchandise subject to the *Order* is circular welded carbon-quality steel pipe from China. For a complete description of the scope of the *Order*, see the Issues and Decisions Memorandum.<sup>9</sup>

**Analysis of Comments Received**

A complete discussion of all issues raised in this sunset review, including the likelihood of continuation or recurrence of dumping and the magnitude of the dumping margin likely to prevail if the *Order* were to be revoked, is provided in the accompanying Issues and Decision Memorandum.<sup>10</sup> A list of the sections in the Issues and Decision Memorandum is in the appendix to this notice. The Issues and Decision Memorandum is a public document and is on file electronically via Enforcement and Compliance's Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Centralized Electronic Service System (ACCESS). ACCESS is available to registered users at <http://access.trade.gov>. In addition, a complete version of the Issues and Decision Memorandum can be accessed directly at <https://access.trade.gov/public/FRNoticesListLayout.aspx>.

<sup>6</sup> See Domestic Interested Parties' Intent to Participate.

<sup>7</sup> See Commerce's Letter, "Sunset Reviews Initiated on May 1, 2024," dated June 21, 2024; see also 19 CFR 351.218(3)(1)(ii)(C)(1).

<sup>8</sup> See Memorandum, "Tolling of Deadlines for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Proceedings," inadvertently dated June 22, 2024, rather than July 22, 2024.

<sup>9</sup> See Memorandum, "Decision Memorandum for the Final Results of the Expedited Sunset Review of the Antidumping Duty Order on Circular Welded Carbon-Quality Steel Pipe from the People's Republic of China," dated concurrently with, and hereby adopted by, this notice (Issues and Decision Memorandum).

<sup>10</sup> *Id.*

**Final Results of Expedited Sunset Review**

Pursuant to sections 751(c)(1) and 752(c)(1) and (3) of the Act, Commerce determines that revocation of the *Order* would likely lead to continuation or recurrence of dumping, and that the magnitude of the dumping margins likely to prevail are weighted-average dumping margins up to 85.55 percent.

**Administrative Protective Order**

This notice 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 351.305(a). Timely notification of the return or destruction of APO materials or conversion to judicial protective order, is hereby requested. Failure to comply with the regulations and terms of an APO is a violation which is subject to sanction.

**Notification to Interested Parties**

We are issuing, and publishing notice of, the results of this sunset review in accordance with sections 751(c), 752(c), and 777(i)(1) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.218(e)(1)(ii)(C)(2) and 19 CFR 351.221(c)(5)(ii).

Dated: September 5, 2024.

**Abdelali Elouaradia,**

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**Appendix****List of Topics Discussed in the Issues and Decision Memorandum**

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE****International Trade Administration****Massachusetts Institute of Technology et al.; Notice of Decision on Application for Duty-Free Entry of Scientific Instruments**

This is a decision pursuant to section 6(c) of the Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Materials Importation Act of

1966 (Pub. L. 89–651, as amended by Pub. L. 106–36; 80 Stat. 897; 15 CFR part 301). On July 25, 2024, the Department of Commerce published a notice in the **Federal Register** requesting public comment on whether instruments of equivalent scientific value, for the purposes for which the instruments identified in the docket(s) below are intended to be used, are being manufactured in the United States. See *Application(s) for Duty-Free Entry of Scientific Instruments*, 89 FR 60354–55, July 25, 2024 (Notice). We received no public comments.

**Comments:** None received. **Decision:** Approved. We know of no instruments of equivalent scientific value to the foreign instruments described below, for such purposes as this is intended to be used, that were being manufactured in the United States at the time of order.

**Docket Number:** 24–010. **Applicant:** Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 77 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02114. **Instrument:** Fiber Laser. **Manufacturer:** PreciLasers, China. **Intended Use:** The instrument will be used to study Potassium 40 atoms that are fermionic alkali atoms; their alkali electronic structure makes them straight-forward to trap and manipulate using lasers. The potassium 40 atoms will first be cooled sympathetically by sodium 23 atoms, then transferred into a series of optical traps, which will use the lasers ordered from PreciLasers. The final optical trap will be a 2D square optical lattice, where additional optical potentials and magnetic fields will be applied, and the response of the atoms observed through a microscope.

**Docket Number:** 24–012. **Applicant:** The University of Texas at Austin, BEG—JJ Pickle Research Campus, 10100 Burnet Road, Building 130, Austin, TX 78758.

**Instrument:** Ocean Alpha SL20-Autonomous Survey Boat. **Manufacturer:** Ocean Alpha Group Ltd., China. **Intended Use:** According to the applicant, the instrument is intended to be used as an unmanned surface vehicle (USV) that is designed to survey the depths of inland waters where it is not accessible for UT Austin staff. USV will have complimentary use of the in-house airborne lidar system (Lecia Chiroptera-5) where lidar derived depths require verification. UT Austin staff will be able to deploy the USV from a shoreline, and control it remotely, with safety.

**Docket Number:** 24–017. **Applicant:** State University of New York at Stony Brook, 100 Nicolls Road, 230 Admin Building, Stony Brook, NY 11794. **Instrument:** 556 nm high power, narrow linewidth laser. **Manufacturer:** Shanghai Precilasers Technology Co., Ltd., China.

**Intended Use:** According to the applicant, the instrument is intended to be used in a quantum optics apparatus using Ytterbium atoms in an ultrahigh vacuum environment. The experiment will laser cool and trap single Ytterbium atoms and interface them with single photons in an optical cavity. The importance is the long-lived clock states of Ytterbium atoms, as well as the hyperfine ground states, both of which are excellent to use as qubits in a quantum device and store quantum information for a long time.

**Docket Number:** 24–018. **Applicant:** Harvard University, 17 Oxford Street, Cambridge, MA 02138. **Instrument:** Single Frequency Fiber Laser. **Manufacturer:** Shanghai Precilasers Technology Co., Ltd., China. **Intended Use:** According to the applicant, the instrument is intended to be used to explore methods of taking full control of the internal and external degrees of freedom of single diatomic molecules (calcium monofluoride, CaF) for various quantum applications. The interest is in quantum simulation of lattice-spin models using CaF molecules trapped in an optical tweezer array. To load CaF molecules into an optical tweezer array, they must be first laser slowed and laser cooled to very low temperature and high density. The laser cooling transition used here is one of the only two desired strong electronic transitions in CaF molecules that possesses a diagonal Frank-Condon factor which supports scattering many photons with reasonable number of repump lasers. This laser system will be used to perform the above work in a research laboratory in the Department of Physics at Harvard University. The research work enabled by this system is part of the training of graduate students, undergraduate students, and postdoctoral research fellows.

**Docket Number:** 24–019. **Applicant:** Harvard University, Department of Physics, 60 Oxford Street, Cambridge, MA 02138. **Instrument:** Fiber Laser. **Manufacturer:** Shanghai Precilasers Technology Co., Ltd., China. **Intended Use:** According to the applicant, the instrument is intended to be used for Ytterbium (Yb) atom's dipolar interaction. When Yb atoms excite their Rydberg states, there will be a strong dipolar interaction between the atoms. This interaction is also long-range. The main techniques used will be a) ultrahigh vacuum techniques and b) laser stabilization techniques. The instrument will be used to educate undergraduate and graduate students.

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### International Trade Administration

[C–552–824]

#### Laminated Woven Sacks From the Socialist Republic of Vietnam: Final Results of the Expedited First Sunset Review of the Countervailing Duty Order

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

**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) finds that revocation of the countervailing duty (CVD) order on Laminated Woven Sacks (LWS) from the Socialist Republic of Vietnam (Vietnam) would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of countervailing subsidies at the levels indicated in the “Final Results of Sunset Review” section of this notice.

**DATES:** Applicable September 11, 2024.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Luke Caruso, AD/CVD Operations, Office IV, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–2081.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### Background

On June 4, 2019, Commerce published in the **Federal Register** the CVD order on LWS from Vietnam.<sup>1</sup> On May 1, 2024, Commerce initiated the first sunset review of the *Order*, pursuant to section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act).<sup>2</sup> On May 10, 2024, Commerce received a timely notice of intent to participate from Polytex Fiber LLC and ProAmpac Holdings Inc. (collectively, the domestic interested parties) within the 15-day deadline specified in 19 CFR 351.218(d)(1)(i).<sup>3</sup> The domestic interested parties claimed interested

<sup>1</sup> See *Laminated Woven Sacks from the Socialist Republic of Vietnam: Antidumping Duty and Countervailing Duty Orders*, 84 FR 25753 (June 4, 2019) (*Order*).

<sup>2</sup> See *Initiation of Five-Year (Sunset) Reviews*, 89 FR 35073 (May 1, 2024) (*Initiation Notice*).

<sup>3</sup> See Domestic Interested Parties' Letter, “Domestic Interested Party Notice Of Intent To Participate,” dated May 10, 2024.