

determination that the proposed activities in these permits are categorically excluded from the requirement to prepare an environmental assessment or environmental impact statement (516 DM 6 Appendix 1, 1.4C(1)).

#### Public Availability of Comments

All comments and materials we receive in response to this request will be available for public inspection, by appointment, during normal business hours at the address listed in the ADDRESSES section of this notice.

Before including your address, phone number, email address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

**Authority:** We provide this notice under section 10 of the Act (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*)

Dated: April 30, 2012.

**Joy E. Nicholopoulos,**

*Acting Regional Director, Southwest Region.*

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## INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION

[Investigation Nos. 701-TA-479 and 731-TA-1183-1184 (Final)]

### Galvanized Steel Wire From China and Mexico

#### Determinations

On the basis of the record<sup>1</sup> developed in the subject investigations, the United States International Trade Commission (Commission) determines,<sup>2</sup> pursuant to sections 705(b) and 735(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1671d(b)) and (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 China of galvanized steel wire, provided for in subheadings 7217.20.30, 7217.20.45, and 7217.90.10<sup>3</sup> of the Harmonized Tariff

Schedule of the United States, that the U.S. Department of Commerce has determined are subsidized by the Government of China and sold in the United States at less than fair value (LTFV). The Commission further determines,<sup>2</sup> pursuant to section 735(b) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1673d(b)), 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 Mexico of galvanized steel wire, provided for in subheadings 7217.20.30, 7217.20.45, and 7217.90.10<sup>3</sup> of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, that the U.S. Department of Commerce has determined are sold in the United States at less than fair value (LTFV).

#### Background

The Commission instituted these investigations effective March 31, 2011, following receipt of petitions filed with the Commission and Commerce by Davis Wire Corporation, Irwindale, CA; Johnstown Wire Technologies, Inc., Johnstown, PA; Mid-South Wire Company, Inc., Nashville, TN; National Standard, LLC/DW-National Standard-Niles, LLC, Niles, MI; and Oklahoma Steel & Wire Company, Inc., Madill, OK. The final phase of the investigations was scheduled by the Commission following notification of preliminary determinations by Commerce that imports of galvanized steel wire from China were subsidized within the meaning of section 703(b) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1671b(b)) and that imports of galvanized steel wire from China and Mexico were sold at LTFV within the meaning of 733(b) of the Act (19 U.S.C. 1673b(b)). Notice of the scheduling of the final phase of the Commission's investigations 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** on November 25, 2011 (76 FR 72721). The hearing was held in Washington, DC, on March 22, 2012, and all persons who requested the opportunity were permitted to appear in person or by counsel.

The Commission transmitted its determinations in these investigations to the Secretary of Commerce on May 8, 2012. The views of the Commission are contained in USITC Publication 4323 (May 2012), entitled *Galvanized Steel*

7229.20.0090, 7229.90.5008, 7229.90.5016, 7229.90.5031, and 7229.90.5051.

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By order of the Commission.

**James R. Holbein,**

*Secretary to the Commission.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

### Antitrust Division

#### Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993—Pistoia Alliance, Inc.

Notice is hereby given that, on April 17, 2012, pursuant to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 *et seq.* ("the Act"), Pistoia Alliance, Inc. has filed written notifications simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade Commission disclosing changes in its membership. The notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, Richard Lewin Wife (individual), The Hague, THE NETHERLANDS; Scitegrity Limited, Sandwich, Kent, UNITED KINGDOM; Chris Barber (individual), Leeds, Yorkshire, UNITED KINGDOM; Ted Kalbfleisch (individual), Louisville, KY; Andrea Splendiani (individual), London, UNITED KINGDOM; Oracle America, Inc., Redwood Shores, CA; and Edinburgh Parallel Computing Centre (EPCC), Edinburgh, UNITED KINGDOM, have been added as parties to this venture.

Also, Novartis, Cambridge, MA; and Genome Quest, Westborough, MA, have withdrawn as parties to this venture.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or planned activity of the group research project. Membership in this group research project remains open, and Pistoia Alliance, Inc. intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all changes in membership.

On May 28, 2009, Pistoia Alliance, Inc. filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the **Federal Register** pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on July 15, 2009 (74 FR 34364).

The last notification was filed with the Department on January 27, 2012. A notice was published in the **Federal**

<sup>1</sup> The record is defined in sec. 207.2(f) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (19 CFR 207.2(f)).

<sup>2</sup> Vice Chairman Williamson and Commissioner Pinkert dissenting.

<sup>3</sup> Galvanized steel wire may also enter under HTS statistical reporting numbers 7229.20.0015,