DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Foreign-Trade Zones Board [B-32-2025]

Foreign-Trade Zone (FTZ) 193, Notification of Proposed Production Activity; Lithionics Battery, LLC; (Lithium-Ion Battery Systems and Accessories); Clearwater, Florida

Lithionics Battery, LLC (Lithionics) submitted a notification of proposed production activity to the FTZ Board (the Board) for its facilities in Clearwater, Florida within Subzone 193C. The notification conforming to the requirements of the Board's regulations (15 CFR 400.22) was received on June 13, 2025.

Pursuant to 15 CFR 400.14(b), FTZ production activity would be limited to the specific foreign-status material(s)/component(s) and specific finished product(s) described in the submitted notification (summarized below) and subsequently authorized by the Board. The benefits that may stem from conducting production activity under FTZ procedures are explained in the background section of the Board's website—accessible via www.trade.gov/ftz.

The proposed finished products include: lithium-ion battery panel assembly displays, vent enclosure assemblies, chargers, wiring harnesses, cores, modules, reception apparatuses, data management systems, heater thermostat kits, combiner boxes, processor and accessories kits; busbar riser kits; lifting straps with hardware kits; direct current (DC) converters; and, circuit breaker enclosures (duty rate ranges from duty-free to 5.8%).

The proposed foreign-status materials/components include: thermal pads; thermal foams; bluetooth removable media; steel binding brackets; threaded mounting adapters; aluminum support rods; aluminum binding insulators; nylon insulators; aluminum support boards; inverters; static converters; lithium-ion batteries; lithium-ion battery modules; alternators; electromagnetic contactors; electrical pin contacts; backing plates; binding plates; adapters; busbar risers; copper busbars; compression plates; copper spacers; copper bus strips; copper shims; nickel plated bus strips; nickel plated busbars; nickel plated over-grid jumpers; panel plates; protection plates; printed circuit board assemblies; wire harnesses; terminators; insulator plates; plastic mounting holders; and, battery cell top support bars (duty rate ranges from duty-free to 5.3%). The request indicates that certain materials/

components are subject to duties under section 1702(a)(1)(B) of the International Emergency Economic Powers Act (section 1702), section 232 of the Trade Expansion Act of 1962 (section 232) and section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974 (section 301), depending on the country of origin. The applicable section 1702, section 232 and section 301 decisions require subject merchandise to be admitted to FTZs in privileged foreign status (19 CFR 146.41).

Public comment is invited from interested parties. Submissions shall be addressed to the Board's Executive Secretary and sent to: ftz@trade.gov. The closing period for their receipt is August 5, 2025.

A copy of the notification will be available for public inspection in the "Online FTZ Information System" section of the Board's website.

For further information, contact Christopher Wedderburn at Chris.Wedderburn@trade.gov.

Dated: June 23, 2025.

Elizabeth Whiteman,

Executive Secretary.

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International Trade Administration

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Carbon and Alloy Steel Threaded Rod From India, Taiwan, Thailand, and the People's Republic of China: Continuation of Antidumping Duty Orders and Countervailing Duty Order

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

SUMMARY: As a result of the determinations by the U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) and the U.S. International Trade Commission (ITC) that revocation of the antidumping duty (AD) orders on carbon and alloy steel threaded rod (steel threaded rod) from India, Taiwan, Thailand, and the People's Republic of China (China), and the countervailing duty (CVD) order on steel threaded rod from India and China. would likely lead to the continuation or recurrence of dumping, countervailable subsidies, and material injury to an industry in the United States, Commerce is publishing a notice of continuation of these AD and CVD orders.

DATES: Applicable June 20, 2025. **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Charles Hooker, Trade Agreements

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

Between December 13, 2019, and April 9, 2020, Commerce published in the Federal Register the AD and CVD orders on steel threaded rod from India, Taiwan, Thailand, and China.¹ On November 1 and 4, 2024, the ITC instituted² and Commerce initiated,³ respectively, the first sunset reviews of the Orders, pursuant to section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act). As a result of its reviews, Commerce determined that revocation of the Orders would likely lead to the continuation or recurrence of dumping and countervailable subsidies and, therefore, notified the ITC of the magnitude of the margins of dumping and subsidy rates likely to prevail should the Orders be revoked.4

On June 20, 2025, the ITC published its determination, pursuant to sections 751(c) and 752(a) of the Act, that revocation of the *Orders* would likely lead to continuation or recurrence of material injury to an industry in the United States within a reasonably foreseeable time.⁵

¹ See Carbon and Alloy Steel Threaded Rod from Thailand: Antidumping Duty Order, 84 FR 68108 (December 13, 2019) (Thailand Order); Carbon and Allov Steel Threaded Rod from Taiwan: Antidumping Duty Order, 85 FR 6511 (February 5, 2020) (Taiwan Order); and Carbon and Alloy Steel Threaded Rod from India: Amended Final Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value and Antidumping Duty Order, 85 FR 19925 (April 9, 2020) (India AD Order); Carbon and Alloy Steel Threaded Rod from India and the People's Republic of China: Countervailing Duty Orders, 85 FR 19927 (India and China CVD Orders) (April 9, 2020); and Alloy and Certain Carbon Steel Threaded Rod from the People's Republic of China: Antidumping Duty Order, 85 FR 19929 (April 9, 2020) (China AD Order) (collectively, Orders).

² See Aluminum Wire and Cable from China; Institution of Five-Year Reviews, 89 FR 87401 (November 1, 2024).

³ See Initiation of Five-Year (Sunset) Reviews, 89 FR 87543 (November 4, 2024).

⁴ See Carbon and Alloy Steel Threaded Rod From India, Taiwan, and Thailand: Final Results of the Expedited First Sunset Reviews of the Antidumping Duty Orders, 90 FR 11701 (March 11, 2025); Carbon and Alloy Steel Threaded Rod From India and the People's Republic of China: Final Results of the Expedited First Sunset Review of the Countervailing Duty Orders, 90 FR 11708 (March 11, 2025); and Carbon and Alloy Steel Threaded Rod from India and the People's Republic of China: Final Results of the Expedited First Sunset Review of the Countervailing Duty Orders; Correction, 90 FR 17241 (April 24, 2025).

⁵ See Carbon and Alloy Steel Threaded Rod from China, India, Taiwan, and Thailand, 90 FR 26327 (June 20, 2025) (ITC Final Determination).