

This information collection reflects an estimate of an increase of an additional 1,464 responses and an estimate of an increase of an additional 366 hours to the burden hours due to an increase in respondents for the Single Family Housing and Community Programs and an increase in burden for Forms 3550–28/A.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit; Not-for-profit institutions; and State, Local, or Tribal Government.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 11,062.

Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent: 1.

Estimated Total Annual Burden on Respondents: 2,765.50 hours.

Abstract: RHS uses electronic methods (Customer Initiated Payments [CIP], FedWire, and Preauthorized Debits [PAD]) for receiving and processing loan payments and collections. These electronic collection methods provide a means for RHS borrowers to transmit loan payments from their financial institution (FI) accounts to Rural Development's Treasury Account and receive credit for their payments.

To administer these electronic loan collection methods, RHS collects the borrower's FI routing information (routing information includes the FI routing number and the borrower's account number). RHS uses Agency approved forms for collecting bank routing information for CIP, FedWire, and PAD.

Comments are invited on:

(a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(b) The accuracy of the Agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(c) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

(d) Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Copies of this information collection can be obtained from Crystal Pemberton, Innovation Center–Regulations Management Division, at Telephone: (202) 260–8621. Email Crystal.Pemberton@usda.gov.

All responses to this notice will be summarized and included in the request

for OMB approval. All comments also will become a matter of public record.

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Administrator, Rural Housing Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Economic Analysis

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for Review and Approval; Comment Request; Direct Investment Surveys: BE–10, Benchmark Survey of U.S. Direct Investment Abroad

The Department of Commerce will submit the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, on or after the date of publication of this notice. We invite the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on proposed, and continuing information collections, which helps us assess the impact of our information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. Public comments were previously requested via the **Federal Register** on 05/02/2024 during a 60-day comment period. This notice allows for an additional 30 days for public comments.

Agency: Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA), Commerce.

Title: Benchmark Survey of U.S. Direct Investment Abroad.

OMB Control Number: 0608–0049.

Form Number: BE–10.

Type of Request: Revision.

Number of Respondents: 29,000 respondents (U.S. parents). A complete response includes a BE–10 A form for the U.S. parent's domestic operation and one or more BE–11 B, C, or D forms for its foreign affiliates that meet the BE–10 survey requirements. BEA estimates that U.S. parents will submit 29,000 A forms, 20,100 B forms, 15,500 C forms, 29,000 D forms, and 1,700 Claim for Exemption forms.

Average Hours per Response: 29 hours per respondent (842,700 hours/29,000 U.S. parents) is the average but may vary considerably among respondents because of differences in company structure, complexity, and the number of foreign affiliates each U.S. parent must report.

Burden Hours: 842,700 hours. Total annual burden is calculated by multiplying the estimated number of

submissions of each form by the average hourly burden per form, which is 11 hours for the A form, 18.5 hours for the B form, 6 hours for the C form, 2 hours for the D form, and 0.5 hours for the Claim for Not Filing form.

Needs and Uses: The Benchmark Survey of U.S. Direct Investment Abroad (BE–10) obtains data on the financial structure and operations of U.S. parents and their foreign affiliates. The data are needed to provide reliable, useful, and timely measures of U.S. direct investment abroad, measure changes in such investment, and assess its impact on the U.S. and foreign economies. Such data are generally found in enterprise-level accounting records of respondent companies. The benchmark data provide a baseline for subsequent sample-based estimates in non-benchmark years. In particular, they serve as benchmarks for the quarterly direct investment estimates included in the U.S. international transactions, international investment position, and national income and product accounts, and for annual estimates of the U.S. direct investment abroad position and of the activities of U.S. multinational enterprises. The data collected include balance sheets; income statements; property, plant, and equipment; employment and employee compensation; merchandise trade; sales of goods and services; taxes; and research and development activity.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit organizations.

Frequency: Every five years and covers years ending in 4 and 9.

Respondent's Obligation: Mandatory.

Legal Authority: International Investment and Trade in Services Survey Act (Pub. L. 94–472, 22 U.S.C. 3101–3108, as amended).

This information collection request may be viewed at www.reginfo.gov. Follow the instructions to view Department of Commerce collections currently under review by OMB.

Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be submitted within 30 days of the publication of this notice on the following website www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain. Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function and

entering either the title of the collection or the OMB Control Number 0608–0049.

Sheleen Dumas,

Department PRA Clearance Officer, Office of the Under Secretary for Economic Affairs, Commerce Department.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A–803–001]

Mattresses From Kosovo: Final Affirmative Determination of Sales at Less-Than-Fair Value

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

SUMMARY: The U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) determines that imports of mattresses from Kosovo are being, or are likely to be, sold in the United States at less-than-fair value (LTFV). The period of investigation is July 1, 2022, through June 30, 2023.

DATES: Applicable July 22, 2024.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sean Carey, AD/CVD Operations, Office VII, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482–3964.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On March 1, 2024, Commerce published the preliminary determination in this LTFV investigation of mattresses from Kosovo, in which we also postponed the final determination until July 15, 2024.¹ Commerce invited interested parties to comment on the *Preliminary Determination*.²

A summary of the events that occurred since Commerce published the *Preliminary Determination*, as well as a full discussion of the issues raised by parties for this final determination, may be found in the Issues and Decision Memorandum.³ 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 <https://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>.

Scope of the Investigation

The products covered by this investigation are mattresses from Kosovo. For a complete description of the scope of this investigation, see Appendix I.

Scope Comments

During the course of this investigation, Commerce received scope comments from parties. Commerce issued a Preliminary Scope Decision Memorandum to address these comments and set aside a period of time for parties to address scope issues in scope-specific case and rebuttal briefs.⁴ We received comments from parties on the Preliminary Scope Decision Memorandum, which we address in the Final Scope Decision Memorandum.⁵ We made certain changes to the scope of the investigation from the scope published in the *Preliminary Determination*, as noted in Appendix I.

Verification

Commerce conducted verification of the information relied upon in making its final determination in this investigation, in accordance with section 782(i) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act). Specifically, Commerce conducted on-site verifications of the sales and cost information submitted by Ventius International LLC (Ventius) for use in our final determination. We used standard verification procedures, including an examination of relevant sales and accounting records and original source documents provided by Ventius.⁶

⁴ See Memorandum, “Mattresses from Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Burma, India, Indonesia, Italy, Kosovo, Mexico, Philippines, Poland, Slovenia, Spain, and Taiwan: Preliminary Scope Decision Memorandum,” dated February 23, 2024 (Preliminary Scope Decision Memorandum).

⁵ See Memorandum, “Mattresses from Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Burma, India, Indonesia, Italy, Kosovo, Mexico, the Philippines, Poland, Slovenia, Spain, and Taiwan: Final Scope Decision Memorandum,” dated May 8, 2024 (Final Scope Decision Memorandum).

⁶ See Memoranda, “Verification of the Cost Response of Ventius International LLC in the Antidumping Duty Investigation of Mattresses from Kosovo,” dated May 7, 2024; “Verification of the Sales Response of Ventius International LLC and

Analysis of Comments Received

All issues raised in the case and rebuttal briefs submitted by interested parties in this investigation are addressed in the Issues and Decision Memorandum. A list of the issues addressed in the Issues and Decision Memorandum is attached to this notice as Appendix II.

Changes Since the Preliminary Determination

We have made certain changes to the margin calculations for Ventius since the *Preliminary Determination*. For a discussion of these changes, see the Issues and Decision Memorandum.

Use of Adverse Facts Available (AFA)

As discussed in the *Preliminary Determination*, Commerce assigned to the mandatory respondent in this investigation, Nisco Thailand Co., Ltd. (Nisco Thailand), an estimated weighted-average dumping margins on the basis of AFA, pursuant to sections 776(a) and (b) of the Act.⁷ There is no new information on the record that would cause us to revisit our decision in the *Preliminary Determination*. Accordingly, for the reasons explained in the *Preliminary Determination*, and consistent with Commerce's practice, as AFA, we based the AFA rate for Nisco Thailand on the highest non-aberrational individual transaction-specific margin calculated for Ventius of 344.70 percent.⁸

All-Others Rate

Section 735(c)(5)(A) of the Act provides that the estimated weighted-average dumping margin for all other producers and/or exporters not individually investigated shall be equal to the weighted average of the estimated weighted-average dumping margins established for exporters and producers individually investigated excluding rates that are zero, *de minimis*, or determined entirely under section 776 of the Act.

Commerce calculated an individual estimated weighted-average dumping margin for Ventius. As a result, because we have calculated only one margin and that margin is not zero, *de minimis*, or based entirely on facts otherwise available, the estimated weighted-average dumping margin calculated for

Bluechip International LLC in the Antidumping Duty Investigation of Mattresses from Kosovo,” dated May 29, 2024; and “Verification of the CEP Sales Response of Adven Group LLC in the Antidumping Duty Investigation of Mattresses from Kosovo,” dated June 5, 2024.

⁷ See *Preliminary Determination*, 89 FR at 15132, 15133.

⁸ *Id.*, PDM at 7.

¹ See *Mattresses from Kosovo: Preliminary Affirmative Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value, Preliminary Postponement of Final Determination, and Extension of Provisional Measures*, 89 FR 15132 (March 1, 2024).

(*Preliminary Determination*), and accompanying Preliminary Decision Memorandum (PDM).

² See *Preliminary Determination*, 89 FR at 15133.

³ See Memorandum, “Issues and Decision Memorandum for the Final Affirmative Determination of Sales at Less Than Fair Value in the Investigation of Mattresses from Kosovo,” dated concurrently with, and hereby adopted by, this notice (Issues and Decision Memorandum).