

EXPLANATION OF COMMISSION DETERMINATION ON ADEQUACY

in

Glycine from China, Inv. No. 731-TA-718 (Second Review)

On September 7, 2005, the Commission determined that it should proceed to an expedited review in the subject five-year review pursuant to section 751(c)(3)(B) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. § 1675(c)(3)(B).¹

The Commission determined that the domestic producer responses filed by the Glycine Fair Trade Committee, and its individual members Chatten Chemicals, Inc. and Hampshire Chemical Corp., were individually adequate. Because these producers account for all domestic production of glycine, the Commission further determined that the domestic interested party group response was adequate.

The Commission did not receive a response from any respondent interested party in the review and, therefore, determined that the respondent interested party group response was inadequate.

Given the absence of an adequate respondent interested party group response, and any other circumstances that might warrant proceeding to a full review, the Commission determined to conduct an expedited review. A record of the Commissioners' votes is available from the Office of the Secretary and the Commission's web site (<http://www.usitc.gov>).

¹ Commissioner Aranoff did not participate in this determination.