

## EXPLANATION OF COMMISSION DETERMINATIONS ON ADEQUACY

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*Carbazole Violet Pigment 23 from China and India*  
Inv. Nos. 701-TA-437 and 731-TA-1060-1061 (Review)

On February 5, 2010, the Commission determined that it should conduct expedited reviews in the subject five-year reviews pursuant to section 751(c)(3) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. § 1675(c)(3)).

The Commission received a single response filed jointly by Nation Ford Chemical Company (“NFC”) and Sun Chemical Corporation (“Sun”). NFC is a domestic producer of crude carbazole violet pigment 23 (“CVP-23”) and Sun is a domestic producer of CVP-23 finished pigment in the forms of dry color and presscake. NFC and Sun believe that they are the only U.S. producers of CVP-23 currently operating and that together they account for 100 percent of U.S. production of crude and finished CVP-23. The Commission found the joint response of the domestic producers adequate. The Commission also determined that the domestic interested party group response to its notice of institution was adequate.

No responses were received from any respondent interested parties. Consequently, the Commission determined that the respondent interested party group response was inadequate.

The Commission did not find any circumstances that would warrant conducting full reviews of the orders.<sup>1</sup> The Commission, therefore, determined to conduct expedited reviews of the orders.

A record of the Commissioners’ votes is available from the Office of the Secretary and on the Commission’s website (<http://www.usitc.gov>).

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<sup>1</sup> Vice Chairman Daniel R. Pearson found that the domestic interested party group response was adequate and the respondent interested party group response was inadequate, but other circumstances warranted full reviews.