

EXPLANATION OF COMMISSION DETERMINATION ON ADEQUACY

in

Certain Steel Grating from China
Inv. Nos. 701-TA-465 and 731-TA-1161 (Review)

On September 4, 2015, the Commission determined to conduct expedited reviews in the subject five-year reviews pursuant to section 751(c)(3)(B) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, 19 U.S.C. § 1675(c)(3)(B).

The Commission received a joint response to the notice of institution filed on behalf of the Metal Grating Coalition and its five individual members, who are domestic producers of steel grating: Alabama Metal Industries Corporation; Fisher & Ludlow, Inc.; Harsco Industrial IKG; Interstate Gratings, LLC; and Ohio Gratings, Inc. The Commission found each individual response to be adequate. Because the Commission received a response from interested parties accounting for a substantial share of U.S. production of the domestic like product, the Commission unanimously determined that the domestic interested party group response was adequate.

The Commission unanimously determined that the respondent interested party group response was inadequate, as no respondent interested party filed a response to the notice of institution.

The Commission did not find any circumstances that would warrant conducting full reviews. The Commission, therefore, determined to conduct expedited reviews of these orders.

A record of the Commissioners' votes is available from the Office of the Secretary and at the Commission's website (www.usitc.gov).