

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE International Trade Administration Washington, D.C. 20230

> C-570-187 Investigation POI: 1/1/2023-12/31/2023 **Public Document** E&C/OVIII: ML

November 21, 2024

Re: Countervailing Duty Investigation of Overhead Door Counterbalance Torsion Springs from the People's Republic of China

Dear Sir or Madam:

On November 18, 2024, the U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) initiated an investigation to determine whether overhead door counterbalance torsion springs from the People's Republic of China (China) imported into the United States have benefitted from countervailable subsidies.

Please provide the information requested in Attachment I to this letter regarding the quantity and U.S. dollar sales value of all the company's sales to the United States during **the period of investigation (January 1, 2023, through December 31, 2023)** of the products covered by the scope of the investigation that were produced in China. The scope of the investigation is in Attachment II to this letter. General instructions for responding to the attached quantity and value questionnaire are in Attachment III to this letter. Receipt of this letter does not indicate that the company will be chosen as a mandatory respondent in the investigation because Commerce may find that it is necessary to limit the individual examination of respondents and conduct respondent selection under section 777A(c)(2) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act). The company's response to this quantity and value questionnaire may be subject to on-site verification by Commerce officials.

Please note that you may be receiving two similar letters: one for a countervailing duty investigation and one for an antidumping duty investigation. These letters request the same information but for different time periods. In addition, they must be filed under different case numbers in Commerce's online filing system. If you receive two letters, you must separately reply to each letter.

The company's response to this quantity and value questionnaire is due to Commerce **no later than 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET), on December 2, 2024.** *Due to time constraints, Commerce will be limited in its ability to extend the deadline for responding to this quantity and value questionnaire.* With certain, limited exceptions, all submissions for all proceedings must be filed electronically using Enforcement and Compliance's ACCESS. An electronically filed document must be received successfully in its entirety by Commerce's electronic records system, ACCESS, by 5:00 p.m. ET on the date indicated above. Requests for an extension of the deadline to submit a response must by filed in writing on ACCESS prior to the deadline.



All submissions to Commerce must be accompanied by a Certificate of Accuracy from company officials and, if represented by legal counsel or other representative, a Certificate of Accuracy from counsel or the representative. Additionally, all submissions to Commerce must be served on the appropriate interested parties. Lists of interested parties are regularly updated and maintained as record documents in Enforcement and Compliance's Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Centralized Electronic Service System (ACCESS) at https://access.trade.gov. Certificates of service and accuracy are in Attachment IV to this letter. As noted above, general instructions for responding to the attached quantity and value questionnaire are in Attachment III to this letter.

If Commerce does not receive either the requested quantity and value information or a written extension request before 5:00 p.m. ET on the established deadline, we may conclude that your company has decided not to cooperate in this proceeding by not acting to the best of your ability to comply with the request for information, and may use an inference that is adverse to your interests in selecting from the facts otherwise available, in accordance with section 776(b) of the Act. Commerce will not accept any requested information submitted after the deadline. As required by section 351.302(d) of our regulations, we will reject such submissions as untimely.

#### Note well:

Parties should be aware that the likelihood of Commerce granting an extension of time to respond to the attached quantity and value questionnaire will decrease the closer the extension request is filed to the applicable deadline for responding to the quantity and value questionnaire because Commerce must have time to consider the extension request and decide on its disposition. Parties should not assume that they will receive an extension of a time limit if they have not received a response from Commerce granting an extension. For submissions that are due at 5:00 p.m. ET, **if Commerce is not able to notify the party requesting the extension of the disposition of the request by 5:00 p.m. ET, then the submission would be due by the opening of business (8:30 a.m. ET) on the next business day.<sup>1</sup> If a party requests an extension because of ACCESS/technical filing difficulties to which it did not receive a response from Commerce by 5:00 p.m. ET, and the filing difficulties persist past 8:30 a.m. ET on the next business day, the party should contact the case analyst.** 

If a party is experiencing issues with an ACCESS filing, the party should contact the ACCESS Help Desk by telephone to troubleshoot the filing issues (*see* the contact information below). When experiencing filing issues on the day that a submission is due, the filing party should also contact the official(s) in charge and inform them of the filing difficulties. The submission which a party is having difficulties filing on ACCESS should not be emailed to the case analyst or the official in charge.

Help Desk (202) 482-3150 access@trade.gov https://access.trade.gov

<sup>1</sup> See 19 CFR 351.103(b).

In the unlikely event that the company receives this quantity and value questionnaire after the deadline to respond to it, the company MUST contact the Commerce officials identified in the quantity and value questionnaire within five days of receipt of the questionnaire to receive further instructions and a revised deadline for submission of the required information. Failure to do so may result in Commerce presuming that the company failed to cooperate by not acting to the best of its ability to comply with the request for information, and Commerce applying partial or total facts available pursuant to section 776(a) of the Act, which may include the use of inferences that are adverse to the company's interests in selecting from among the facts otherwise available, in accordance with section 776(b) of the Act.

In general, Commerce has found that determinations concerning whether particular companies are affiliated and should be treated as "cross-owned" (*i.e.*, to attribute subsidies received by other affiliated companies and/or export trading companies), require a substantial amount of detailed information and analysis, which often require follow-up questions and analysis. Accordingly, Commerce will not conduct a cross-ownership analysis and will not consider cross-ownership at the respondent selection phase of this investigation for purposes of respondent selection; please report volume and value data separately. Quantity and value data pertaining to other, possibly affiliated, companies should be reported separately by those companies.

Should you have any questions about this matter, please contact William Horn at william.horn@trade.gov or Matthew Lipka at matthew.lipka@trade.gov.

Sincerely,

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Rebecca Trainor Program Manager AD/CVD Operations, Office VIII

#### OFFICE OF AD/CVD ENFORCEMENT QUANTITY AND VALUE QUESTIONNAIRE

REQUESTER(S):	[INSERT NAME OF COMPANY] [COMPANY ADDRESS] [CONTACT NAME AND TITLE] [CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBER] [CONTACT FAX NUMBER] [CONTACT E-MAIL ADDRESS]	
<b>REPRESENTATION:</b>	[INSERT NAME OF COUNSEL, LAW FIRM AND CONTACT INFO]	
CASE:	Overhead Door Counterbalance Torsion Springs from the People's	

**PERIOD OF INVESTIGATION:** January 1, 2023 – December 31, 2023

Republic of China

**DATE OF INITIATION:** November 18, 2024

**DUE DATE FOR Q&V RESPONSE:** December 2, 2024, at 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time

#### **OFFICIALS IN CHARGE:**

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## ATTACHMENT I

## FORMAT FOR REPORTING QUANTITY AND VALUE OF SALES

In providing the information in the table below, please provide the total quantity in kilograms and total value (in U.S. dollars) of all the company's sales to the United States during the period January 1, 2023, through December 31, 2023, of merchandise covered by the scope of this investigation (*see* Attachment II), that was produced in China.<sup>2</sup>

Please include only sales of merchandise that is covered by the scope of this investigation that was exported by your company directly to the United States. However, if your company made sales of merchandise covered by the scope of this investigation to third countries for which you have knowledge that the merchandise was ultimately destined for the United States, please separately identify these sales quantities and the location (*i.e.*, countries) to which you made the sales.

Even if you believe that the company should be treated as cross-owned along with other exporters, please do not report aggregate data for all the companies that you believe should be treated as an affiliated, cross-owned companies, but separately report the company's quantity and value data below. Quantity and value data pertaining to other, possibly affiliated companies, that you believe should be treated together with your company as a cross-owned company should be separately reported by those companies. In other words, for every company that you are reporting exports for, please submit a separate chart with the individual quantity and value information.

Market: United States	Total Quantity (kilograms)	Terms of Sale <sup>3</sup>	Total Value <sup>4</sup> (U.S. Dollars)
<ol> <li>Sales of Subject Merchandise to the United States</li> </ol>			
2. Sales to Third Countries Destined to the United States Total			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Please use the invoice date when determining which sales to include within the period noted above. Generally, Commerce uses invoice date as the date of sale, as that is when the essential terms of sale are set. If you believe that another date besides the invoice date would provide a more accurate representation of your company's sales during the designated period, please report sales based on that date and provide a full explanation.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> To the extent possible, sales values should be reported based on the same terms (*e.g.*, FOB).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Values should be expressed in U.S. dollars. Indicate any exchange rates used and their respective dates and sources.

#### ATTACHMENT II

#### Scope of the Investigation

The merchandise covered by these investigations is helically-wound, overhead door counterbalance torsion steel springs (overhead door counterbalance torsion springs) and any cones, plugs or other similar fittings for mounting and creating torque in the spring (herein collectively referred to as cones) attached to or entered with and invoiced with the subject overhead door counterbalance torsion springs. Overhead door counterbalance torsion springs are helical steel springs with tightly wound coils that store and release mechanical energy by winding and unwinding along the spring's axis by an angle, using torque to create a lifting force in the counterbalance assembly typically used to raise and lower overhead doors, including garage doors, industrial rolling doors, warehouse doors, trailer doors, and other overhead doors, gates, grates, or similar devices. The merchandise covered by these investigations covers all overhead door counterbalance torsion springs with a coil inside diameter of 15.8 millimeters (mm) or more but not exceeding 304.8 mm (measured across the diameter from inner edge to inner edge); a wire diameter of 2.5 mm to 20.4 mm; a length of 127 mm or more; and regardless of the following characteristics:

- wire type (including, but not limited to, oil-tempered wire, hard-drawn wire, music wire, galvanized or other coated wire);
- wire cross-sectional shape (e.g., round, square, or other shapes);
- coating (e.g., uncoated, oil- or water-based coatings, lubricant coatings, zinc, aluminum, zinc-aluminum, paint or plastic coating, etc.);
- winding orientation (left-hand or right-hand wind direction);
- end type (including, but not limited to, looped, double looped, clipped, long length, mini warehouse, Barcol, Crawford, Kinnear, Wagner, rolling steel or barrel ends); and
- whether the overhead door counterbalance torsion springs are fitted with hardware, including but not limited to fasteners, clips, and cones (winding or stationary cones).

For purposes of the diameters referenced above, where the nominal and actual measurements vary, a product is within the scope if application of either the nominal or actual measurement would place it within the scope based on the definitions set forth above.

The steel torsion springs included in the scope of these investigations are produced from steel in which: (1) iron predominates, by weight, over each of the other contained elements; and (2) the carbon content is 2 percent or less, by weight.

Subject merchandise includes cones attached to or entered with and invoiced with the subject overhead door counterbalance torsion springs. Such cones, which are typically cast aluminum, aluminum alloy or steel (but may be made from other materials) are made to mount the subject

springs to the overhead door counterbalance system and create and maintain torque in the spring. Cones or other similar fittings that are not attached to the subject springs or are not entered with and invoiced with the subject springs are not included within the scope unless entered as parts of kits as described below.

Subject merchandise also includes all subject overhead door counterbalance torsion springs and cones or other similar fittings for mounting and tensioning the spring entered as a part of overhead door kits, overhead door mounting or assembly kits, or as a part of a spring-operated motor assembly or as a part of a spring winder assembly kit for torsion springs. When counterbalance torsion springs and cones or other similar fittings for attaching and tensioning the torsion spring are entered as a part of such kits, only the counterbalance spring and cones or other similar fittings in the kit are within scope.

Subject merchandise also includes overhead door counterbalance torsion springs that have been further processed in a third country, including but not limited to cutting to length, attachment of hardware, cones or end-fittings, inclusion in garage door kits or garage door mounting or assembly kits, or any other processing that would not remove the merchandise from the scope of these investigations if performed in the country of manufacture of the in-scope overhead door counterbalance torsion springs.

All products that meet the written physical description are within the scope of these investigations unless specifically excluded. The following products are specifically excluded from the scope of these investigations:

- leaf springs (slender arc-shaped length of spring steel of a rectangular cross-section);
- disc springs (conical springs consisting of a convex disc with the outer edge working against the center of the disc);
- extension springs (close-wound round helical wire springs that store and release energy by resisting the external pulling forces applied to the spring's ends in the direction of its length);
- compression springs (helical coiled springs with open wound active coils (such open winding is also known as pitch) that are designed to compress under load or force); and
- spiral springs (torsion springs wound as concentric spirals such as a clock spring or mainspring).

The products subject to these investigations are currently classified under Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS) subheadings 7320.20.5020, 7320.20.5045, and 7320.20.5060. They may also be classified under HTSUS subheading 8412.90.9085 if entered as parts of spring-operated motors. They may also be classified in HTSUS subheading 8412.80.1000 (spring-operated motors) if entered as part of a spring counterweight assembly for an overhead door. They may also be classified in HTSUS subheading 7308.90.9590, a basket category that includes metal garage doors entered with mounting accessories or assemblies. Although the HTSUS subheadings are provided for convenience and customs purposes, the written description of the scope of these investigations is dispositive.

#### ATTACHMENT III

#### **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

Instructions for Filing the Response

The following instructions apply to all documents you submit to Commerce during the course of this proceeding.

#### A. <u>Due Date</u>

- 1. All submissions must be made electronically using Commerce's ACCESS website at <a href="https://access.trade.gov">https://access.trade.gov</a>, unless an exception applies. To determine if your response qualifies for manual filing, see the section on "Manual Filing" below. All laws, regulations, and other descriptive materials that supplement your responses should be submitted on the same date as the initial response.
- 2. The **business proprietary** response should be submitted on the day specified on the cover page of this questionnaire. The **public version** of the response may be filed one business day after the proprietary response.
- 3. An electronically filed document must be received successfully in its entirety by ACCESS by 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) on the due date, unless an earlier time is specified. Where applicable, a submitter must manually file a document between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. ET on the due date, unless an earlier time is specified.

#### B. <u>Format</u>

- 1. You are required to state in the upper right-hand corner of your cover letter the following information in the following format:
  - a. on the first line, indicate the case number stated on the cover page to this questionnaire;
  - b. on the second line, indicate the total number of pages in the document including cover pages, appendices, and any unnumbered pages;
  - on the third line, indicate the specific segment of the proceeding, (*e.g.*, investigation, administrative review, scope inquiry, suspension agreement, *etc.*) and, if applicable, indicate the complete period of review (MM/DD/YY MM/DD/YY);
  - d. on the fourth line, indicate Commerce office conducting the proceeding;

- e. on the fifth and subsequent lines, indicate whether any portion of the document contains business proprietary information and, if so, list the page numbers containing business proprietary information; and indicate the business proprietary/public status of the document and whether you agree or object to release of the submitted information under **administrative protective order** (APO) by stating one of the following:
  - "Business Proprietary Document -- May Be Released Under APO,"
  - "Business Proprietary Document -- May Not Be Released Under APO,"
  - "Business Proprietary/APO Version-- May Be Released Under APO," as applicable,
  - "Public Version," or
  - "Public Document."
- 2. Please include a "Re:" line on the cover letter of your response, or any other submissions you make during this proceeding. In the Re: line, briefly summarize the purpose of your submission, *e.g.*, "response to questionnaire," "case brief."
- 3. Prepare your response in typed form and in English (*see* 19 CFR 351.303(d) and (e) for these and other formatting requirements). Include an original and translated version of all pertinent portions of non-English language documents that accompany your response, including financial statements.
- 4. It is your responsibility to contact the official in charge if subsequent to your filing there are events that affect your response (*e.g.*, changes in your cost accounting system are relevant to antidumping proceedings, and changes as a result of an audit are relevant to both antidumping and countervailing duty proceedings).
- C. <u>Manual Filing</u>
  - 1. All submissions must be filed electronically. Only under the following four circumstances will Commerce accept a hardcopy response that is manually filed:
    - Documents exceeding 500 pages in length <u>may</u> be filed manually (in paper form) in the APO/Dockets Unit. This is referred to as a "bulky document."
    - Data files greater than 50 MB may be filed in an alternative manner after consulting: https://access.trade.gov/help/Super\_Bulky\_Document\_Submissions.pdf and contacting the ACCESS Help Desk at 202-482-3150.
    - If the ACCESS system is unable to accept filings continuously or intermittently over the course of any period of time greater than one hour between 12:00 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. ET or for any duration of time between 4:31 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. ET, then a person may manually file the document in the APO/Dockets

Unit. Commerce will provide notice of such technical failures on the ACCESS Help Desk line at 202-482-3150 and on the Enforcement and Compliance website, which is <u>https://www.trade.gov/us-antidumping-and-countervailing-duties</u>.

- Apart from the above, if you are unable to comply with the electronic filing requirement, as provided in 19 CFR 351.103(c) of Commerce's regulations, and in accordance with section 782(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), you must promptly notify the official in charge and submit a full written explanation of the reasons you are unable to file the document electronically. You must also suggest alternative forms in which to submit the information. Commerce will consider the ability of a submitter and may modify the electronic filing requirement on a case-by-case basis.
- 2. All manually filed documents must be accompanied by a cover sheet generated in ACCESS. For manually filed bulky documents, separator sheets must also be generated and used.
- 3. If your response qualifies as a bulky document and you opt to file it manually, you must file two identical paper copies of the document. For all other authorized manual submissions, only one paper copy is required.
- 4. Manual submissions must be addressed and submitted to: Secretary of Commerce Attention: Enforcement and Compliance, AD/CVD Operations Office IV APO/Dockets Unit, Room 18022 U.S. Department of Commerce Fourteenth Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20230
- D. <u>Certification</u>
  - 1. Submit the required **certification of accuracy**. Providers of information and the person(s) submitting it, if different (*e.g.*, a legal representative), must certify that they have read the submission, and that the information submitted is accurate and complete. Commerce cannot accept questionnaire responses that do not contain the certification statements. Forms for such certification are included as appendices to this questionnaire. You may photocopy this form and submit a completed copy with each of your submissions.
  - 2. Provide the required **certificate of service** (included as an appendix) with each business proprietary document and public version submitted to Commerce.

3. Signed certifications of accuracy and certificates of service should be scanned and appended to the appropriate electronic documents filed in ACCESS.

## E. <u>Business Proprietary Information and Summarization of Business Proprietary Information</u>

- 1. Request business proprietary treatment for information submitted that you do not wish to be made publicly available. As a general rule, Commerce places all correspondence and submissions received in the course of an antidumping or countervailing duty proceeding in a public reading file. However, information deemed to be proprietary information will not be made available to the public. If you wish to make a request for proprietary treatment for particular information, refer to 19 CFR 51.304, 351.305, and 351.306. You must submit the request for proprietary treatment at the same time as the claimed business proprietary information is submitted to Commerce.
- 2. Utilize the "one-day lag rule" under 19 CFR 351.303(c)(2) if you wish an additional day to review the final bracketing of business proprietary information in a document and to prepare the required public version. The filing requirements under the one-day lag rule provide for a party to file only the business proprietary document within the applicable time limit (19 CFR 351.303(c)(2)(i)). By the close of business one business day after the date the business proprietary document is filed, the person must file the complete final business proprietary document (19 CFR 351.303(c)(2)(ii)). The final business proprietary document must be identical to the original document except for any bracketing corrections.
- 3. By the close of business one business day after the date the business proprietary document is filed (refer to the "one-day lag rule" in the preceding paragraph), submit the public version of your response (19 CFR 351.303(c)(2)(iii)). A public version must contain:
  - a. a non-proprietary (public) version of your response that is in sufficient detail to permit a reasonable understanding of the information submitted in confidence, and/or
  - b. an itemization of particular information that you believe you are unable to summarize. State the reasons why you cannot summarize each piece of information.

*Note:* The summarization requirement does not apply solely to the narrative portion of your response. It applies equally to worksheets and other appendices to your response, and even to sales and cost databases submitted in antidumping proceedings. Generally, numerical data, such as that provided in sales and cost databases in antidumping proceedings, are adequately summarized only if grouped or presented in terms of indices or figures ranged within 10 percent of the actual figure. If a

particular portion of data is voluminous, use ranged figures for at least one percent of the voluminous portion.

*Responses, or portions thereof, that are not adequately summarized may be rejected from the record of this proceeding.* 

- 4. Submit the statements required regarding limited release of business proprietary information under the provisions of an APO. U.S. law permits limited disclosure to representatives of parties (*e.g.*, legal counsel) of certain business proprietary information, including electronic business proprietary information, under an APO. (Note that data received under an APO cannot be shared with others who are not covered by the APO.) Under the provisions governing APO disclosure, you must submit either:
  - a. a statement agreeing to permit the release under APO of information submitted by you in confidence during the course of the proceeding, or
  - b. a statement itemizing those portions of the information which you believe should not be released under APO, together with arguments supporting your objections to that release.

We are required by our regulations to reject, at the time of filing, submissions of business proprietary information that do not contain one of these statements. As discussed above, you must state in the upper righthand corner of the cover letter accompanying- your questionnaire response whether you agree or object to release of the submitted information under APO (*e.g.*, May Be Released Under APO or May Not Be Released Under APO). (*See* 19 CFR 351.304 for specific instructions.<sup>5</sup>)

- 5. Place brackets ("[]") around information for which you request business proprietary treatment. Place double brackets ("[[]]") around information for which you request proprietary treatment and which you do not agree to release under APO.<sup>6</sup>
- 6. Provide to all parties whose representatives have been granted APO access and who are listed on Commerce's most recent APO Service List, a complete copy of the submission--proprietary document and public version, except for that information which you do not agree to release under APO. (APO service lists, as well as public

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> If you do not agree to release under APO all or part of the proprietary information, but we determine that the information should be released, you will have the opportunity to withdraw the information (*see* section 351.304(d) of our regulations). However, any information which you withdraw will be taken out of the official record and will not be used in our determination.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Commerce will not disclose proprietary customer names under APO during an antidumping or countervailing duty <u>investigation</u> until either an order is published, or the investigation is suspended. To ensure that proprietary customer names are properly treated in this case, place double brackets ("[[]]") around all proprietary customer names in your submissions to Commerce during the course of this investigation.

service lists, are regularly updated and maintained as record documents in ACCESS at <u>https://access.trade.gov</u>.) If you exclude information because you do not agree to release it under APO, you must submit the complete business proprietary version, wherein information in double brackets has been excluded. This version of the response must be marked "Business Proprietary/APO Version - May Be Released Under APO" on the cover page. For parties that do not have access to information under APO, please provide a public version only.

7. A table summarizing AD/CVD document filing requirements can be found at <u>https://access.trade.gov/Resources/filing/index.html</u>. ACCESS filing instructions are <u>https://access.trade.gov/help/Handbook\_on\_Electronic\_Filing\_Procedures.pdf</u>. Detailed and supplemental information concerning APOs, including the APO Handbook, a complete set of APO regulations, and APO application forms and service lists, can be found at

https://access.trade.gov/Resources/Administrative\_Protective\_Order.aspx\_.

## ATTACHMENT IV

## CERTIFICATIONS OF FACTUAL ACCURACY AND CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

## **CERTIFICATIONS OF FACTUAL ACCURACY**

# § 351.303 Filing, document identification, format, translation, service, and certification of documents.

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(g) *Certifications*. Each submission containing factual information must include the following certification from the person identified in paragraph (g)(1) of this section and, in addition, if the person has legal counsel or another representative, the certification in paragraph (g)(2) of this section. The certifying party must maintain the original signed certification for a period of five years from the date of filing the submission to which the certification pertains. The original signed certification must be available for inspection by U.S. Department of Commerce officials. Copies of the certifications must be included in the submission filed at Commerce.

(1) For the person(s) officially responsible for presentation of the factual information:

## (i) COMPANY CERTIFICATION:\*

I, (PRINTED NAME AND TITLE), currently employed by (COMPANY NAME), certify that I prepared or otherwise supervised the preparation of the attached submission of (IDENTIFY THE SPECIFIC SUBMISSION BY TITLE) due on (DATE) OR filed on (DATE) pursuant to the (INSERT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS IN { }: {THE (ANTIDUMPING **OR COUNTERVAILING) DUTY INVESTIGATION OF (PRODUCT) FROM** (COUNTRY) (CASE NUMBER)} or {THE (DATES OF PERIOD OF REVIEW) (ADMINISTRATIVE OR NEW SHIPPER) REVIEW UNDER THE (ANTIDUMPING OR **COUNTERVAILING) DUTY ORDER ON (PRODUCT) FROM (COUNTRY) (CASE** NUMBER)} or {THE (SUNSET REVIEW OR CHANGED CIRCUMSTANCE REVIEW OR SCOPE RULING OR CIRCUMVENTION INQUIRY) OF THE (ANTIDUMPING OR **COUNTERVAILING) DUTY ORDER ON (PRODUCT) FROM (COUNTRY) (CASE** NUMBER)}). I certify that the public information and any business proprietary information of (CERTIFIER'S COMPANY NAME) contained in this submission is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I am aware that the information contained in this submission may be subject to verification or corroboration (as appropriate) by the U.S. Department of Commerce. I am also aware that U.S. law (including, but not limited to, 18 U.S.C. 1001) imposes criminal sanctions on individuals who knowingly and willfully make material false statements to the U.S. Government. In addition, I am aware that, even if this submission may be withdrawn from the record of the AD/CVD proceeding, the U.S. Department of Commerce may preserve this submission, including a business proprietary submission, for purposes of determining the



accuracy of this certification. I certify that a copy of this signed certification will be filed with this submission to the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Signature:	
Date:	

\* For multiple person certifications, all persons should be listed in the first sentence of the certification and all persons should sign and date the certification. In addition, singular pronouns and possessive adjectives should be changed accordingly, *e.g.*, "I" should be changed to "we" and "my knowledge" should be changed to "our knowledge."

## (ii) GOVERNMENT CERTIFICATION:\*\*

I, (**PRINTED NAME AND TITLE**), currently employed by the government of (**COUNTRY**), certify that I prepared or otherwise supervised the preparation of the attached submission of (IDENTIFY THE SPECIFIC SUBMISSION BY TITLE) due on (DATE) OR filed on (DATE) pursuant to the (INSERT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS IN { }: {THE (ANTIDUMPING OR COUNTERVAILING) DUTY INVESTIGATION OF (PRODUCT) FROM (COUNTRY) (CASE NUMBER)} or {THE (DATES OF PERIOD OF REVIEW) (ADMINISTRATIVE OR NEW SHIPPER) REVIEW UNDER THE (ANTIDUMPING OR **COUNTERVAILING) DUTY ORDER ON (PRODUCT) FROM (COUNTRY) (CASE** NUMBER)} or {THE (SUNSET REVIEW OR CHANGED CIRCUMSTANCE REVIEW OR SCOPE RULING OR CIRCUMVENTION INQUIRY) OF THE (ANTIDUMPING OR **COUNTERVAILING) DUTY ORDER ON (PRODUCT) FROM (COUNTRY) (CASE** NUMBER)}). I certify that the public information and any business proprietary information of the government of (COUNTRY) contained in this submission is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I am aware that the information contained in this submission may be subject to verification or corroboration (as appropriate) by the U.S. Department of Commerce. In addition, I am aware that, even if this submission may be withdrawn from the record of the AD/CVD proceeding, the U.S. Department of Commerce may preserve this submission, including a business proprietary submission, for purposes of determining the accuracy of this certification. I certify that a copy of this signed certification will be filed with this submission to the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Signature:	
Date:	

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(2) For the legal counsel or other representative:

#### **REPRESENTATIVE CERTIFICATION:\*\*\***

I, (PRINTED NAME), with (LAW FIRM or OTHER FIRM), (INSERT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS IN { }: {COUNSEL TO} or {REPRESENTATIVE OF}) (COMPANY NAME, OR GOVERNMENT OF COUNTRY, OR NAME OF ANOTHER PARTY), certify that I have read the attached submission of (IDENTIFY THE SPECIFIC SUBMISSION BY TITLE) due on (DATE) OR filed on (DATE) pursuant to the (INSERT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS IN { }: {THE (ANTIDUMPING OR **COUNTERVAILING DUTY) INVESTIGATION OF (PRODUCT) FROM (COUNTRY)** (CASE NUMBER)} or {THE (DATES OF PERIOD OF REVIEW) (ADMINISTRATIVE **OR NEW SHIPPER) REVIEW UNDER THE (ANTIDUMPING OR COUNTERVAILING) DUTY ORDER ON (PRODUCT) FROM (COUNTRY) (CASE** NUMBER)} or {THE (SUNSET REVIEW OR CHANGED CIRCUMSTANCE REVIEW OR SCOPE RULING OR CIRCUMVENTION INQUIRY) OF THE (ANTIDUMPING OR **COUNTERVAILING) DUTY ORDER ON (PRODUCT) FROM (COUNTRY) (CASE** NUMBER)}). In my capacity as (INSERT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS IN { }: {COUNSEL} or {ADVISER, PREPARER, OR REVIEWER}) of this submission, I certify that the information contained in this submission is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I am aware that U.S. law (including, but not limited to, 18 U.S.C. 1001) imposes criminal sanctions on individuals who knowingly and willfully make material false statements to the U.S. Government. In addition, I am aware that, even if this submission may be withdrawn from the record of the AD/CVD proceeding, the U.S. Department of Commerce may preserve this submission, including a business proprietary submission, for purposes of determining the accuracy of this certification. I certify that a copy of this signed certification will be filed with this submission to the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_

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