

3. We revised the surrogate value for hydrochloric acid to reflect less aberrational data. *See Decision Memorandum* at Comment 4.

4. We revised the surrogate value for brokerage and handling to include a more representative and contemporaneous source of surrogate data. *See Decision Memorandum* at Comment 5.

5. We revised the surrogate value for labor to reflect the Department's updated wage rate regression calculation. *See Decision Memorandum* at Comment 6.

Continuation of Suspension of Liquidation

In accordance with section 735(c)(1)(B)(ii) of the Act, we are directing the Customs Service to continue suspension liquidation of entries of subject merchandise from the PRC, with the exception of merchandise exported by Shanghai BaoSteel International Economic and Trading Co., Ltd. which was produced by Hangzhou Hongyuan Sporting Goods Company, Ltd., and merchandise exported by China Nanyang Import & Export corporation which was produced by Tianjin Shenyuan Steel Company, Ltd. or Tianjin Sunny Steel Products Company, Ltd., that are entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after December 4, 2002 (the date of publication of the *Preliminary Determination* in the **Federal Register**). We will instruct the Customs Service to require a cash deposit or the posting of a bond equal to the weighted-average amount by which NV exceeds the U.S. price, as indicated in the chart below. These suspension-of-liquidation instructions will remain in effect until further notice.

Final Determination

We determine that the following weighted-average percentage margins exist for the period October 1, 2001, through March 31, 2002:

Manufacturer/Exporter	Weighted-average margin (percent)
Shanghai BaoSteel International Economic and Trading Co., Ltd	0.00
Hebei Metals and Minerals Imports and Export Corporation	6.60
China Nanyang Import & Export Corporation	1.42
PRC-Wide Rate	15.61

The PRC-wide rate applies to all entries of the merchandise under investigation except for entries from Hebei, entries from Nanyang which were produced by

Tianjin Shenyuan Steel company, Ltd. or Tianjin Sunny Steel Products Company, Ltd., and entries from BaoSteel which were produced by Hangzhou Hongyuan Sporting Goods Company, Ltd.

International Trade Commission Notification

In accordance with section 735(d) of the Act, we have notified the International Trade Commission (ITC) of our determination. As our final determination is affirmative, the ITC will determine, within 45 days, whether these imports are materially injuring, or threaten material injury to, the U.S. industry. If the ITC determines that material injury, or threat of material injury does not exist, the proceeding will be terminated and all securities posted will be refunded or cancelled. If the ITC determines that such injury does exist, the Department will issue an antidumping duty order directing Customs officials to assess antidumping duties on all imports of subject merchandise entered for consumption on or after the effective date of the suspension of liquidation.

Notification Regarding Administrative Protective Order (APO)

This notice also serves as a reminder to parties subject to APO of their responsibility concerning the disposition of proprietary information disclosed under APO in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305. Timely notification of return/destruction of APO materials or conversion to judicial protective order is hereby requested. Failure to comply with the regulations and the terms of an APO is a sanctionable violation.

This determination is issued and published in accordance with sections 735(d) and 777(i)(1) of the Act.

Dated: April 18, 2003.

Joseph A. Spetrini,

Acting Assistant Secretary for Import Administration.

Appendix—Decision Memorandum

Comment 1: Department's Acceptance of New Information

Comment 2: Use of BaoSteel's Market Economy Steel Value

Comment 3: Surrogate Value Selection for Steel Coil and Packing Materials

Comment 4: Surrogate Value Selection for Powder Coating, Coal, and Hydrochloric Acid

Comment 5: Surrogate Value Selection for Selection for Brokerage and Handling

Comment 6: Surrogate Value Selection for Labor

Comment 7: Exclusion of Labor Costs from Calculation of Surrogate Overhead and SG&A Ratios

Comment 8: Use of Gross, Rather Than Net, Material Costs in the Calculation of Surrogate Overhead and SG&A Ratios

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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Endangered and Threatened Wildlife; Sea Turtle Conservation Requirements

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of Issuance of permit.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that shrimp fishermen in the Gulf and Atlantic Areas have been issued a permit to use Turtle Excluder Devices (TEDs) in accordance with allowable configurations under a final rule amending the TED regulations February 21, 2003, prior to the final rule taking effect. The permit allows fishermen to use the new TEDs to maximize shrimp retention and eliminate operational difficulties and facilitates fishermen's transition to the new TED configurations.

ADDRESSES: The permit and related documents are available for review upon written request or by appointment in the following office:

Southeast Region, NMFS, 9721 Executive Center Drive North, St. Petersburg, FL 33702-2432; phone (727)570-5301; fax (727)570-5320.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

David Bernhart (david.bernhart@noaa.gov) or Robert Hoffman (robert.hoffman@noaa.gov), (727)570-5312.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On February 21, 2003, NMFS published a final rule (68 FR 8456) amending the TED regulations affecting shrimp trawl fishermen. The final rule takes effect April 15, 2003, in the Atlantic Area and August 21, 2003, in the Gulf Area. The primary element of the final rule is the requirement for fishermen to modify the openings of their TEDs to allow the escape of large sea turtles.

On March 14, 2003, the NMFS Southeast Region, received an application for a permit from Mr. Noah Saunders, Jr., on behalf of shrimp trawl fishermen in the Gulf and South Atlantic. The request was for fishermen to be allowed to use the gear configurations specified in the final rule