

EXPLANATION OF COMMISSION DETERMINATION ON ADEQUACY

in

Ferrovandium and Nitrided Vandium from Russia, Inv. No. 731-TA-702 (Review).

On September 1, 2000, the Commission determined that it should proceed to a full review in the subject five-year review pursuant to section 751(c)(3)(B) of the Act, as amended, 19 U.S.C. § 1675(c)(3)(B). The Commission determined that the domestic interested party group response was adequate. In this regard, the Commission received a response from a trade association whose members represent all domestic producers and distributors of ferrovandium and nitrided vandium. The Commission also determined that the respondent interested party group response was adequate. In this regard, the Commission received a response from the two sole producers/exporters of the subject merchandise from Russia. In light of the adequate group responses, the Commission determined to proceed to a full review of *Ferrovandium and Nitrided Vandium from Russia*.

A record of the Commissioners' votes is available from the Office of the Secretary and at the Commission's web site.