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REMAND DETERMINATION

NSK LTD. and NSK CORPORATION, et al., v. United States, Consol. Court No. 02-00627, Slip Op. 04-105

Background

This remand determination, submitted in accordance with the order of the U.S. Court of International Trade (the CIT) of August 20, 2004 (Slip Op. 04-105), involves challenges to the determinations of the U.S. Department of Commerce (the Department) in the administrative reviews of the antidumping duty orders on ball bearings and parts thereof from France, Germany, Italy, Japan, and the United Kingdom (Ball Bearings and Parts Thereof From France, Germany, Italy, Japan, and the United Kingdom; Final Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Reviews, 67 FR 55780 (August 30, 2002) (AFBs 12)) concerning the period of review from May 1, 2000, through April 30, 2001. In accordance with the CIT's instructions, we have corrected a clerical error in our calculation of NTN Corporation's (NTN's) margin by excluding export price (EP) sales from the calculation of U.S. freight and warehouse expenses. The change to our margin calculation with respect to NTN changed its dumping margin for ball bearings and parts thereof from Japan from 9.34 percent to 9.30 percent.

Final Results of Redetermination

The CIT ordered the Department to correct its clerical error concerning the treatment of NTN's freight and warehouse expenses. More specifically, the CIT ordered the Department to exclude EP sales from the calculation of U.S. freight and warehouse expenses.

In accordance with the remand order, we have recalculated the dumping margin for NTN. Our revised margin calculation program allocates the U.S. freight and warehouse expenses to only the constructed-export-price sales on which they were incurred. This was done by assigning a zero value to NTN's EP sales for U.S. freight and warehousing expenses. The recalculated dumping margin for the period May 1, 2000, through April 30, 2001, for NTN's ball bearings and parts thereof from Japan is as follows:

Company	Ball Bearings and Parts Thereof
NTN Corporation Original Revised	9.34 9.30

On September 28, 2004, we issued our draft results of redetermination to interested

parties for comment. No party commented on our draft results of redetermination.

These final results of redetermination are pursuant to the remand order of the CIT in <u>NSK LTD. and NSK CORPORATION, et al., v. United States</u>, Court No. 02-00627, Slip Op. 04-105 (August 20, 2004).

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Date