

SUMMARY: The Department of Commerce, in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment on proposed, and continuing information collections, which helps us assess the impact of our information collection requirements and minimize the public's reporting burden. The purpose of this notice is to allow for 60 days of public comment preceding submission of the collection to OMB.

DATES: To ensure consideration, comments regarding this proposed information collection must be received on or before October 27, 2026.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit written comments by mail to Mackenzie McGuire, Plans, Programs & Compliance Division, Office of Security, Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20230, email: mmcguire1@doc.gov or telephone: 202-615-6702 or PRAComments@doc.gov Please reference the title of this collection in the subject line of your comments. Do not submit Confidential Business Information or otherwise sensitive or protected information.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or specific questions related to collection activities should be directed to Mackenzie McGuire, Plans, Programs & Compliance Division, Office of Security, Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20230, email: mmcguire1@doc.gov or telephone: 202-615-6702.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Abstract

The purpose of this electronic form is to collect, maintain, and use information necessary to manage and control visitor access to Department of Commerce controlled facilities. The information supports identity verification, security screening, access authorization, and recordkeeping functions to ensure the safety and security of personnel, property, and information. Data collected in the system assists in validating the identity of visitors, determining their eligibility for entry, documenting visit activity, and enabling agencies to meet applicable physical security, risk management, and reporting requirements.

II. Method of Collection

This information is collected electronically.

III. Data

OMB Control Number: 0690-TBD.
Form Number(s): None.
Type of Review: Regular submission.
This is a new information collection.
Affected Public: Individuals.
Estimated Number of Respondents: 25,000.
Estimated Time per Response: 5 minutes.
Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 2,083.
Estimated Total Annual Cost to Public: \$0.
Respondent's Obligation: Mandatory.
Legal Authority: 5 U.S.C. 301, "Departmental regulations"; Executive Order 12977, "Interagency Security Committee," as amended by Executive Order 13286, "Amendment of Executive Orders, and Other Actions, in Connection With the Transfer of Certain Functions to the Secretary of Homeland Security"; 41 CFR Chapter 101, "Federal Property Management Regulations"; Presidential Decision Directive 12, "Security Awareness and Reporting of Foreign Contacts"; Homeland Security Presidential Directive (HSPD)-7, "Critical Infrastructure Identification, Prioritization and Protection"; Homeland Security Presidential Directive (HSPD)-12, "Policy for a Common Identification Standard for Federal Employees and Contractors"; FIPS PUB 201-3, "Personal Identity Verification (PIV) of Federal Employees and Contractors"; The Risk Management Process for Federal Facilities: An Interagency Security Committee Standard, 2024; 6 CFR part 139 "Conduct on Federal Property".

IV. Request for Comments

We are soliciting public comments to permit the Department/Bureau to: (a) Evaluate whether the proposed information collection is necessary for the proper functions of the Department, including whether the information will have practical utility; (b) Evaluate the accuracy of our estimate of the time and cost burden for this proposed collection, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (c) Evaluate ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) Minimize the reporting burden on those who are to respond, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Comments that you submit in response to this notice are a matter of public record. We will include or summarize each comment in our request to OMB to approve this ICR. Before including your address, phone number,

email address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you may ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

Sheleen Dumas,

Departmental PRA Compliance Officer, Office of the Under Secretary for Economic Affairs, Commerce Department.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

[A-588-874]

Certain Hot-Rolled Steel Flat Products From Japan: Notice of Court Decision Not in Harmony With the Results of Antidumping Administrative Review; Notice of Amended Final Results

AGENCY: Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

SUMMARY: On April 8, 2026, the U.S. Court of International Trade (CIT) issued its final judgment in *Nippon Steel Corporation vs the United States*, Consol. Court no. 21-00533, sustaining the U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce)'s second remand results pertaining to the administrative review of the antidumping duty (AD) order on certain hot-rolled steel flat products from Japan covering the period October 1, 2018, through September 30, 2019. Commerce is notifying the public that the CIT's final judgment is not in harmony with Commerce's final results of the administrative review, and that Commerce is amending the final results with respect to the dumping margin assigned to Nippon Steel Corporation (Nippon Steel).

DATES: Applicable April 18, 2026.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David Duffeck, AD/CVD Operations, Office VII, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 1401 Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20230; telephone: (202) 482-3524.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On Augst 26, 2021, Commerce published its *Final Results* in the 2018-2019 AD administrative review of

certain hot-rolled steel flat products from Japan. Commerce calculated a weighted-average dumping margin of 11.70 percent.¹

Nippon Steel challenged Commerce's *Final Results*, regarding Commerce's application of partial adverse inference to Nippon Steel's home market affiliates' unreported downstream sales and Commerce's decision to deduct section 232 of the Trade Expansion Act of 1962 duty payments from the U.S. price of subject merchandise. On August 1, 2022, Commerce completed a partial voluntary remand, granted by the CIT, to add certain separately-reported service-related revenue to the U.S. price and revised Nippon Steel's rate of dumping for the POR to 10.12 percent.²

On October 10, 2024, the CIT affirmed, in part, and remanded, in part, Commerce's *Final Results* as amended by the *First Remand Redetermination*.³ The CIT remanded Commerce to reconsider or further explain Commerce's decision to apply facts available with an adverse inference to certain Nippon Steel home market affiliates' unreported downstream sales.⁴ On October 10, 2024, Commerce issued its *Second Remand Redetermination*, in which Commerce further explained its decision to continue to apply an adverse inference to Nippon Steel's home market affiliates' unreported downstream sales and the CIT sustained Commerce's second redetermination.⁵ On April 8, 2026, the CIT issued its final judgement sustaining Commerce's *Final Results*, as amended by the *First Remand Redetermination* and *Second Remand Redetermination*.⁶

¹ See *Certain Hot-Rolled Steel Flat Products from Japan: Final Results of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review and Final Determination of No Shipments; 2018–2019*, 86 FR 47615 (August 26, 2021) (*Final Results*).

² See *Final Results of Remand Redetermination Pursuant to Court Remand, Nippon Steel Corporation v. United States*, Consol. Court No. 21–00533, dated August 1, 2022 (*First Remand Redetermination*).

³ See *Nippon Steel Corporation v. United States*, 732 F.Supp.3d 1353 (CIT 2024).

⁴ *Id.*

⁵ See *Final Results of Remand Redetermination Pursuant to Court Remand, Nippon Steel Corporation v. United States*, Consol. Court No. 21–00533, Slip Op. 24–112 (CIT October 10, 2024), dated January 8, 2025 (*Second Remand Redetermination*).

⁶ See *Nippon Steel Corporation v. United States*, 829 F.Supp.3d 1274 (CIT 2026).

Timken Notice

In its decision in *Timken*,⁷ as clarified by *Diamond Sawblades*,⁸ the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit held that, pursuant to sections 516A(c) and (e) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act), Commerce must publish a notice of court decision that is not “in harmony” with a Commerce determination and must suspend liquidation of entries pending a “conclusive” court decision. The CIT's April 8, 2026, judgment constitutes a final decision of the CIT that is not in harmony with Commerce's *Final Results*. Thus, this notice is published in fulfillment of the publication requirements of *Timken*.

Amended Final Results

Because there is now a final court judgment, Commerce is amending its *Final Results* with respect to Nippon Steel as follows:

Company	Weighted-average dumping margin (percent)
Nippon Steel Corporation/Nippon Steel Nisshin Co., Ltd./Nippon Steel Trading Corporation	10.12

Cash Deposit Requirements

Because Nippon Steel has a superseding cash deposit rate, *i.e.*, there have been final results published in a subsequent administrative review, we will not issue revised cash deposit instructions to U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP). This notice will not affect the current cash deposit rate for Nippon Steel. For all exporters/producers that do not have a superseding cash deposit rate, Commerce will issue revised cash deposit instructions to CBP.

Liquidation of Suspended Entries

As no parties have appealed the CIT's ruling and the appeals period is now lapsed, the Court's decision is final and conclusive. Commerce intends to instruct CBP to assess antidumping duties on unliquidated entries of subject merchandise produced and/or exported by Nippon Steel in accordance with 19 CFR 351.212(b). We will instruct CBP to assess antidumping duties on all appropriate entries covered by this review when the importer-specific *ad valorem* assessment rate is not zero or

⁷ See *Timken Co. v. United States*, 893 F.2d 337 (Fed. Cir. 1990) (*Timken*).

⁸ See *Diamond Sawblades Manufacturers Coalition v. United States*, 626 F.3d 1374 (Fed. Cir. 2010) (*Diamond Sawblades*).

de minimis. Where an import-specific *ad valorem* assessment rate is zero or *de minimis*,⁹ we will instruct CBP to liquidate the appropriate entries without regard to antidumping duties.

Notification to Interested Parties

This notice is issued and published in accordance with sections 516A(c) and (e) and 777(i)(1) of the Act.

Dated: August 26, 2026.

Scot Fullerton,

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

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Polytetramethylene Ether Glycol From the People's Republic of China, the Republic of Korea, Taiwan, and the Socialist Republic of Vietnam: Postponement of Preliminary Determinations in the Less-Than-Fair-Value Investigations

AGENCY: Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

DATES: Applicable August 28, 2026.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On April 28, 2026, the U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) initiated less-than-fair-value (LTFV) investigations of imports of polytetramethylene ether glycol (PTMEG) from China, Korea, Taiwan, and Vietnam.¹ Currently, the

⁹ See 19 CFR 351.106(c)(2).

¹ See *Polytetramethylene Ether Glycol from the People's Republic of China, the Republic of Korea, Taiwan, and the Socialist Republic of Vietnam: Initiation of Less-than-Fair-Value Investigations*, 91 FR 24162 (May 5, 2026) (*Initiation Notice*).