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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

International Trade Administration

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Silicon Metal From Bosnia and Herzegovina, Iceland, Malaysia, and the Republic of Kazakhstan: Continuation of Antidumping Duty Orders and Countervailing Duty Order

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

SUMMARY: As a result of the determinations by the U.S. Department of Commerce (Commerce) and the U.S. International Trade Commission (ITC) that revocation of the antidumping duty (AD) orders on silicon metal from Bosnia and Herzegovina, Iceland, and Malaysia, and revocation of the countervailing duty (CVD) order on silicon metal from the Republic of Kazakhstan (Kazakhstan), would likely lead to the continuation or recurrence of dumping, countervailable subsidies, and material injury to an industry in the United States, Commerce is publishing a notice of continuation of these AD and CVD orders.

DATES: Applicable September 3, 2026.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On April 19, 2021, Commerce published in the **Federal Register** the AD orders on silicon metal from Bosnia and Herzegovina and Iceland; and on August 19, 2021, Commerce published in the **Federal Register** the AD orders on silicon metal from Malaysia, and the CVD order on silicon metal from

Kazakhstan.¹ On March 2, 2026, the ITC instituted,² and Commerce initiated,³ the first sunset review of the *Orders*, pursuant to section 751(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended (the Act). As a result of its reviews, Commerce determined that revocation of the *Orders* would likely lead to the continuation or recurrence of dumping and countervailable subsidies, and therefore, notified the ITC of the magnitude of the margins of dumping and/or subsidy rates likely to prevail should the *Orders* be revoked.⁴

On September 3, 2026, the ITC published its determination, pursuant to sections 751(c) and 752(a) of the Act, that revocation of the *Orders* would likely lead to continuation or recurrence of material injury to an industry in the United States within a reasonably foreseeable time.⁵

Scope of the Orders

The scope of the *Orders* covers all forms and sizes of silicon metal, including silicon metal powder. Silicon metal contains at least 85.00 percent but less than 99.99 percent silicon, and less than 4.00 percent iron, by actual weight. Semiconductor grade silicon (merchandise containing at least 99.99 percent silicon by actual weight and classifiable under Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS) subheading 2804.61.0000) is excluded from the scope of the *Orders*.

Silicon metal is currently classifiable under subheadings 2804.69.1000 and 2804.69.5000 of the HTSUS. While the HTSUS numbers are provided for convenience and customs purposes, the written description of the scope remains dispositive.

¹ See *Silicon Metal from Bosnia and Herzegovina and Iceland: Antidumping Duty Orders*, 86 FR 20364 (April 19, 2021) (*Bosnia and Herzegovina Order*, *Iceland Order*); *Silicon Metal from the Republic of Kazakhstan: Countervailing Duty Order*, 86 FR 20365 (April 19, 2021) (*Kazakhstan Order*); *Silicon Metal from Malaysia: Antidumping Duty Order*, 86 FR 46677 (August 19, 2021) (*Malaysia Order*) (collectively, *Orders*).

² See *Silicon Metal from Bosnia and Herzegovina, Iceland, Kazakhstan, and Malaysia: Institution of Five-Year Reviews*, 91 FR 10148 (March 2, 2026).

³ See *Initiation of Five-Year (Sunset) Reviews*, 91 FR 10053 (March 2, 2026).

⁴ See *Silicon Metal from Bosnia and Herzegovina, Iceland, and Malaysia: Final Results of the Expedited First Sunset Reviews of the Antidumping Duty Orders*, 91 FR 40983, (July 6, 2026), and accompanying Issues and Decision Memorandum (IDM); see also *Silicon Metal from the Republic of Kazakhstan: Final Results of the Expedited First Sunset Review of the Countervailing Duty Order*, 91 FR 38670 (June 26, 2026), and accompanying IDM.

⁵ See *Silicon Metal from Bosnia and Herzegovina, Iceland, Kazakhstan, and Malaysia: Determination*, 91 FR 56670 (September 3, 2026).

Continuation of the Orders

As a result of the determinations by Commerce and the ITC that revocation of the *Orders* would likely lead to continuation or recurrence of dumping, countervailable subsidies, and material injury to an industry in the United States, pursuant to section 751(d)(2) of the Act, Commerce hereby orders the continuation of the *Orders*. U.S. Customs and Border Protection will continue to collect AD and CVD cash deposits at the rates in effect at the time of entry for all imports of subject merchandise.

The effective date of the continuation of the *Orders* will be September 3, 2026.⁶ Pursuant to section 751(c)(2) of the Act and 19 CFR 351.218(c)(2), Commerce intends to initiate the next five-year reviews of the *Orders* not later than 30 days prior to fifth anniversary of the date of the last determination by the ITC.

Administrative Protective Order (APO)

This notice also serves as a final reminder to parties subject to an APO of their responsibility concerning the return or destruction of proprietary information disclosed under APO in accordance with 19 CFR 351.305(a)(3), which continues to govern business proprietary information in this segment of the proceeding. Timely written notification of the return or destruction of APO materials, or conversion to judicial protective order, is hereby requested. Failure to comply with the regulations and terms of an APO is a violation which is subject to sanction.

Notification to Interested Parties

These five-year (sunset) reviews and this notice are in accordance with sections 751(c) and 751(d)(2) of the Act and published in accordance with section 777(i) of the Act, and 19 CFR 351.218(f)(4).

Dated: September 9, 2026.

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Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary for Antidumping and Countervailing Duty Operations.

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⁶ *Id.*