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Notification

New Delhi, 30<sup>th</sup>- September, 2009

Sub:- Safeguard investigation concerning import of Passenger Car Tyre into India from the People's Republic of China- Final Findings.

GSR Having regard to the Customs Tariff Act, 1975 and the Custom Tariff (Transitional Product Specific Safeguard Duty) Rules, 2002 thereof.

Procedure

An application was filed before me Under Rules 5 of the Custom Tariff (Transitional Product Specific Safeguard Duty) Rules, 2002 by M/s. Automotive Tyre Manufacturers' Association (ATMA), PHD House (4<sup>th</sup> Floor), Opp. Asian Games Village, Siri Institutional Area, New Delhi-110016 for imposition of Safeguard duty on imports of Passenger Car Tyre into India from People's Republic of China to protect the domestic producers of Passenger Car Tyre against market disruption caused or threatening to be caused by the increased imports from People's Republic of China. Having satisfied that the requirements of Rule 5 were met, the Notice of Initiation of Safeguard investigation concerning imports of Passenger Car Tyre into India from People's Republic of China was issued under Rule 6 of Customs Tariff (Transitional Product Specific Safeguard Duty) Rules, 2002 on 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2009 and was published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary on the same day.

A copy of the notice was sent to the government of People's Republic of China through their embassies in New Delhi. A copy of initiation notice was also sent to all known interested parties listed below:

Domestic Producer:

- (1) Apollo Tyres Ltd.  
Apollo House, 7, Institutional Area, Sector32,  
Gurgaon-122001
- (2) Birla Tyres  
Shivam Chambers, 5th Floor  
53 Syed Amir Ali Avenue,  
Kolkata-454774.
- (3) Bridgestone India Pvt. Ltd.  
Plot No.-12. Kheda Growth Centre,

Post Sagore-454774. Dist-Dhar  
Madhya Pradesh.

- (4) Ceat Limited  
Ceat Mahal, 463, DR. Annie Besant Road,  
Mumbai- 400030
- (5) Falcon Tyres Ltd.  
KRS ROAD, Metagalli Post.  
Mysore 570016
- (6) Goodyear South Asia Tyres Pvt. LTD  
H-18, MIDC Waluj,  
Aurangabad- 431136, Maharastra.
- (7) JK Tyre & Industries Ltd.  
Link House, 3, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg  
New Delhi-110002
- (8) MRF. Limited  
124, Greams Road  
Chennai 600006

Importers and User Industry

- (1) Radials International,  
80/1 Block II, WHS,  
Kirti Nagar, New Delhi
- (2) Kaka& Bills Pvt. Ltd.  
(Ex-Goodyear Dealer)  
NDSE, New Delhi
- (3) Sunny International  
404 Pratap Mane Housing Complex  
Mumbai-400064
- (4) Kartar Tyre House  
1695 Ajmal Khan Road  
Karol Bagh, New Delhi
- (5) Rana Tyres  
777, Deshbandhu Gupta Road  
Karol Bagh, New Delhi
- (6) Aman International  
Sanjay Bldg. 5 M Vasanji Road  
J.B. Nagar, New Delhi
- (7) M/s AAA Impex

No. 72, 8<sup>th</sup> Cross, Gandhipuram  
Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu.

- (8) M/s Vikas Road Carriers Ltd  
Sabar Hotel Compound, Near Gulistan Hotel,  
National Highway No.8, Narmada Chowkdi,  
Bharuch- (Gujarat)

Exporters/ Foreign Producers

- (1) Qingdao Zhonger Rubber Co.  
No.1, Changan Road, Qingdao,  
Shandong, China PR
- (2) Shanghir Tyre & Rubber Co.  
63-Sichuan Central Road  
Shanghai, China PR
- (3) Aeolus Tyre Co. Ltd.  
No-48, Dognan Road,  
Jiaozuo, Henan, China PR
- (4) Quingdao Monolith OTR Tire Co. Ltd.  
Mingcun Industry Park,  
Quingdao, China PR
- (5) Michelin Shenyang Tyres Co. Ltd.  
China.

FACTS

The applicants vide letter dt. 25.09.2009 have requested for withdrawal of application with request to terminate the present investigation, with liberty to the domestic industry to re-apply for imposition of safeguard duty in case the situation so arise.

ORDER

The request of applicant was considered. The investigation was found to have become infructuous upon request for withdrawal of application.

Accordingly, the safeguard investigation initiated under Rule 6 of the Customs Tariff (Transitional Product Specific Safeguard Duty) Rules, 2002 on 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2009 which was published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary on the same day concerning import of Passenger Car Tyre, classifiable under heading 4011.10 of Schedule I of the Customs Tariff Act' 1975, originating in or exported from China into India is hereby terminated.

PRAVEEN MAHAJAN  
DIRECTOR GENERAL (SAFEGUARDS)