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UNITED STATES – ANTI-DUMPING MEASURES ON CERTAIN SHRIMP AND DIAMOND SAWBLADES FROM CHINA

STATUS REPORT BY THE UNITED STATES

Addendum

The following communication, dated 14 March 2013, from the delegation of the United States to the Chairperson of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated pursuant to Article 21.6 of the DSU.

Status Report Regarding Implementation of the
DSB Recommendations and Rulings in the Dispute
United States – Anti-Dumping Measures on Certain Shrimp
and Diamond Sawblades from China
(WT/DS422)

The United States submits this report in accordance with Article 21.6 of the *Understanding* on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes ("DSU").

At the 23 July 2012 meeting of the Dispute Settlement Body ("DSB"), the DSB adopted its recommendations and rulings in *United States - Anti-Dumping Measures on Certain Shrimp and Diamond Sawblades from China* (WT/DS422), and the United States informed the DSB of its intention to implement the DSB recommendations and rulings.

The United States and China agreed that the reasonable period of time for the United States to implement the recommendations and rulings of the DSB would end on 23 March 2013, and jointly notified the DSB of this agreement.

On 5 September 2012, the United States Trade Representative requested pursuant to section 129 of the Uruguay Round Agreements Act that the US Department of Commerce ("Commerce") take action necessary to implement the DSB recommendations and rulings in this dispute.

On 4 March 2013, Commerce issued its final determinations in the section 129 proceedings. In its determinations, the Department determined the existence of margins of dumping for the relevant exporters using its current dumping margin calculation methodology, which has been in effect for antidumping investigations since 2007.