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UNITED STATES - DEFINITIVE AFFIRMATIVE ANTI-DUMPING DUTY DETERMINATIONS CONCERNING CERTAIN CARBON STEEL FLAT PRODUCTS FROM SEVERAL MEMBER STATES OF THE EEC

Request for Consultations with the United States under Article 15:2 of the Agreement

Communication from the European Communities

The following communication, dated 2 July 1993, has been received from the Permanent Mission of the European Communities.

In accordance with Article 15:2 of the Agreement on Implementation of Article VI of the GATT ("the Anti-Dumping Code"), the European Community requests consultations with the United States in order to obtain detailed information on an individual case-by-case basis, on the:

- Definitive affirmative anti-dumping determinations against Belgium, France, Germany, Italy, Netherlands, Spain and the United Kingdom,

concerning certain cut-to-length carbon steel plate products, certain hot-rolled carbon steel flat products, certain cold-rolled carbon steel products and certain corrosion-resistant carbon steel flat products, published 21 June 1993.

The Community reserves the right to submit at a later stage a more detailed paper outlining the particular issues it would like these consultations to address.

The Community considers this to be a matter of great urgency and it therefore requests consultations to take place in the week of 19 July 1993.