

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Before the Honorable Dee Lord
Administrative Law Judge

In the Matter of

CERTAIN CARBON AND ALLOY
STEEL PRODUCTS

Investigation No. 337-TA-1002

**U. S. STEEL'S NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF ITS MOTION FOR SANCTIONS
AGAINST THE BAOSTEEL RESPONDENTS AND THE SHOUGANG RESPONDENTS
(MOT. NO. 1002-087)**

Complainant United States Steel Corporation ("U. S. Steel") respectfully withdraws its pending motion for sanctions against the Baosteel Respondents and the Shougang Respondents for violations of Order No. 61.

On May 19, 2017, the ALJ ordered Respondents to produce "documents regarding: (i) exports of OCTG to the Philippines from 2010-2016; (ii) exports of corrosion-resistant steel to Indonesia, Malaysia, Thailand, and Vietnam for 2014-2016; and (iii) exports of cold-rolled steel to Hong Kong, Thailand, and Vietnam for 2014-2016." Order No. 61 at 2. U. S. Steel read this Order to require Respondents to produce documents through the end of 2016. While reviewing the Respondents' produced documents, U. S. Steel noticed that the productions of the Baosteel Respondents, the Masteel Respondents, the Shagang Respondents, and the Shougang Respondents were missing documents regarding exports from after March 31, 2016. U. S. Steel thus moved for sanctions against these Respondents as it became aware of, and confirmed, these discrepancies: a motion against Masteel and Shagang on July 13, 2017 (Mot. No. 1002-080), and one against Baosteel and Shougang on July 25, 2017 (Mot. No. 1002-087).

On August 4, 2017, the ALJ denied U. S. Steel's motion against Masteel and Shagang. *See* Order No. 92. Because U. S. Steel's motion for sanctions against Baosteel and Shougang was predominantly based on the same argument, U. S. Steel respectfully withdraws its pending motion against the Baosteel Respondents and the Shougang Respondents.

Dated: August 7, 2017

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