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Questions from the UNITED STATES to CHINA

The following communication, dated 29 September 2009, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of the United States.

Question 1

During last year's transitional review before this Committee, China indicated that it had not developed any regulations or rules that provide specific guidance concerning how the Ministry of Commerce will conduct expiry reviews. Since then, has China developed any such regulations or rules? Please explain.

Question 2

Interested parties in China's recent antidumping proceedings have reported difficulties obtaining sufficiently detailed non-confidential summaries of relevant information. What actions will China take to improve the availability and adequacy of non-confidential summaries of confidential information on the record in antidumping proceedings before the Ministry of Commerce?