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Mexico Terminates Antidumping Investigation of U.S. Pork Legs

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Report Highlights:

On February 18, 2009, the Secretariat of Economy (SE) published in the *Diario Oficial* (Federal Register) on official notice terminating the panel charged with performing a review of the preliminary antidumping investigation on pork leg imports from the United States. On January 7, 2009, the panel issued its Notice of Final Action, which agreed with the initial antidumping investigation that no further action should be taken.

General Information:

Introduction: This report summarizes the notice of the Secretariat of Economy announcing the completion of review and dissolution of the panel charged with the preliminary antidumping

investigation into swine leg imports from the U.S. published in Mexico's *Diario Oficial* (Federal Register) on March 3, 2009.

Disclaimer: This summary is based on a *cursory* review of the subject announcements and therefore should not, under any circumstances, be viewed as a definitive reading of the regulations in question, or of its implications for U.S. agricultural export trade interests. In the event of discrepancies between this summary and the complete regulation or announcement as published in Spanish, the latter shall prevail.

Important dates

Publication date: February 18, 2009

2. Panel Dismissal date: February 9, 2009

Type of Ruling: Notice

Agency in Charge: Secretariat of Economy (SE)

Summary: On February 18, 2009, the Secretariat of Economy (SE) published in the *Diario Oficial* (Federal Register) official notice of termination of the panel investigating possible dumping of pork leg imports into Mexico from the United States. On January 7, 2009, the panel issued its Notice of Final Action stating its affirmation of the resolution that ended the antidumping investigation of imports of pork legs from the U.S under HS codes: 0203.12.01 and 0203.22.01. Since nobody (producers, importers or exporters) submitted a request to establish an extraordinary impugnation committee, panelists have been released from their duties as of February 9, 2009.

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