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**Final: U.S. Imports for Consumption of Steel Products**  
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**Exhibit 1. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Steel Products**

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

| Commodity Grouping                 | 2007 Data        |                  |                  |                  | 2006 Data        |                  |                  |                  | May Cumulative To Date |                   |                   |                   |
|------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
|                                    | May Final        |                  | April Final      |                  | May Final        |                  | April Final      |                  | 2007 Final             |                   | 2006 Final        |                   |
|                                    | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity               | Value             | Quantity          | Value             |
| <b>Total Selected Commodities</b>  | <b>2,965,042</b> | <b>2,815,991</b> | <b>2,584,464</b> | <b>2,511,109</b> | <b>3,571,936</b> | <b>2,611,190</b> | <b>3,393,120</b> | <b>2,431,227</b> | <b>13,401,190</b>      | <b>12,381,358</b> | <b>17,144,463</b> | <b>12,007,230</b> |
| Ingots And Steel For Castings      | 5,307            | 10,537           | 2,635            | 10,063           | 6,029            | 7,950            | 5,370            | 7,714            | 15,705                 | 41,170            | 21,758            | 33,047            |
| Blooms, Billets And Slabs          | 397,203          | 250,523          | 565,772          | 334,367          | 680,495          | 302,203          | 552,049          | 243,670          | 2,403,356              | 1,388,489         | 3,795,208         | 1,612,819         |
| Wire Rods                          | 195,688          | 113,644          | 80,860           | 58,679           | 144,016          | 78,292           | 198,360          | 99,552           | 697,653                | 416,653           | 1,180,441         | 577,208           |
| Structural Shapes Heavy            | 83,623           | 64,926           | 55,553           | 46,202           | 81,003           | 52,733           | 91,600           | 58,094           | 379,176                | 283,751           | 445,556           | 271,890           |
| Steel Piling                       | 8,754            | 10,000           | 11,701           | 13,014           | 11,028           | 9,109            | 5,292            | 4,481            | 51,021                 | 54,278            | 37,611            | 32,415            |
| Plates Cut Lengths                 | 125,533          | 157,970          | 103,994          | 120,860          | 144,606          | 116,219          | 132,047          | 112,033          | 536,371                | 650,995           | 600,326           | 539,791           |
| Plates In Coils                    | 101,440          | 79,321           | 88,095           | 69,147           | 181,354          | 99,388           | 138,421          | 77,629           | 444,747                | 344,767           | 574,260           | 330,550           |
| Rails Standard                     | 29,041           | 21,482           | 25,264           | 18,491           | 20,661           | 14,239           | 18,817           | 12,589           | 124,633                | 89,947            | 108,906           | 76,893            |
| Rails All Other                    | 12,578           | 8,113            | 9,204            | 5,858            | 3,586            | 2,823            | 2,098            | 1,987            | 29,055                 | 20,700            | 9,193             | 7,796             |
| Railroad Accessories               | 732              | 562              | 1,103            | 1,001            | 524              | 495              | 1,209            | 983              | 5,447                  | 4,897             | 4,194             | 3,609             |
| Bars - Hot Rolled                  | 118,266          | 109,487          | 101,103          | 98,415           | 145,750          | 125,087          | 154,177          | 119,918          | 522,563                | 493,382           | 675,237           | 541,901           |
| Bars - Light Shaped                | 21,626           | 17,085           | 15,423           | 11,662           | 20,618           | 14,914           | 30,940           | 19,089           | 98,406                 | 72,634            | 120,801           | 78,250            |
| Bars - Reinforcing                 | 218,162          | 118,256          | 107,049          | 55,065           | 187,287          | 80,891           | 266,766          | 112,494          | 838,182                | 419,800           | 1,059,925         | 449,593           |
| Bars - Cold Finished               | 25,443           | 68,375           | 33,256           | 71,531           | 28,804           | 55,709           | 42,122           | 69,552           | 140,397                | 340,956           | 156,001           | 281,343           |
| Tool Steel                         | 12,326           | 33,488           | 14,073           | 34,457           | 12,793           | 32,543           | 12,576           | 32,253           | 61,053                 | 163,521           | 71,145            | 169,991           |
| Standard Pipe                      | 141,325          | 107,194          | 105,043          | 83,320           | 125,213          | 92,976           | 117,371          | 88,474           | 540,771                | 434,914           | 605,309           | 454,123           |
| Oil Country Goods                  | 183,995          | 235,878          | 131,320          | 195,889          | 174,394          | 220,526          | 179,742          | 217,988          | 785,177                | 1,030,301         | 779,234           | 964,159           |
| Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter  | 186,481          | 238,433          | 193,323          | 243,704          | 78,250           | 82,428           | 62,217           | 67,481           | 677,603                | 850,717           | 297,939           | 317,103           |
| Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter | 47,426           | 52,742           | 51,810           | 52,198           | 47,924           | 56,621           | 46,527           | 42,466           | 206,928                | 207,933           | 188,474           | 194,934           |
| Line Pipe - Not Specified          | 39,598           | 29,726           | 33,709           | 24,639           | 42,192           | 38,513           | 25,194           | 16,273           | 208,680                | 154,916           | 133,154           | 101,571           |
| Mechanical Tubing                  | 58,075           | 75,857           | 55,623           | 69,539           | 72,195           | 80,405           | 66,175           | 75,977           | 289,387                | 355,617           | 292,460           | 344,053           |
| Pressure Tubing                    | 13,703           | 31,732           | 10,482           | 27,797           | 7,109            | 15,635           | 10,645           | 22,368           | 47,030                 | 114,621           | 39,633            | 83,526            |
| Stainless Pipe & Tubing            | 13,164           | 93,157           | 13,920           | 100,675          | 12,834           | 63,772           | 10,687           | 62,430           | 70,317                 | 477,045           | 53,127            | 294,077           |
| Pipe & Tubing Nonclassified        | 2,074            | 5,309            | 1,998            | 4,778            | 1,466            | 4,361            | 1,278            | 3,667            | 8,156                  | 21,952            | 6,324             | 18,683            |
| Structural Pipe & Tube             | 60,836           | 51,741           | 50,411           | 46,092           | 57,325           | 48,251           | 45,926           | 39,143           | 275,007                | 240,379           | 256,774           | 214,914           |
| Pipe For Piling                    | 4,612            | 3,043            | 2,320            | 1,760            | 1,906            | 1,782            | 1,415            | 931              | 16,319                 | 11,331            | 7,163             | 5,572             |
| Wire Drawn                         | 70,331           | 94,263           | 67,019           | 87,383           | 83,077           | 93,932           | 69,835           | 80,475           | 319,555                | 419,624           | 354,773           | 406,818           |
| Black Plate                        | 829              | 660              | 1,762            | 1,785            | 13,740           | 10,301           | 9,988            | 6,458            | 10,667                 | 8,714             | 34,161            | 24,572            |
| Tin Plate                          | 34,111           | 27,427           | 50,904           | 39,259           | 28,713           | 21,393           | 50,099           | 36,972           | 192,014                | 150,072           | 166,993           | 125,536           |
| Tin Free Steel                     | 18,381           | 15,574           | 9,665            | 8,139            | 8,737            | 7,674            | 8,886            | 7,189            | 51,884                 | 44,319            | 40,620            | 35,590            |
| Sheets Hot Rolled                  | 264,544          | 155,458          | 187,413          | 111,799          | 519,483          | 262,962          | 351,430          | 182,687          | 1,092,871              | 638,380           | 1,961,780         | 993,695           |
| Sheets Cold Rolled                 | 173,042          | 248,034          | 126,296          | 191,920          | 254,499          | 219,243          | 334,363          | 239,117          | 844,458                | 1,063,167         | 1,312,991         | 1,035,789         |
| Sheets & Strip Galv Hot Dipped     | 194,116          | 160,960          | 191,673          | 158,120          | 285,925          | 199,258          | 264,370          | 179,454          | 912,420                | 749,093           | 1,320,970         | 917,795           |
| Sheets & Strip Galv Electrolyt     | 19,270           | 17,694           | 10,190           | 10,293           | 17,342           | 13,817           | 11,808           | 9,765            | 74,966                 | 70,954            | 77,930            | 62,288            |
| Sheets & Strip All Oth Met Coat    | 49,051           | 46,267           | 40,967           | 38,728           | 45,155           | 38,869           | 47,352           | 38,553           | 271,203                | 255,299           | 217,344           | 181,922           |
| Sheets & Strip - Electrical        | 10,126           | 17,148           | 8,091            | 15,693           | 5,293            | 9,288            | 4,014            | 6,108            | 42,950                 | 80,531            | 28,169            | 42,535            |
| Strip - Hot Rolled                 | 7,852            | 5,769            | 7,967            | 5,743            | 5,476            | 4,196            | 7,985            | 5,306            | 39,137                 | 32,978            | 35,686            | 26,767            |
| Strip - Cold Rolled                | 16,379           | 38,158           | 17,471           | 43,042           | 15,135           | 32,390           | 13,966           | 29,907           | 75,924                 | 182,562           | 72,893            | 154,114           |

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**Exhibit 1a. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Alloy Steel Products**

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

| Commodity Grouping                 | 2007 Data      |                |                |                | 2006 Data      |                |                |                | May Cumulative To Date |                  |                  |                  |
|------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                    | May Final      |                | April Final    |                | May Final      |                | April Final    |                | 2007 Final             |                  | 2006 Final       |                  |
|                                    | Quantity       | Value          | Quantity       | Value          | Quantity       | Value          | Quantity       | Value          | Quantity               | Value            | Quantity         | Value            |
| <b>Total Selected Commodities</b>  | <b>368,360</b> | <b>496,517</b> | <b>430,728</b> | <b>537,744</b> | <b>351,894</b> | <b>429,076</b> | <b>365,973</b> | <b>426,194</b> | <b>1,822,020</b>       | <b>2,363,444</b> | <b>1,779,283</b> | <b>2,032,596</b> |
| Ingots And Steel For Castings      | 3,499          | 4,728          | 757            | 1,714          | 3,686          | 3,618          | 2,554          | 2,288          | 7,307                  | 11,598           | 13,284           | 12,462           |
| Blooms, Billets And Slabs          | 6,417          | 5,816          | 99,472         | 69,122         | 33,090         | 22,513         | 4,490          | 3,755          | 249,060                | 184,006          | 168,994          | 97,812           |
| Structural Shapes Heavy            | 8,361          | 7,301          | 4,314          | 3,638          | 13,785         | 8,680          | 16,448         | 10,317         | 31,503                 | 25,992           | 70,151           | 42,613           |
| Plates Cut Lengths                 | 30,444         | 50,845         | 27,270         | 41,633         | 23,815         | 34,253         | 25,795         | 35,207         | 133,899                | 211,134          | 150,452          | 206,774          |
| Plates In Coils                    | 9,917          | 6,535          | 6,162          | 4,203          | 10,013         | 6,873          | 12,616         | 8,851          | 38,842                 | 25,786           | 47,967           | 34,557           |
| Rails Standard                     | 2,021          | 1,565          | 2,410          | 2,290          | 314            | 242            | 4,009          | 2,689          | 10,474                 | 8,419            | 7,126            | 5,038            |
| Bars - Hot Rolled                  | 52,214         | 45,962         | 58,080         | 55,012         | 79,078         | 71,048         | 73,895         | 58,817         | 268,870                | 252,318          | 360,557          | 297,760          |
| Bars - Light Shaped                | 428            | 399            | 499            | 390            | 2,423          | 1,440          | 2,948          | 1,822          | 2,127                  | 1,666            | 14,214           | 8,451            |
| Bars - Cold Finished               | 7,572          | 14,932         | 11,768         | 17,134         | 7,423          | 12,581         | 18,024         | 21,771         | 43,646                 | 81,589           | 48,906           | 71,581           |
| Tool Steel                         | 12,326         | 33,488         | 14,073         | 34,457         | 12,793         | 32,543         | 12,576         | 32,253         | 61,053                 | 163,521          | 71,145           | 169,991          |
| Standard Pipe                      | 1,539          | 3,777          | 1,300          | 3,190          | 1,433          | 3,556          | 840            | 2,903          | 7,239                  | 18,561           | 5,135            | 14,544           |
| Oil Country Goods                  | 61,127         | 87,787         | 40,040         | 82,597         | 46,862         | 95,674         | 59,188         | 98,480         | 243,503                | 416,282          | 210,940          | 386,090          |
| Line Pipe > 16 inches in diameter  | 64,144         | 86,576         | 65,250         | 88,533         | 13,057         | 13,241         | 21,851         | 22,628         | 214,128                | 296,145          | 101,038          | 107,689          |
| Line Pipe <= 16 inches in diameter | 181            | 717            | 152            | 383            | 53             | 524            | 142            | 336            | 745                    | 1,636            | 394              | 1,292            |
| Line Pipe - Not Specified          | (-)            | (-)            | 3              | 3              | 80             | 372            | 109            | 440            | 195                    | 310              | 603              | 1,926            |
| Mechanical Tubing                  | 13,827         | 29,487         | 11,092         | 21,914         | 13,489         | 23,503         | 11,604         | 22,184         | 60,768                 | 118,562          | 56,278           | 103,652          |
| Pressure Tubing                    | 3,243          | 12,690         | 2,380          | 12,625         | 2,563          | 8,423          | 4,121          | 14,425         | 12,638                 | 53,190           | 13,339           | 47,586           |
| Pipe & Tubing Nonclassified        | 465            | 2,586          | 374            | 2,298          | 406            | 1,698          | 421            | 1,665          | 1,789                  | 8,865            | 1,981            | 7,673            |
| Structural Pipe & Tube             | 2,282          | 5,350          | 3,882          | 6,516          | 3,932          | 6,485          | 2,954          | 4,483          | 16,009                 | 28,263           | 17,669           | 26,150           |
| Pipe For Piling                    | 249            | 218            | 57             | 48             | 120            | 115            | 137            | 128            | 1,277                  | 1,141            | 320              | 303              |
| Wire Drawn                         | 7,350          | 10,838         | 8,073          | 11,947         | 9,737          | 13,561         | 8,029          | 10,784         | 35,837                 | 53,432           | 41,138           | 57,439           |
| Sheets Hot Rolled                  | 22,747         | 19,427         | 19,963         | 17,084         | 14,587         | 11,289         | 20,883         | 16,540         | 99,854                 | 83,420           | 71,160           | 54,695           |
| Sheets Cold Rolled                 | 23,259         | 21,632         | 17,264         | 16,606         | 23,803         | 19,289         | 26,197         | 20,120         | 106,879                | 100,688          | 102,993          | 79,854           |
| Sheets & Strip Galv Hot Dipped     | 13,528         | 11,545         | 18,580         | 14,441         | 19,796         | 14,656         | 24,391         | 16,791         | 81,316                 | 65,355           | 126,410          | 89,643           |
| Sheets & Strip Galv Electrolyt     | 6,820          | 6,680          | 3,864          | 4,734          | 7,535          | 6,114          | 4,811          | 4,206          | 29,862                 | 32,635           | 33,202           | 27,996           |
| Sheets & Strip - Electrical        | 10,126         | 17,148         | 8,091          | 15,693         | 5,293          | 9,288          | 4,014          | 6,108          | 42,950                 | 80,531           | 28,169           | 42,535           |
| Strip - Hot Rolled                 | 242            | 156            | 632            | 359            | 118            | 67             | 872            | 421            | 2,211                  | 1,322            | 2,257            | 1,513            |
| Strip - Cold Rolled                | 4,033          | 8,332          | 4,922          | 9,178          | 2,611          | 7,430          | 2,052          | 5,782          | 18,041                 | 37,078           | 13,463           | 34,979           |

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**Exhibit 1b. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Stainless Steel Products**

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

| Commodity Grouping                 | 2007 Data      |                |               |                | 2006 Data     |                |               |                | May Cumulative To Date |                  |                |                  |
|------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                                    | May Final      |                | April Final   |                | May Final     |                | April Final   |                | 2007 Final             |                  | 2006 Final     |                  |
|                                    | Quantity       | Value          | Quantity      | Value          | Quantity      | Value          | Quantity      | Value          | Quantity               | Value            | Quantity       | Value            |
| <b>Total Selected Commodities</b>  | <b>107,690</b> | <b>542,252</b> | <b>96,022</b> | <b>471,030</b> | <b>92,203</b> | <b>293,697</b> | <b>76,737</b> | <b>255,734</b> | <b>492,695</b>         | <b>2,298,932</b> | <b>394,227</b> | <b>1,277,540</b> |
| Ingots And Steel For Castings      | 1,230          | 5,460          | 1,878         | 8,349          | 2,318         | 4,318          | 2,759         | 5,390          | 7,405                  | 28,967           | 8,328          | 20,494           |
| Blooms, Billets And Slabs          | 10,028         | 55,886         | 8,698         | 43,005         | 10,986        | 31,436         | 9,273         | 25,347         | 48,468                 | 232,526          | 46,742         | 128,747          |
| Wire Rods                          | 2,504          | 12,506         | 2,137         | 9,883          | 1,813         | 5,149          | 2,106         | 5,541          | 11,959                 | 54,570           | 10,651         | 28,555           |
| Structural Shapes Heavy            | 390            | 2,559          | 164           | 849            | 281           | 962            | 284           | 1,085          | 1,402                  | 7,841            | 949            | 3,333            |
| Plates Cut Lengths                 | 8,582          | 48,167         | 5,574         | 31,076         | 4,612         | 16,929         | 3,344         | 12,266         | 34,364                 | 186,983          | 18,715         | 66,322           |
| Plates In Coils                    | 3,917          | 23,228         | 3,475         | 19,629         | 3,831         | 10,284         | 1,986         | 5,999          | 19,057                 | 97,717           | 11,798         | 32,687           |
| Bars - Hot Rolled                  | 2,950          | 17,383         | 2,848         | 13,868         | 1,953         | 9,254          | 1,501         | 7,138          | 14,011                 | 71,778           | 7,640          | 35,131           |
| Bars - Light Shaped                | 520            | 2,812          | 381           | 2,015          | 937           | 2,683          | 888           | 2,206          | 2,404                  | 12,159           | 3,458          | 9,512            |
| Bars - Cold Finished               | 7,107          | 40,613         | 6,915         | 38,747         | 6,823         | 25,882         | 7,043         | 28,088         | 36,379                 | 191,172          | 33,453         | 126,273          |
| Oil Country Goods                  | 10,084         | 32,684         | 8,288         | 23,965         | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | 31,191                 | 83,255           | (-)            | (-)              |
| Line Pipe > 16 Inches In Diameter  | 2              | 5              | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | 20                     | 134              | (-)            | (-)              |
| Line Pipe <= 16 Inches In Diameter | 5,152          | 5,385          | 3,087         | 3,480          | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | 16,896                 | 17,221           | (-)            | (-)              |
| Line Pipe - Not Specified          | 879            | 685            | 2,465         | 2,413          | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | 12,881                 | 11,892           | (-)            | (-)              |
| Stainless Pipe & Tubing            | 13,164         | 93,157         | 13,920        | 100,675        | 12,834        | 63,772         | 10,687        | 62,430         | 70,317                 | 477,045          | 53,127         | 294,077          |
| Wire Drawn                         | 4,200          | 27,394         | 3,610         | 23,073         | 3,984         | 17,815         | 3,437         | 15,209         | 18,593                 | 112,963          | 18,020         | 78,639           |
| Sheets Hot Rolled                  | 1,671          | 3,157          | 992           | 2,509          | 1,390         | 2,316          | 565           | 878            | 6,451                  | 16,355           | 6,962          | 11,588           |
| Sheets Cold Rolled                 | 32,390         | 154,243        | 28,017        | 125,450        | 36,879        | 90,320         | 29,697        | 71,535         | 144,262                | 602,205          | 157,558        | 378,062          |
| Strip - Hot Rolled                 | 142            | 545            | 237           | 821            | 120           | 207            | 254           | 557            | 1,934                  | 8,327            | 1,246          | 3,081            |
| Strip - Cold Rolled                | 2,777          | 16,380         | 3,337         | 21,223         | 3,442         | 12,370         | 2,912         | 12,062         | 14,702                 | 85,825           | 15,580         | 61,038           |

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**Exhibit 1c. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Carbon (Non-Alloy) Steel Products**

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

| Commodity Grouping                 | 2007 Data        |                  |                  |                  | 2006 Data        |                  |                  |                  | May Cumulative To Date |                  |                   |                  |
|------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|
|                                    | May Final        |                  | April Final      |                  | May Final        |                  | April Final      |                  | 2007 Final             |                  | 2006 Final        |                  |
|                                    | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity               | Value            | Quantity          | Value            |
| <b>Total Selected Commodities</b>  | <b>2,488,991</b> | <b>1,777,223</b> | <b>2,057,713</b> | <b>1,502,335</b> | <b>3,127,839</b> | <b>1,888,417</b> | <b>2,950,410</b> | <b>1,749,300</b> | <b>11,086,475</b>      | <b>7,718,982</b> | <b>14,970,953</b> | <b>8,697,095</b> |
| Ingots And Steel For Castings      | 578              | 350              | (-)              | (-)              | 24               | 14               | 57               | 35               | 994                    | 605              | 146               | 91               |
| Blooms, Billets And Slabs          | 380,758          | 188,821          | 457,603          | 222,239          | 636,419          | 248,255          | 538,286          | 214,568          | 2,105,829              | 971,957          | 3,579,472         | 1,386,259        |
| Wire Rods                          | 193,184          | 101,138          | 78,723           | 48,797           | 142,203          | 73,142           | 196,254          | 94,011           | 685,694                | 362,083          | 1,169,789         | 548,653          |
| Structural Shapes Heavy            | 74,871           | 55,065           | 51,074           | 41,715           | 66,937           | 43,091           | 74,869           | 46,691           | 346,272                | 249,918          | 374,455           | 225,943          |
| Steel Piling                       | 8,754            | 10,000           | 11,701           | 13,014           | 11,028           | 9,109            | 5,292            | 4,481            | 51,021                 | 54,278           | 37,611            | 32,415           |
| Plates Cut Lengths                 | 86,506           | 58,958           | 71,151           | 48,152           | 116,179          | 65,037           | 102,908          | 64,560           | 368,108                | 252,879          | 431,160           | 266,695          |
| Plates In Coils                    | 87,606           | 49,557           | 78,458           | 45,315           | 167,511          | 82,231           | 123,819          | 62,778           | 386,849                | 221,264          | 514,495           | 263,307          |
| Rails Standard                     | 27,020           | 19,917           | 22,854           | 16,201           | 20,347           | 13,998           | 14,808           | 9,901            | 114,159                | 81,528           | 101,781           | 71,856           |
| Rails All Other                    | 12,578           | 8,113            | 9,204            | 5,858            | 3,586            | 2,823            | 2,098            | 1,987            | 29,055                 | 20,700           | 9,193             | 7,796            |
| Railroad Accessories               | 732              | 562              | 1,103            | 1,001            | 524              | 495              | 1,209            | 983              | 5,447                  | 4,897            | 4,194             | 3,609            |
| Bars - Hot Rolled                  | 63,102           | 46,142           | 40,175           | 29,536           | 64,720           | 44,785           | 78,781           | 53,963           | 239,682                | 169,286          | 307,040           | 209,011          |
| Bars - Light Shaped                | 20,678           | 13,875           | 14,543           | 9,257            | 17,258           | 10,791           | 27,104           | 15,061           | 93,876                 | 58,809           | 103,129           | 60,287           |
| Bars - Reinforcing                 | 218,162          | 118,256          | 107,049          | 55,065           | 187,287          | 80,891           | 266,766          | 112,494          | 838,182                | 419,800          | 1,059,925         | 449,593          |
| Bars - Cold Finished               | 10,764           | 12,830           | 14,573           | 15,650           | 14,558           | 17,246           | 17,056           | 19,693           | 60,372                 | 68,195           | 73,642            | 83,490           |
| Standard Pipe                      | 139,785          | 103,417          | 103,742          | 80,130           | 123,780          | 89,420           | 116,531          | 85,571           | 533,532                | 416,353          | 600,175           | 439,578          |
| Oil Country Goods                  | 112,783          | 115,407          | 82,993           | 89,327           | 127,532          | 124,852          | 120,554          | 119,508          | 510,482                | 530,764          | 568,294           | 578,069          |
| Line Pipe > 16 inches in diameter  | 122,335          | 151,852          | 128,072          | 155,171          | 65,192           | 69,187           | 40,366           | 44,853           | 463,455                | 554,439          | 196,900           | 209,413          |
| Line Pipe <= 16 inches in diameter | 42,093           | 46,640           | 48,570           | 48,335           | 47,871           | 56,097           | 46,385           | 42,129           | 189,287                | 189,075          | 188,080           | 193,642          |
| Line Pipe - Not Specified          | 38,720           | 29,041           | 31,241           | 22,224           | 42,112           | 38,141           | 25,085           | 15,833           | 195,604                | 142,714          | 132,551           | 99,645           |
| Mechanical Tubing                  | 44,248           | 46,369           | 44,531           | 47,625           | 58,707           | 56,902           | 54,571           | 53,793           | 228,619                | 237,056          | 236,182           | 240,401          |
| Pressure Tubing                    | 10,461           | 19,042           | 8,102            | 15,171           | 4,546            | 7,211            | 6,523            | 7,944            | 34,392                 | 61,432           | 26,294            | 35,940           |
| Pipe & Tubing Nonclassified        | 1,609            | 2,723            | 1,624            | 2,479            | 1,061            | 2,663            | 857              | 2,002            | 6,367                  | 13,088           | 4,343             | 11,011           |
| Structural Pipe & Tube             | 58,554           | 46,390           | 46,529           | 39,577           | 53,393           | 41,766           | 42,972           | 34,660           | 258,998                | 212,116          | 239,105           | 188,765          |
| Pipe For Piling                    | 4,363            | 2,826            | 2,263            | 1,711            | 1,785            | 1,667            | 1,278            | 803              | 15,042                 | 10,190           | 6,843             | 5,269            |
| Wire Drawn                         | 58,780           | 56,030           | 55,336           | 52,363           | 69,355           | 62,556           | 58,369           | 54,481           | 265,125                | 253,229          | 295,615           | 270,741          |
| Black Plate                        | 829              | 660              | 1,762            | 1,785            | 13,740           | 10,301           | 9,988            | 6,458            | 10,667                 | 8,714            | 34,161            | 24,572           |
| Tin Plate                          | 34,111           | 27,427           | 50,904           | 39,259           | 28,713           | 21,393           | 50,099           | 36,972           | 192,014                | 150,072          | 166,993           | 125,536          |
| Tin Free Steel                     | 18,381           | 15,574           | 9,665            | 8,139            | 8,737            | 7,674            | 8,886            | 7,189            | 51,884                 | 44,319           | 40,620            | 35,590           |
| Sheets Hot Rolled                  | 240,126          | 132,873          | 166,458          | 92,205           | 503,506          | 249,358          | 329,982          | 165,269          | 986,566                | 538,605          | 1,883,658         | 927,412          |
| Sheets Cold Rolled                 | 117,393          | 72,158           | 81,014           | 49,864           | 193,817          | 109,635          | 278,468          | 147,462          | 593,318                | 360,274          | 1,052,441         | 577,872          |
| Sheets & Strip Galv Hot Dipped     | 180,588          | 149,415          | 173,093          | 143,678          | 266,128          | 184,602          | 239,979          | 162,663          | 831,104                | 683,737          | 1,194,560         | 828,152          |
| Sheets & Strip Galv Electrolyt     | 12,450           | 11,014           | 6,326            | 5,559            | 9,807            | 7,704            | 6,996            | 5,559            | 45,104                 | 38,319           | 44,728            | 34,291           |
| Sheets & Strip All Oth Met Coat    | 49,051           | 46,267           | 40,967           | 38,728           | 45,155           | 38,869           | 47,352           | 38,553           | 271,203                | 255,299          | 217,344           | 181,922          |
| Strip - Hot Rolled                 | 7,467            | 5,068            | 7,099            | 4,563            | 5,238            | 3,923            | 6,859            | 4,329            | 34,992                 | 23,329           | 32,183            | 22,173           |
| Strip - Cold Rolled                | 9,569            | 13,446           | 9,211            | 12,642           | 9,083            | 12,589           | 9,003            | 12,062           | 43,181                 | 59,659           | 43,851            | 58,097           |

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**Exhibit 2. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Steel Products From Selected Countries and Areas**

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

| Countries and Areas                  | 2007 Data        |                  |                  |                  | 2006 Data        |                  |                  |                  | May Cumulative To Date |                   |                   |                   |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
|                                      | May Final        |                  | April Final      |                  | May Final        |                  | April Final      |                  | 2007 Final             |                   | 2006 Final        |                   |
|                                      | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity               | Value             | Quantity          | Value             |
| <b>Total Census Basis</b>            | <b>2,965,042</b> | <b>2,815,991</b> | <b>2,584,464</b> | <b>2,511,109</b> | <b>3,571,936</b> | <b>2,611,190</b> | <b>3,393,120</b> | <b>2,431,227</b> | <b>13,401,190</b>      | <b>12,381,358</b> | <b>17,144,463</b> | <b>12,007,230</b> |
| North America                        | 715,067          | 674,980          | 854,515          | 722,499          | 785,815          | 613,803          | 634,991          | 524,256          | 3,775,757              | 3,201,628         | 3,620,509         | 2,790,304         |
| Canada                               | 526,310          | 481,473          | 534,762          | 469,789          | 485,398          | 412,962          | 456,082          | 383,870          | 2,550,675              | 2,193,574         | 2,303,068         | 1,912,537         |
| Mexico                               | 188,756          | 193,506          | 319,754          | 252,710          | 300,418          | 200,840          | 178,909          | 140,386          | 1,225,081              | 1,008,054         | 1,317,441         | 877,767           |
| Europe                               | 702,321          | 848,617          | 622,603          | 778,049          | 1,259,908        | 917,917          | 1,311,629        | 940,381          | 3,214,610              | 3,713,378         | 5,974,556         | 4,240,645         |
| European Union                       | 451,397          | 708,076          | 390,835          | 626,061          | 590,295          | 607,376          | 579,821          | 603,496          | 1,810,579              | 2,929,664         | 2,765,683         | 2,770,137         |
| Austria                              | 25,130           | 40,028           | 16,510           | 28,022           | 19,345           | 34,522           | 27,079           | 41,370           | 107,658                | 168,866           | 109,937           | 185,636           |
| Belgium                              | 19,985           | 48,270           | 7,998            | 30,311           | 36,922           | 36,254           | 27,073           | 26,683           | 76,246                 | 190,023           | 136,286           | 135,131           |
| Czech Republic                       | 14,393           | 13,239           | 20,303           | 27,634           | 23,123           | 17,893           | 25,678           | 26,431           | 63,151                 | 80,392            | 130,624           | 100,797           |
| Finland                              | 7,470            | 9,115            | 1,919            | 8,710            | 8,868            | 7,826            | 4,230            | 6,835            | 17,723                 | 56,383            | 45,723            | 42,724            |
| France                               | 37,008           | 54,274           | 43,009           | 58,928           | 37,108           | 49,839           | 56,485           | 62,437           | 198,546                | 301,404           | 197,034           | 258,016           |
| Germany                              | 95,991           | 154,717          | 103,749          | 157,395          | 125,878          | 136,287          | 103,463          | 132,725          | 425,433                | 626,543           | 540,141           | 602,713           |
| Hungary                              | (-)              | 2                | (-)              | (-)              | 1                | 3                | 2,823            | 1,323            | 929                    | 584               | 3,856             | 1,850             |
| Italy                                | 62,131           | 93,674           | 40,316           | 62,970           | 86,961           | 76,348           | 85,524           | 71,349           | 197,261                | 332,723           | 425,988           | 349,225           |
| Netherlands                          | 40,945           | 27,427           | 37,227           | 25,939           | 53,448           | 32,405           | 65,366           | 39,900           | 127,854                | 86,998            | 195,964           | 117,797           |
| Poland                               | 593              | 1,009            | 2,114            | 3,299            | 1,478            | 1,729            | 16,219           | 10,968           | 7,030                  | 11,203            | 61,728            | 40,730            |
| Spain                                | 11,676           | 23,235           | 13,808           | 20,357           | 52,099           | 43,314           | 35,845           | 36,354           | 80,241                 | 127,707           | 213,377           | 183,469           |
| Sweden                               | 27,514           | 79,153           | 15,149           | 59,830           | 23,528           | 47,682           | 23,563           | 45,050           | 113,033                | 334,798           | 104,452           | 228,150           |
| United Kingdom                       | 67,945           | 111,236          | 31,230           | 69,067           | 44,063           | 65,898           | 44,310           | 56,530           | 180,521                | 352,658           | 235,162           | 272,688           |
| Other EU                             | 40,615           | 52,699           | 57,502           | 73,598           | 77,472           | 57,374           | 62,163           | 45,539           | 214,952                | 259,382           | 365,412           | 251,209           |
| Moldova                              | (-)              | (-)              | (-)              | (-)              | 1,573            | 1,314            | 1,308            | 1,105            | 1,001                  | 788               | 6,337             | 5,372             |
| Norway                               | 1,080            | 1,097            | 11,906           | 5,996            | 2,183            | 1,807            | 14,530           | 6,915            | 20,978                 | 14,387            | 35,997            | 18,111            |
| Russia                               | 114,176          | 60,053           | 97,834           | 65,050           | 320,596          | 147,557          | 268,399          | 125,725          | 557,673                | 316,122           | 1,428,060         | 633,968           |
| Switzerland                          | 1,789            | 4,578            | 1,732            | 5,113            | 1,372            | 3,355            | 1,177            | 4,004            | 9,179                  | 22,192            | 5,873             | 18,732            |
| Turkey                               | 74,835           | 41,468           | 14,731           | 9,287            | 166,208          | 77,435           | 314,758          | 140,924          | 283,277                | 154,883           | 1,139,195         | 514,980           |
| Ukraine                              | 55,279           | 30,322           | 88,863           | 53,209           | 170,822          | 74,517           | 131,282          | 57,861           | 498,637                | 248,248           | 577,003           | 267,864           |
| Other Europe                         | 3,764            | 3,022            | 16,702           | 13,333           | 6,860            | 4,556            | 354              | 350              | 33,285                 | 27,093            | 16,408            | 11,481            |
| Euro Area                            | 339,932          | 501,453          | 312,781          | 453,996          | 447,028          | 438,666          | 421,774          | 433,391          | 1,415,885              | 2,111,540         | 1,977,357         | 1,976,020         |
| Pacific Rim Countries                | 1,120,765        | 958,015          | 746,319          | 717,897          | 1,011,573        | 764,342          | 1,057,684        | 711,450          | 4,537,934              | 3,994,043         | 4,905,795         | 3,404,942         |
| Australia                            | 107,045          | 57,437           | 39,010           | 16,852           | 78,337           | 35,709           | 58,672           | 23,284           | 316,419                | 154,066           | 498,918           | 191,053           |
| China                                | 490,877          | 425,230          | 257,231          | 262,380          | 280,529          | 215,279          | 363,451          | 250,296          | 1,908,132              | 1,693,914         | 1,509,953         | 1,042,087         |
| Indonesia                            | 3,026            | 2,905            | 99               | 74               | 4,945            | 3,204            | 4,359            | 2,205            | 10,686                 | 10,122            | 17,180            | 10,931            |
| Japan                                | 172,987          | 181,535          | 169,269          | 184,669          | 208,511          | 214,998          | 153,986          | 137,459          | 746,500                | 776,721           | 837,387           | 802,703           |
| Newly Industrialized Countries(NICS) | 306,117          | 267,953          | 242,735          | 229,786          | 349,566          | 251,930          | 385,648          | 256,091          | 1,328,680              | 1,228,787         | 1,729,426         | 1,209,365         |
| Hong Kong                            | 58               | 229              | 71               | 418              | 754              | 703              | 99               | 300              | 703                    | 1,354             | 1,288             | 1,887             |
| Korea                                | 188,411          | 145,543          | 157,563          | 126,002          | 221,535          | 145,843          | 188,165          | 126,587          | 816,153                | 656,277           | 1,043,356         | 700,821           |
| Singapore                            | 15,717           | 8,727            | 5,871            | 5,125            | 311              | 512              | 12,052           | 5,198            | 47,996                 | 30,758            | 12,748            | 7,133             |
| Taiwan                               | 101,930          | 113,454          | 79,230           | 98,241           | 126,965          | 104,872          | 185,331          | 124,007          | 463,828                | 540,397           | 672,034           | 499,525           |
| Other Pacific Rim                    | 40,714           | 22,955           | 37,975           | 24,134           | 89,684           | 43,221           | 91,568           | 42,115           | 227,517                | 130,433           | 312,930           | 148,804           |
| South/Central America                | 290,772          | 190,904          | 247,905          | 165,860          | 212,465          | 130,984          | 204,946          | 136,795          | 1,336,823              | 896,752           | 1,506,924         | 864,004           |
| Argentina                            | 17,387           | 11,726           | 2,064            | 3,584            | 5,098            | 4,955            | 16,035           | 10,532           | 41,100                 | 28,498            | 64,191            | 49,464            |
| Brazil                               | 217,273          | 136,961          | 213,466          | 137,710          | 148,122          | 88,189           | 147,436          | 95,862           | 1,020,351              | 686,274           | 1,172,556         | 626,536           |
| Chile                                | 114              | 95               | 379              | 299              | 1,449            | 1,018            | 384              | 347              | 874                    | 722               | 5,713             | 4,226             |
| Colombia                             | 11,139           | 15,354           | 6,681            | 7,995            | 9,558            | 11,458           | 8,090            | 9,944            | 43,880                 | 55,477            | 49,075            | 60,057            |
| Venezuela                            | 10,278           | 7,332            | 14,975           | 10,319           | 20,536           | 12,090           | 21,259           | 13,948           | 109,139                | 61,298            | 116,280           | 71,217            |
| Other S/C A                          | 34,580           | 19,437           | 10,340           | 5,955            | 27,701           | 13,274           | 11,742           | 6,162            | 121,479                | 64,484            | 99,110            | 52,504            |
| Other Countries                      | 136,117          | 143,475          | 113,121          | 126,804          | 302,175          | 184,144          | 183,871          | 118,346          | 536,067                | 575,557           | 1,136,679         | 707,336           |
| Egypt                                | (-)              | (-)              | (-)              | (-)              | 90,959           | 42,362           | 33,743           | 15,920           | 9,409                  | 5,333             | 358,024           | 163,031           |
| India                                | 75,824           | 93,286           | 77,630           | 93,611           | 121,322          | 88,528           | 101,304          | 72,934           | 317,699                | 391,133           | 425,344           | 320,871           |
| South Africa                         | 15,677           | 22,044           | 18,783           | 19,320           | 39,941           | 27,256           | 25,244           | 16,265           | 72,713                 | 80,742            | 204,018           | 137,989           |
| Thailand                             | 43,015           | 26,607           | 15,592           | 12,104           | 48,310           | 24,001           | 20,877           | 10,845           | 129,770                | 90,231            | 134,473           | 71,795            |
| Other                                | 1,602            | 1,539            | 1,115            | 1,769            | 1,642            | 1,996            | 2,703            | 2,383            | 6,475                  | 8,117             | 14,821            | 13,649            |

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**Exhibit 2a. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Alloy Steel Products From Selected Countries and Areas**

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

| Countries and Areas                  | 2007 Data      |                |                |                | 2006 Data      |                |                |                | May Cumulative To Date |                  |                  |                  |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                      | May Final      |                | April Final    |                | May Final      |                | April Final    |                | 2007 Final             |                  | 2006 Final       |                  |
|                                      | Quantity       | Value          | Quantity       | Value          | Quantity       | Value          | Quantity       | Value          | Quantity               | Value            | Quantity         | Value            |
| <b>Total Census Basis</b>            | <b>368,360</b> | <b>496,517</b> | <b>430,728</b> | <b>537,744</b> | <b>351,894</b> | <b>429,076</b> | <b>365,973</b> | <b>426,194</b> | <b>1,822,020</b>       | <b>2,363,444</b> | <b>1,779,283</b> | <b>2,032,596</b> |
| North America                        | 142,765        | 171,989        | 204,730        | 204,683        | 116,659        | 111,716        | 99,027         | 100,966        | 779,383                | 819,800          | 601,205          | 545,865          |
| Canada                               | 134,872        | 161,032        | 124,564        | 146,045        | 82,539         | 85,473         | 90,065         | 92,573         | 553,841                | 650,593          | 429,142          | 435,595          |
| Mexico                               | 7,892          | 10,957         | 80,167         | 58,638         | 34,120         | 26,243         | 8,963          | 8,393          | 225,541                | 169,206          | 172,064          | 110,270          |
| Europe                               | 110,660        | 175,918        | 132,459        | 197,844        | 148,892        | 184,954        | 173,673        | 199,119        | 557,810                | 876,796          | 703,651          | 860,859          |
| European Union                       | 108,574        | 169,615        | 106,279        | 168,610        | 141,340        | 170,515        | 148,303        | 178,239        | 508,993                | 800,006          | 619,669          | 776,052          |
| Austria                              | 13,098         | 19,473         | 8,906          | 13,913         | 8,588          | 14,718         | 11,794         | 15,836         | 54,575                 | 78,981           | 45,264           | 69,756           |
| Belgium                              | 3,914          | 8,267          | 466            | 2,027          | 3,082          | 4,650          | 2,620          | 4,915          | 10,647                 | 28,290           | 16,100           | 22,658           |
| Czech Republic                       | 1,379          | 2,683          | 9,054          | 11,762         | 5,689          | 6,705          | 7,640          | 8,269          | 21,314                 | 28,119           | 22,308           | 26,409           |
| Finland                              | 1,228          | 2,698          | 735            | 1,311          | 2,740          | 1,924          | 1,063          | 1,417          | 3,863                  | 7,845            | 7,972            | 6,995            |
| France                               | 13,721         | 20,160         | 14,210         | 20,217         | 14,361         | 21,873         | 17,378         | 24,582         | 79,393                 | 128,203          | 63,684           | 104,244          |
| Germany                              | 23,459         | 41,288         | 38,310         | 66,787         | 35,247         | 51,261         | 33,956         | 52,026         | 137,388                | 233,315          | 155,323          | 221,671          |
| Hungary                              | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | 1              | 3              | 1              | 2              | 1                      | 3                | 3                | 13               |
| Italy                                | 3,089          | 8,224          | 4,448          | 11,733         | 7,241          | 7,989          | 6,468          | 7,238          | 18,243                 | 45,060           | 29,318           | 36,505           |
| Netherlands                          | 8,700          | 6,712          | 6,667          | 5,339          | 9,307          | 6,839          | 9,411          | 6,510          | 27,381                 | 20,949           | 35,632           | 24,669           |
| Poland                               | 114            | 413            | 20             | 77             | 238            | 353            | 606            | 867            | 644                    | 1,724            | 2,330            | 3,597            |
| Spain                                | 7,528          | 11,588         | 6,761          | 6,883          | 16,062         | 12,547         | 18,691         | 17,417         | 37,481                 | 43,922           | 82,685           | 67,333           |
| Sweden                               | 20,519         | 30,660         | 8,191          | 14,843         | 12,807         | 19,211         | 15,819         | 21,199         | 72,902                 | 110,844          | 62,173           | 104,947          |
| United Kingdom                       | 10,645         | 14,435         | 5,534          | 8,864          | 4,185          | 7,501          | 7,511          | 8,721          | 35,459                 | 53,060           | 29,411           | 40,229           |
| Other EU                             | 1,181          | 3,014          | 2,976          | 4,854          | 21,792         | 14,941         | 15,344         | 9,240          | 9,704                  | 19,692           | 67,467           | 47,026           |
| Moldova                              | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)                    | (-)              | (-)              | (-)              |
| Norway                               | (-)            | (-)            | 2,616          | 1,116          | 125            | 182            | 1,726          | 1,047          | 2,705                  | 1,868            | 10,356           | 4,173            |
| Russia                               | 1,756          | 5,429          | 9,506          | 14,626         | 5,039          | 11,745         | 6,679          | 8,074          | 22,377                 | 47,596           | 38,044           | 47,457           |
| Switzerland                          | 165            | 577            | 148            | 559            | 163            | 437            | 222            | 718            | 797                    | 3,163            | 1,056            | 3,549            |
| Turkey                               | 83             | 119            | 6,765          | 4,263          | 110            | 108            | 9,258          | 4,168          | 9,464                  | 7,423            | 12,703           | 8,337            |
| Ukraine                              | 81             | 178            | 7,145          | 8,670          | 2,115          | 1,967          | 7,481          | 6,870          | 13,460                 | 16,726           | 21,816           | 21,284           |
| Other Europe                         | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | 4              | 3              | 13                     | 15               | 6                | 7                |
| Euro Area                            | 75,885         | 121,373        | 82,415         | 131,279        | 97,428         | 123,915        | 102,063        | 131,852        | 374,644                | 599,266          | 440,420          | 566,103          |
| Pacific Rim Countries                | 96,116         | 122,500        | 62,787         | 106,029        | 74,438         | 119,470        | 81,483         | 106,370        | 387,970                | 547,542          | 409,737          | 536,379          |
| Australia                            | 8              | 96             | 4              | 3              | 15             | 89             | 6              | 10             | 46                     | 249              | 47               | 221              |
| China                                | 41,216         | 55,363         | 21,324         | 33,462         | 16,272         | 26,375         | 30,918         | 34,579         | 148,741                | 200,477          | 108,978          | 127,612          |
| Indonesia                            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | 368                    | 674              | 252              | 467              |
| Japan                                | 45,500         | 55,332         | 32,556         | 57,413         | 45,711         | 78,855         | 41,690         | 61,016         | 186,506                | 276,124          | 248,959          | 349,652          |
| Newly Industrialized Countries(NICS) | 9,374          | 11,684         | 8,875          | 15,134         | 12,433         | 14,132         | 8,870          | 10,765         | 52,101                 | 69,871           | 51,465           | 58,389           |
| Hong Kong                            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)                    | (-)              | (-)              | (-)              |
| Korea                                | 8,535          | 8,653          | 7,361          | 9,236          | 11,365         | 11,512         | 7,720          | 7,252          | 46,698                 | 49,633           | 46,274           | 44,175           |
| Singapore                            | (-)            | (-)            | 635            | 2,099          | 1              | 12             | (-)            | (-)            | 635                    | 2,109            | 8                | 26               |
| Taiwan                               | 839            | 3,031          | 880            | 3,800          | 1,067          | 2,607          | 1,150          | 3,513          | 4,768                  | 18,129           | 5,182            | 14,187           |
| Other Pacific Rim                    | 18             | 25             | 27             | 17             | 8              | 20             | (-)            | (-)            | 208                    | 148              | 37               | 38               |
| South/Central America                | 16,279         | 21,254         | 26,669         | 22,297         | 8,866          | 8,934          | 6,382          | 12,013         | 79,296                 | 89,042           | 45,011           | 66,425           |
| Argentina                            | 204            | 734            | 331            | 1,175          | 325            | 803            | 562            | 1,389          | 840                    | 2,845            | 3,588            | 9,249            |
| Brazil                               | 12,032         | 14,882         | 23,214         | 16,993         | 4,017          | 5,876          | 5,419          | 9,869          | 56,495                 | 61,734           | 34,717           | 49,349           |
| Chile                                | (-)            | (-)            | 4              | 8              | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | 4                      | 8                | (-)              | (-)              |
| Colombia                             | 3,944          | 5,580          | 2,811          | 3,882          | 320            | 398            | 337            | 436            | 14,907                 | 20,802           | 1,451            | 1,893            |
| Venezuela                            | (-)            | (-)            | 3              | 4              | 11             | 13             | 18             | 13             | 4,472                  | 2,331            | 29               | 26               |
| Other S/C A                          | 98             | 59             | 307            | 235            | 4,193          | 1,844          | 46             | 306            | 2,579                  | 1,322            | 5,226            | 5,908            |
| Other Countries                      | 2,541          | 4,856          | 4,083          | 6,891          | 3,039          | 4,003          | 5,407          | 7,726          | 17,561                 | 30,264           | 19,679           | 23,067           |
| Egypt                                | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | 1,190                  | 603              | (-)              | (-)              |
| India                                | 2,143          | 2,833          | 3,452          | 3,146          | 2,381          | 3,410          | 4,674          | 7,034          | 14,435                 | 18,200           | 12,345           | 18,183           |
| South Africa                         | 254            | 874            | 424            | 2,004          | 627            | 545            | 689            | 630            | 1,358                  | 4,981            | 7,184            | 4,649            |
| Thailand                             | 52             | 1,023          | 171            | 1,661          | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)            | 365                    | 6,151            | 41               | 60               |
| Other                                | 93             | 126            | 35             | 80             | 32             | 49             | 44             | 62             | 214                    | 329              | 110              | 175              |

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**Exhibit 2b. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Stainless Steel Products From Selected Countries and Areas**

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

| Countries and Areas                  | 2007 Data      |                |               |                | 2006 Data     |                |               |                | May Cumulative To Date |                  |                |                  |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|------------------------|------------------|----------------|------------------|
|                                      | May Final      |                | April Final   |                | May Final     |                | April Final   |                | 2007 Final             |                  | 2006 Final     |                  |
|                                      | Quantity       | Value          | Quantity      | Value          | Quantity      | Value          | Quantity      | Value          | Quantity               | Value            | Quantity       | Value            |
| <b>Total Census Basis</b>            | <b>107,690</b> | <b>542,252</b> | <b>96,022</b> | <b>471,030</b> | <b>92,203</b> | <b>293,697</b> | <b>76,737</b> | <b>255,734</b> | <b>492,695</b>         | <b>2,298,932</b> | <b>394,227</b> | <b>1,277,540</b> |
| North America                        | 16,405         | 74,327         | 15,106        | 59,243         | 12,659        | 37,664         | 13,563        | 40,581         | 74,319                 | 281,753          | 62,492         | 188,475          |
| Canada                               | 2,567          | 19,553         | 2,552         | 16,795         | 2,013         | 12,926         | 1,894         | 13,279         | 14,144                 | 84,006           | 10,181         | 64,376           |
| Mexico                               | 13,838         | 54,774         | 12,554        | 42,447         | 10,645        | 24,738         | 11,668        | 27,303         | 60,175                 | 197,747          | 52,311         | 124,099          |
| Europe                               | 41,206         | 238,785        | 40,370        | 216,665        | 39,627        | 138,039        | 34,628        | 127,080        | 200,768                | 1,062,772        | 166,971        | 601,176          |
| European Union                       | 40,825         | 236,334        | 39,846        | 213,234        | 39,177        | 136,011        | 34,249        | 125,018        | 198,387                | 1,048,338        | 165,320        | 592,130          |
| Austria                              | 1,191          | 4,338          | 2,675         | 6,102          | 490           | 4,444          | 507           | 4,119          | 6,615                  | 23,834           | 3,148          | 22,372           |
| Belgium                              | 4,697          | 32,540         | 3,943         | 25,004         | 3,298         | 12,185         | 2,006         | 7,410          | 20,825                 | 129,302          | 12,897         | 44,793           |
| Czech Republic                       | 65             | 640            | 155           | 2,319          | 86            | 1,307          | 253           | 3,664          | 871                    | 13,442           | 1,087          | 10,285           |
| Finland                              | 631            | 3,561          | 1,126         | 7,327          | 1,323         | 3,543          | 1,537         | 3,835          | 8,076                  | 45,463           | 7,404          | 19,614           |
| France                               | 3,204          | 16,473         | 3,471         | 17,802         | 3,233         | 12,702         | 2,893         | 11,875         | 17,623                 | 86,526           | 16,393         | 68,292           |
| Germany                              | 7,876          | 33,810         | 7,111         | 29,927         | 5,760         | 19,568         | 4,284         | 17,831         | 31,988                 | 122,245          | 20,499         | 79,247           |
| Hungary                              | (-)            | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | 2                      | 11               | (-)            | (-)              |
| Italy                                | 7,034          | 41,587         | 6,415         | 34,784         | 9,631         | 27,825         | 9,055         | 27,971         | 32,628                 | 168,185          | 36,583         | 110,841          |
| Netherlands                          | 42             | 256            | 75            | 332            | 23            | 177            | 60            | 181            | 186                    | 1,169            | 173            | 993              |
| Poland                               | (-)            | (-)            | 84            | 112            | 2             | 6              | 17            | 48             | 125                    | 242              | 74             | 219              |
| Spain                                | 510            | 6,003          | 934           | 8,887          | 795           | 5,078          | 644           | 5,647          | 5,239                  | 44,830           | 4,120          | 24,237           |
| Sweden                               | 6,706          | 47,247         | 6,614         | 43,663         | 6,250         | 24,072         | 5,038         | 20,145         | 33,423                 | 213,031          | 25,761         | 103,615          |
| United Kingdom                       | 8,402          | 47,590         | 6,786         | 34,765         | 7,927         | 24,068         | 7,515         | 20,990         | 38,154                 | 188,119          | 35,273         | 101,871          |
| Other EU                             | 466            | 2,290          | 457           | 2,209          | 360           | 1,035          | 439           | 1,302          | 2,633                  | 11,940           | 1,910          | 5,752            |
| Moldova                              | (-)            | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)                    | (-)              | (-)            | (-)              |
| Norway                               | (-)            | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | 6                      | 163              | 5              | 101              |
| Russia                               | (-)            | (-)            | 56            | 238            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | 99                     | 377              | (-)            | (-)              |
| Switzerland                          | 221            | 1,534          | 244           | 1,981          | 228           | 1,175          | 295           | 1,737          | 1,115                  | 7,491            | 1,147          | 6,942            |
| Turkey                               | (-)            | (-)            | 11            | 28             | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | 11                     | 28               | (-)            | (-)              |
| Ukraine                              | 159            | 917            | 211           | 1,169          | 222           | 853            | 84            | 324            | 1,147                  | 6,359            | 459            | 1,905            |
| Other Europe                         | (-)            | (-)            | 3             | 15             | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | 3                      | 15               | 40             | 97               |
| Euro Area                            | 25,538         | 140,016        | 26,072        | 131,261        | 24,803        | 86,162         | 21,286        | 79,679         | 125,246                | 629,500          | 102,603        | 373,927          |
| Pacific Rim Countries                | 39,947         | 190,349        | 32,650        | 160,492        | 31,884        | 97,483         | 23,601        | 75,179         | 177,204                | 786,974          | 125,496        | 387,677          |
| Australia                            | 35             | 232            | 49            | 213            | 36            | 134            | 6             | 52             | 125                    | 642              | 90             | 404              |
| China                                | 20,519         | 87,531         | 16,801        | 69,679         | 14,711        | 35,247         | 9,561         | 24,356         | 87,378                 | 355,760          | 49,354         | 125,050          |
| Indonesia                            | 159            | 756            | (-)           | (-)            | 113           | 399            | 28            | 167            | 463                    | 2,331            | 406            | 1,561            |
| Japan                                | 6,613          | 34,684         | 4,257         | 27,419         | 3,325         | 13,853         | 2,870         | 12,634         | 19,246                 | 105,938          | 14,934         | 67,321           |
| Newly Industrialized Countries(NICS) | 12,397         | 65,952         | 11,196        | 61,378         | 13,473        | 47,216         | 10,772        | 36,964         | 68,436                 | 314,454          | 59,592         | 189,991          |
| Hong Kong                            | 40             | 213            | 71            | 418            | 36            | 176            | 51            | 237            | 161                    | 863              | 226            | 995              |
| Korea                                | 4,119          | 15,630         | 3,026         | 14,004         | 3,838         | 12,609         | 2,735         | 10,177         | 23,992                 | 78,328           | 15,691         | 53,525           |
| Singapore                            | 70             | 401            | 113           | 602            | 110           | 344            | 143           | 434            | 493                    | 2,509            | 522            | 1,682            |
| Taiwan                               | 8,168          | 49,708         | 7,987         | 46,354         | 9,490         | 34,087         | 7,843         | 26,117         | 43,790                 | 232,754          | 43,153         | 133,789          |
| Other Pacific Rim                    | 223            | 1,193          | 347           | 1,803          | 227           | 634            | 363           | 1,007          | 1,556                  | 7,849            | 1,120          | 3,350            |
| South/Central America                | 2,294          | 6,245          | 2,318         | 12,012         | 1,613         | 4,087          | 1,503         | 3,379          | 12,024                 | 50,760           | 10,371         | 24,984           |
| Argentina                            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | 6                      | 34               | 9              | 143              |
| Brazil                               | 2,204          | 5,919          | 2,263         | 11,849         | 1,610         | 4,070          | 1,503         | 3,379          | 11,675                 | 49,646           | 10,357         | 24,763           |
| Chile                                | (-)            | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)                    | (-)              | (-)            | (-)              |
| Colombia                             | 2              | 47             | (-)           | (-)            | 3             | 17             | (-)           | (-)            | 2                      | 47               | 4              | 78               |
| Venezuela                            | (-)            | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)                    | (-)              | (-)            | (-)              |
| Other S/C A                          | 87             | 279            | 56            | 163            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | 340                    | 1,033            | (-)            | (-)              |
| Other Countries                      | 7,839          | 32,546         | 5,579         | 22,618         | 6,421         | 16,424         | 3,443         | 9,515          | 28,380                 | 116,673          | 28,896         | 75,228           |
| Egypt                                | (-)            | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)           | (-)            | (-)                    | (-)              | (-)            | (-)              |
| India                                | 4,214          | 20,665         | 3,321         | 16,906         | 3,192         | 9,504          | 2,880         | 8,209          | 17,170                 | 82,892           | 15,480         | 45,861           |
| South Africa                         | 3,517          | 11,429         | 1,763         | 4,210          | 2,337         | 4,950          | 121           | 184            | 9,308                  | 26,716           | 10,319         | 21,601           |
| Thailand                             | 8              | 71             | 117           | 358            | 540           | 1,085          | 184           | 533            | 697                    | 3,331            | 1,574          | 4,085            |
| Other                                | 101            | 380            | 378           | 1,144          | 351           | 884            | 257           | 588            | 1,205                  | 3,734            | 1,523          | 3,682            |

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**Exhibit 2c. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Carbon (Non-Alloy) Steel Products From Selected Countries and Areas**

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

| Countries and Areas                  | 2007 Data        |                  |                  |                  | 2006 Data        |                  |                  |                  | May Cumulative To Date |                  |                   |                  |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|
|                                      | May Final        |                  | April Final      |                  | May Final        |                  | April Final      |                  | 2007 Final             |                  | 2006 Final        |                  |
|                                      | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity               | Value            | Quantity          | Value            |
| <b>Total Census Basis</b>            | <b>2,488,991</b> | <b>1,777,223</b> | <b>2,057,713</b> | <b>1,502,335</b> | <b>3,127,839</b> | <b>1,888,417</b> | <b>2,950,410</b> | <b>1,749,300</b> | <b>11,086,475</b>      | <b>7,718,982</b> | <b>14,970,953</b> | <b>8,697,095</b> |
| North America                        | 555,898          | 428,664          | 634,679          | 458,574          | 656,498          | 464,423          | 522,401          | 382,709          | 2,922,055              | 2,100,075        | 2,956,812         | 2,055,964        |
| Canada                               | 388,871          | 300,888          | 407,646          | 306,949          | 400,846          | 314,563          | 364,123          | 278,019          | 1,982,690              | 1,458,974        | 1,863,746         | 1,412,566        |
| Mexico                               | 167,027          | 127,776          | 227,033          | 151,625          | 255,652          | 149,860          | 158,278          | 104,690          | 939,365                | 641,101          | 1,093,066         | 643,397          |
| Europe                               | 550,455          | 433,914          | 449,775          | 363,540          | 1,071,390        | 594,925          | 1,103,328        | 614,182          | 2,456,032              | 1,773,809        | 5,103,934         | 2,778,610        |
| European Union                       | 301,997          | 302,127          | 244,710          | 244,217          | 409,779          | 300,850          | 397,269          | 300,239          | 1,103,199              | 1,081,319        | 1,980,694         | 1,401,954        |
| Austria                              | 10,841           | 16,217           | 4,929            | 8,007            | 10,267           | 15,360           | 14,779           | 21,416           | 46,468                 | 66,051           | 61,525            | 93,508           |
| Belgium                              | 11,375           | 7,463            | 3,588            | 3,280            | 30,542           | 19,419           | 22,448           | 14,359           | 44,774                 | 32,430           | 107,289           | 67,680           |
| Czech Republic                       | 12,949           | 9,916            | 11,094           | 13,554           | 17,349           | 9,882            | 17,786           | 14,498           | 40,965                 | 38,831           | 107,229           | 64,104           |
| Finland                              | 5,611            | 2,855            | 58               | 72               | 4,806            | 2,358            | 1,631            | 1,583            | 5,784                  | 3,076            | 30,347            | 16,115           |
| France                               | 20,083           | 17,641           | 25,328           | 20,910           | 19,514           | 15,263           | 36,214           | 25,979           | 101,531                | 86,675           | 116,957           | 85,481           |
| Germany                              | 64,657           | 79,619           | 58,329           | 60,680           | 84,871           | 65,458           | 65,222           | 62,869           | 256,057                | 270,984          | 364,319           | 301,795          |
| Hungary                              | (-)              | 2                | (-)              | (-)              | (-)              | (-)              | (-)              | 2,823            | 1,321                  | 927              | 571               | 3,853            |
| Italy                                | 52,007           | 43,863           | 29,454           | 16,453           | 70,089           | 40,534           | 70,001           | 36,140           | 146,391                | 119,479          | 360,087           | 201,880          |
| Netherlands                          | 32,203           | 20,459           | 30,485           | 20,267           | 44,118           | 25,388           | 55,894           | 33,209           | 100,287                | 64,880           | 160,160           | 92,135           |
| Poland                               | 479              | 597              | 2,010            | 3,110            | 1,239            | 1,371            | 15,596           | 10,052           | 6,261                  | 9,237            | 59,324            | 36,914           |
| Spain                                | 3,638            | 5,644            | 6,113            | 4,587            | 35,242           | 25,689           | 16,509           | 13,290           | 37,521                 | 38,955           | 126,572           | 91,899           |
| Sweden                               | 288              | 1,246            | 345              | 1,324            | 4,471            | 4,399            | 2,705            | 3,705            | 6,709                  | 10,923           | 16,519            | 19,588           |
| United Kingdom                       | 48,898           | 49,211           | 18,910           | 25,438           | 31,951           | 34,330           | 29,283           | 26,819           | 106,908                | 111,479          | 170,478           | 130,588          |
| Other EU                             | 38,968           | 47,395           | 54,069           | 66,535           | 55,319           | 41,399           | 46,379           | 34,998           | 202,616                | 227,750          | 296,036           | 198,431          |
| Moldova                              | (-)              | (-)              | (-)              | (-)              | 1,573            | 1,314            | 1,308            | 1,105            | 1,001                  | 788              | 6,337             | 5,372            |
| Norway                               | 1,080            | 1,097            | 9,290            | 4,880            | 2,058            | 1,625            | 12,804           | 5,868            | 18,267                 | 12,357           | 25,635            | 13,837           |
| Russia                               | 112,420          | 54,624           | 88,273           | 50,186           | 315,558          | 135,812          | 261,720          | 117,651          | 535,197                | 268,148          | 1,390,016         | 586,512          |
| Switzerland                          | 1,402            | 2,467            | 1,341            | 2,573            | 981              | 1,744            | 660              | 1,549            | 7,266                  | 11,538           | 3,670             | 8,241            |
| Turkey                               | 74,752           | 41,349           | 7,955            | 4,996            | 166,097          | 77,327           | 305,500          | 136,756          | 273,803                | 147,432          | 1,126,492         | 506,643          |
| Ukraine                              | 55,039           | 29,228           | 81,507           | 43,370           | 168,484          | 71,697           | 123,717          | 50,667           | 484,030                | 225,162          | 554,728           | 244,675          |
| Other Europe                         | 3,764            | 3,022            | 16,698           | 13,318           | 6,860            | 4,556            | 350              | 347              | 33,269                 | 27,064           | 16,361            | 11,377           |
| Euro Area                            | 238,508          | 240,064          | 204,294          | 191,456          | 324,797          | 228,589          | 298,425          | 221,861          | 915,996                | 882,773          | 1,434,333         | 1,035,990        |
| Pacific Rim Countries                | 984,702          | 645,166          | 650,883          | 451,375          | 905,250          | 547,389          | 952,600          | 529,900          | 3,972,760              | 2,659,527        | 4,370,561         | 2,480,887        |
| Australia                            | 107,002          | 57,109           | 38,957           | 16,636           | 78,287           | 35,486           | 58,660           | 23,222           | 316,248                | 153,175          | 498,781           | 190,428          |
| China                                | 429,141          | 282,337          | 219,106          | 159,239          | 249,546          | 153,657          | 322,972          | 191,362          | 1,672,013              | 1,137,677        | 1,351,622         | 789,424          |
| Indonesia                            | 2,867            | 2,149            | 99               | 74               | 4,832            | 2,805            | 4,331            | 2,038            | 9,855                  | 7,117            | 16,523            | 8,903            |
| Japan                                | 120,874          | 91,519           | 132,456          | 99,837           | 159,474          | 122,290          | 109,427          | 63,809           | 540,748                | 394,659          | 573,494           | 385,730          |
| Newly Industrialized Countries(NICS) | 284,346          | 190,317          | 222,663          | 153,275          | 323,660          | 190,583          | 366,006          | 208,362          | 1,208,143              | 844,462          | 1,618,369         | 960,985          |
| Hong Kong                            | 18               | 16               | (-)              | (-)              | 719              | 527              | 48               | 63               | 542                    | 491              | 1,062             | 892              |
| Korea                                | 175,757          | 121,260          | 147,177          | 102,762          | 206,333          | 121,721          | 177,709          | 109,158          | 745,463                | 528,317          | 981,391           | 603,120          |
| Singapore                            | 15,647           | 8,326            | 5,124            | 2,425            | 200              | 157              | 11,910           | 4,764            | 46,868                 | 26,140           | 12,217            | 5,424            |
| Taiwan                               | 92,923           | 60,715           | 70,363           | 48,087           | 116,409          | 68,178           | 176,339          | 94,377           | 415,271                | 289,515          | 623,699           | 351,548          |
| Other Pacific Rim                    | 40,473           | 21,737           | 37,601           | 22,314           | 89,450           | 42,567           | 91,205           | 41,108           | 225,753                | 122,437          | 311,773           | 145,416          |
| South/Central America                | 272,200          | 163,405          | 218,917          | 131,551          | 201,987          | 117,964          | 197,061          | 121,403          | 1,245,503              | 756,950          | 1,451,543         | 772,594          |
| Argentina                            | 17,184           | 10,993           | 1,733            | 2,409            | 4,773            | 4,152            | 15,473           | 9,143            | 40,254                 | 25,618           | 60,593            | 40,071           |
| Brazil                               | 203,037          | 116,160          | 187,989          | 108,868          | 142,496          | 78,244           | 140,514          | 82,614           | 952,181                | 574,894          | 1,127,482         | 552,425          |
| Chile                                | 114              | 95               | 375              | 291              | 1,449            | 1,018            | 384              | 347              | 870                    | 714              | 5,713             | 4,226            |
| Colombia                             | 7,193            | 9,727            | 3,869            | 4,113            | 9,235            | 11,043           | 7,753            | 9,508            | 28,970                 | 34,629           | 47,619            | 58,086           |
| Venezuela                            | 10,278           | 7,332            | 14,973           | 10,314           | 20,526           | 12,077           | 21,241           | 13,935           | 104,667                | 58,967           | 116,251           | 71,191           |
| Other S/C A                          | 34,395           | 19,099           | 9,977            | 5,566            | 23,508           | 11,430           | 11,696           | 5,856            | 118,560                | 62,128           | 93,885            | 46,596           |
| Other Countries                      | 125,736          | 106,074          | 103,459          | 97,295           | 292,715          | 163,717          | 175,021          | 101,106          | 490,125                | 428,620          | 1,088,103         | 609,040          |
| Egypt                                | (-)              | (-)              | (-)              | (-)              | 90,959           | 42,362           | 33,743           | 15,920           | 8,220                  | 4,730            | 358,024           | 163,031          |
| India                                | 69,467           | 69,788           | 70,858           | 73,559           | 115,750          | 75,614           | 93,750           | 57,690           | 286,094                | 290,041          | 397,519           | 256,827          |
| South Africa                         | 11,906           | 9,741            | 16,596           | 13,106           | 36,977           | 21,761           | 24,434           | 15,451           | 62,048                 | 49,046           | 186,515           | 111,740          |
| Thailand                             | 42,955           | 25,512           | 15,303           | 10,085           | 47,769           | 22,916           | 20,692           | 10,311           | 128,708                | 80,749           | 132,858           | 67,649           |
| Other                                | 1,408            | 1,033            | 702              | 545              | 1,259            | 1,064            | 2,402            | 1,733            | 5,056                  | 4,055            | 13,187            | 9,793            |

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**Exhibit 3. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Monitored Steel Products**

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

| Commodity Grouping                | 2007 Data        |                  |                  |                  | 2006 Data        |                  |                  |                  | May Cumulative To Date |                  |                   |                  |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|
|                                   | May Final        |                  | April Final      |                  | May Final        |                  | April Final      |                  | 2007 Final             |                  | 2006 Final        |                  |
|                                   | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity         | Value            | Quantity               | Value            | Quantity          | Value            |
| <b>Total Selected Commodities</b> | <b>2,191,429</b> | <b>1,769,878</b> | <b>1,997,448</b> | <b>1,615,499</b> | <b>2,807,928</b> | <b>1,768,690</b> | <b>2,612,522</b> | <b>1,647,990</b> | <b>10,017,279</b>      | <b>7,798,217</b> | <b>13,221,911</b> | <b>8,139,332</b> |
| Carbon/Alloy Products             |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                        |                  |                   |                  |
| Flat-rolled Products              | 1,325,688        | 895,563          | 1,319,260        | 869,146          | 2,070,713        | 1,133,805        | 1,804,322        | 1,012,158        | 6,531,977              | 4,261,640        | 9,641,682         | 5,221,789        |
| Flat-rolled -- Slab               | 362,769          | 179,131          | 519,332          | 265,801          | 597,091          | 236,637          | 469,295          | 187,513          | 2,177,335              | 1,037,351        | 3,423,067         | 1,331,742        |
| Flat-rolled -- Plate              | 117,052          | 109,912          | 98,572           | 89,948           | 140,098          | 99,400           | 128,737          | 99,795           | 502,715                | 464,916          | 581,832           | 473,794          |
| Flat-rolled -- Hot-Rolled         | 368,003          | 213,507          | 278,621          | 163,567          | 700,869          | 353,630          | 494,997          | 258,160          | 1,548,606              | 892,822          | 2,551,498         | 1,303,332        |
| Flat-rolled -- Cold-Rolled        | 146,254          | 105,840          | 105,879          | 77,877           | 230,730          | 144,793          | 311,545          | 177,452          | 727,103                | 506,619          | 1,192,411         | 716,039          |
| Flat-rolled -- Coated             | 279,117          | 244,170          | 256,287          | 224,555          | 364,476          | 270,279          | 340,762          | 245,077          | 1,332,321              | 1,165,540        | 1,685,260         | 1,235,757        |
| Flat-rolled -- Tin Mill           | 52,492           | 43,001           | 60,569           | 47,398           | 37,450           | 29,067           | 58,986           | 44,161           | 243,898                | 194,391          | 207,614           | 161,125          |
| Hot-rolled Bar                    | 165,624          | 134,317          | 136,443          | 116,753          | 199,433          | 158,447          | 218,062          | 158,544          | 732,852                | 599,664          | 948,517           | 705,538          |
| Cold Finished Bar                 | 18,931           | 28,581           | 26,889           | 33,466           | 22,893           | 31,019           | 35,588           | 41,656           | 107,026                | 153,532          | 125,889           | 158,787          |
| Rebar                             | 218,162          | 118,256          | 107,049          | 55,065           | 187,287          | 80,891           | 266,766          | 112,494          | 838,182                | 419,800          | 1,059,925         | 449,593          |
| Welded Pipe                       | 422,834          | 427,502          | 370,610          | 392,529          | 291,971          | 248,592          | 256,376          | 219,826          | 1,622,005              | 1,625,549        | 1,289,828         | 1,097,267        |
| Fittings and Flanges              | 22,307           | 60,762           | 20,918           | 58,608           | 19,638           | 53,012           | 15,979           | 42,887           | 98,482                 | 274,860          | 80,898            | 219,069          |
| Stainless Steel Products          |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                        |                  |                   |                  |
| Bar                               | 11,069           | 64,159           | 10,449           | 56,396           | 10,110           | 39,056           | 9,781            | 39,225           | 55,391                 | 290,058          | 45,992            | 176,647          |
| Rod                               | 2,613            | 13,345           | 2,221            | 10,463           | 1,899            | 6,054            | 2,212            | 5,990            | 12,771                 | 60,151           | 11,160            | 32,003           |
| Wire                              | 4,200            | 27,394           | 3,610            | 23,073           | 3,984            | 17,815           | 3,437            | 15,209           | 18,593                 | 112,963          | 18,020            | 78,639           |

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**Exhibit 4. U.S. Imports For Consumption of Monitored Steel Products from Selected Countries**

Quantity in metric tons/value in thousands of dollars. (-) Represents zero or less than one half of measurement shown. Details may not equal totals due to rounding.

| Countries and Areas | 2007 Data |         |             |         | 2006 Data |         |             |         | May Cumulative To Date |           |            |           |
|---------------------|-----------|---------|-------------|---------|-----------|---------|-------------|---------|------------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
|                     | May Final |         | April Final |         | May Final |         | April Final |         | 2007 Final             |           | 2006 Final |           |
|                     | Quantity  | Value   | Quantity    | Value   | Quantity  | Value   | Quantity    | Value   | Quantity               | Value     | Quantity   | Value     |
| Argentina           | 11,354    | 5,336   | 137         | 120     | 2,156     | 1,140   | 11,014      | 5,889   | 22,044                 | 10,646    | 35,074     | 18,766    |
| Brazil              | 174,036   | 98,225  | 176,360     | 99,837  | 117,610   | 66,650  | 104,431     | 59,790  | 768,515                | 455,875   | 940,655    | 454,122   |
| Bulgaria            | (-)       | (-)     | (-)         | (-)     | 26,814    | 15,311  | 20,418      | 8,545   | 2,892                  | 1,753     | 104,558    | 47,707    |
| Canada              | 443,885   | 399,401 | 454,912     | 394,934 | 386,412   | 326,274 | 373,613     | 311,260 | 2,145,789              | 1,808,018 | 1,878,050  | 1,544,184 |
| Columbia            | 424       | 419     | 1,665       | 1,425   | 3,131     | 2,573   | 1,882       | 1,593   | 5,985                  | 5,146     | 14,577     | 11,599    |
| Czech Republic      | 414       | 1,440   | 6,355       | 7,296   | 19,727    | 12,486  | 5,817       | 5,971   | 14,725                 | 18,426    | 65,451     | 40,154    |
| Egypt               | (-)       | (-)     | (-)         | (-)     | 90,959    | 42,362  | 23,744      | 11,081  | 9,409                  | 5,333     | 328,345    | 150,066   |
| Hungary             | (-)       | 2       | (-)         | (-)     | 1         | 3       | 2,823       | 1,323   | 928                    | 576       | 3,856      | 1,854     |
| India               | 76,376    | 94,514  | 81,357      | 98,541  | 121,159   | 88,169  | 85,580      | 63,877  | 312,836                | 392,253   | 395,922    | 304,985   |
| Indonesia           | 2,881     | 2,173   | 94          | 62      | 4,824     | 2,777   | 4,320       | 1,986   | 9,857                  | 7,108     | 16,498     | 8,829     |
| Latvia              | 91        | 642     | 93          | 635     | 37        | 134     | 132         | 451     | 405                    | 2,507     | 318        | 1,220     |
| Mexico              | 155,966   | 115,153 | 291,285     | 190,639 | 273,631   | 161,851 | 151,905     | 99,365  | 1,089,063              | 720,786   | 1,174,078  | 673,400   |
| Oman                | 862       | 569     | 315         | 201     | 168       | 92      | 1,953       | 1,152   | 2,840                  | 1,915     | 6,048      | 3,622     |
| Poland              | 27        | 248     | 97          | 232     | 216       | 520     | 626         | 781     | 432                    | 1,864     | 6,837      | 4,273     |
| Romania             | 549       | 1,263   | 5,185       | 5,514   | 15,127    | 9,586   | 16,288      | 10,411  | 11,021                 | 13,095    | 64,980     | 39,481    |
| South Africa        | 9,414     | 8,296   | 12,676      | 11,594  | 25,818    | 15,685  | 16,538      | 10,632  | 45,290                 | 41,194    | 129,370    | 80,267    |
| Thailand            | 42,803    | 25,905  | 15,239      | 10,743  | 47,794    | 23,700  | 20,793      | 11,136  | 127,218                | 82,816    | 134,021    | 72,590    |
| Trinidad & Tobago   | (-)       | (-)     | 200         | 94      | 4,132     | 1,824   | (-)         | (-)     | 2,270                  | 1,014     | 4,831      | 4,676     |
| Turkey              | 65,742    | 36,733  | 14,582      | 9,213   | 151,756   | 68,830  | 299,705     | 133,983 | 264,153                | 142,948   | 942,553    | 427,773   |
| Venezuela           | 6,555     | 4,198   | 9,775       | 5,940   | 13,873    | 7,826   | 10,470      | 5,508   | 93,835                 | 48,165    | 66,734     | 36,881    |

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