In the Matter of

CHICAGO BRIDGE & IRON COMPANY N.V . a foreign c orporat ion,

CHICAGO BRIDGE & IRON COMPANY, a corpor ation, and

PITT-DES MOINES, INC., a corpor ation.

Docket No. 9300

## ORDER GR ANTING IN PART AND DENYING IN PART RESPON DENTS' MOTI ON FOR IN CAMERA TREATMENT OF MATERIAL PREVIOUSLY DESIGNATED AS CONFIDENTIAL

Respondents Chicago Bridge & Iron Company N.V. and Chicago Bridge & Iron Company ("CB&I" or "the Respondents") have filed a Motion for *In Camera* Treatment of Material Previously Designated as Confidential in Respondents' Further Briefing on Specific Remedy Issues ("the Motion"). CB&I seeks *in camera* treatment for discussions on pages 8-11 of Respondents' Further Briefing on Specific Remedy Issues ("Respondents' Brief") that were redacted in the public record version of Respondents' Brief. CB&I seeks *in camera* treatment of these materials for a period of five years. Complaint Counsel does not oppose Respondents' motion.

The Commission finds that CB&I has satisfied the standard set forth in Commission Rule 3.45(b) and shown that the disclosure of the information for which it seeks *in camera* treatment would likely result in "clearly defined, serious injury." 16 C.F.R. § 3.45(b). See H.P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 58 F.T.C. 1184, 1188 (1961); Bristol-Myers Co., 90 F.T.C. 455, 456 (1977); General

*Foods Corp.*, 95 F.T.C. 352, 355 (1980). The Commission, however, is not persuaded that *in camera* treatment should be granted for the five-year period requested by CB&I. The information for which such treatment is being granted is temporal in nature, and its competitive sensitivity is likely to diminish over time. Accordingly, the Commission believes that a two-year period is appropriate.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that those portions of pages 8-11 that were redacted in the public record in Respondents' Brief shall be afforded