



FILE NOTE – REVIEW 267

Certain Hollow Structural Sections Exported from the People’s Republic of China Review of anti-dumping measures (Tianjin Youfa Steel Pipe Group Co Ltd)

Extension of time for submissions in response to the statement of essential facts

Purpose

The purpose of this file note is to advise interested parties that the Anti-Dumping Commissioner (the Commissioner) will have regard to any submission, made in response to the statement of essential facts (SEF 267), that is received by the Commissioner on or before **9 June 2015**.

Context

In deciding on the recommendations to be made in the report to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Industry and Science (the Parliamentary Secretary), the Commissioner must have regard to, inter alia, any submission made in response to the SEF that is received by the Commissioner within 20 days after the placing of that SEF on the public record.¹ The Commissioner is not obliged to have regard to any submission made in response to the SEF that is received by the Commissioner after the end of that period, if to do so would, in the Commissioner’s opinion, prevent the timely preparation of the report to the Parliamentary Secretary.²

The SEF was placed on the public record on 5 May 2015. On 26 May 2015, evidence in the form of a response to exporter questionnaire (REQ) was placed on the public record. Therefore, this evidence was made available to interested parties after the 20 day submission period had ended.

¹ *Customs Act 1901*, s. 269ZDA(3)

² *ibid.*, s. 269ZDA(4).

PUBLIC RECORD

In these circumstances, the Commissioner is hereby confirming that submissions can still be made and the Commissioner will have regard to such submissions providing they are received on or before 9 June 2015. This date represents a period of 14 days from the publication of the REQ. The Commissioner considers that this approach is reasonable as it ensures all interested parties have the opportunity to defend their interests.

Lodgment of submissions

Interested parties are invited to lodge written submissions in response to SEF 267, no later than **9 June 2015**, preferably by email to:

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or by post to:

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or by facsimile to (03) 8539 2499 or +61 3 8539 2499 (international).

Interested parties claiming that information contained in their submission is confidential, or that the publication of the information would adversely affect their business or commercial interests, must:

- (i) provide a summary containing sufficient detail to allow a reasonable understanding of the substance of the information that does not breach that confidentiality or adversely affect those interests, or
- (ii) satisfy the Commissioner that there is no way such a summary can be given to allow a reasonable understanding of the substance of the information.

Submissions containing confidential information must be clearly marked "FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY".

Interested parties making submissions must also provide a non-confidential version for public record (clearly marked "PUBLIC RECORD").

Anti-Dumping Commission contact

Enquiries about this file note may be directed to the case manager on telephone number (03) 8539 2412 or email operations1@adcommission.gov.au.