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## **ANTI-DUMPING NOTICE NO. [2016/08]**

### **Certain Ammonium Nitrates**

### **Exported from the Russian Federation (either directly or via Estonia)**

### **Extension of time granted to issue the Statement of Essential Facts**

*Customs Act 1901 – Part XVB*

On 9 September 2015 I, Dale Seymour, Commissioner of the Anti-Dumping Commission published a notice announcing the initiation of an inquiry into whether the continuation of anti-dumping measures in respect of certain ammonium nitrates exported to Australia from the Russian Federation, either directly or via Estonia, is justified.

A full description of the goods is available in Anti-Dumping Notice (ADN) No. 2015/112. This ADN is available on the internet at [www.adcommission.gov.au](http://www.adcommission.gov.au).

The initiation notice advised that the statements of essential facts (SEF) for the continuation inquiry would be placed on the public record by 27 January 2016. The SEF will set out the facts on which I propose to base my recommendations to the Assistant Minister for Science and the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Industry, Innovation and Science (the Parliamentary Secretary).<sup>1</sup>

To ensure the Anti-Dumping Commission can properly verify the sole cooperating exporter's information, fully investigate the complex 'market situation' claims and manage the effect of the Christmas / New Year shutdown on staff availability to complete these tasks, I requested an extension of the deadline for the publication of the SEF.

The Parliamentary Secretary has, under subsection 269ZHI(3) of the *Customs Act 1901*, extended the deadline for the publication of the SEF. The SEF will now be placed on the public record no later than 16 February 2016. Interested parties are invited to make submissions to the Commission in response to the SEF within 20 days of the SEF being placed on the public record. A recommendation to the Parliamentary Secretary will be made in a report due on or before 2 April 2016.

The Parliamentary Secretary must make a declaration within 30 days after receiving the report, or due to special circumstances, such longer period as the Parliamentary Secretary considers appropriate.

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<sup>1</sup> On 20 September 2015, the Prime Minister appointed the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Industry, Innovation and Science as the Assistant Minister for Science.

Documents included in the public record may be examined at [www.adcommission.gov.au](http://www.adcommission.gov.au) or at the Commission office by contacting the case manager on the details provided below.

Enquiries about this notice may be directed to the case manager on telephone number +61 3 8539 2467, fax number 1+61 3 8539 2499 or email to [operations1@adcommission.gov.au](mailto:operations1@adcommission.gov.au).

Dale Seymour  
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Anti-Dumping Commission

27 January 2016

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