



ANTI-DUMPING NOTICE NO. 2014/139

Newsprint Exported from France and the Republic of Korea Extension of time granted to issue the Statement of Essential Facts

Customs Act 1901 – Part XVB

On 22 April 2014, the Anti-Dumping Commission (the Commission) published a notice announcing the initiation of an investigation into the alleged dumping of newsprint exported to Australia from France and the Republic of Korea. A full description of the goods is available in Anti-Dumping Notice (ADN) No. 2014/34. This ADN is available on the Commission's website at www.adcommission.gov.au.

The initiation notice advised that the statement of essential facts (SEF) for the investigation would be placed on the public record by 11 August 2014. The SEF will set out the facts on which I, the Commissioner of the Anti-Dumping Commission, propose to base my recommendations to the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Industry (the Parliamentary Secretary) in relation to the investigation.

On 8 August 2014, ADN No. 2014/67 notified an extension of time granted to issue the SEF to 29 October 2014. On 22 October 2014, ADN No. 2014/109 notified a further extension of time to issue the SEF to 18 December 2014.

Due to the complexity of assessing preliminary dumping margins, the need to provide interested parties adequate opportunity to comment on those assessments and the need to carefully assess whether any dumping may have caused material injury to the Australian industry, I requested a further extension of the deadline for the publication of the SEF. The Parliamentary Secretary has, under section 269ZHI of the *Customs Act 1901*, further extended the deadline for the publication of the SEF. The SEF will now be placed on the public record no later than 6 February 2015.

Interested parties will be 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 now be made in a report on or before 23 March 2015. Documents included in the public record are available at www.adcommission.gov.au. Alternatively, the public record may be examined at the Commission's office by contacting the case manager on the details provided below.

Enquiries about this notice may be directed to the case manager on phone number +61 3 9244 8259, fax number 1300 882 506 or +61 3 9244 8902 (outside Australia), or operations1@adcommission.gov.au.

Dale Seymour
Commissioner
Anti-Dumping Commission

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