



## ***Customs Act 1901 – Part XVB***

### **Power transformers**

#### **Exported from the People’s Republic of China, the Republic of Indonesia, the Republic of Korea, Taiwan, Thailand and the Socialist Republic of Vietnam**

#### **Preliminary Affirmative Determination and Imposition of Securities**

##### ***Public notice under section 269TD of the Customs Act 1901***

On 29 July 2013 the Anti-Dumping Commissioner (the Commissioner) initiated an investigation into the alleged dumping of power transformers exported to Australia from the People’s Republic of China (China), the Republic of Indonesia (Indonesia), the Republic of Korea (Korea), Taiwan, Thailand and the Socialist Republic of Vietnam (Vietnam), following an application lodged by Wilson Transformer Company Pty Ltd.

A full description of the goods is available in Anti-Dumping Notice (ADN) No. 2013/64. This ADN is available on the internet at [www.adcommission.gov.au](http://www.adcommission.gov.au).

In accordance with paragraph 269TD(4)(a) of the *Customs Act 1901* (the Act), the Commissioner gives public notice that, on 20 November 2013, a preliminary affirmative determination has been made that there appears to be sufficient grounds for the publication of a dumping duty notice in respect of the goods exported to Australia from China, Indonesia, Korea, Taiwan and Vietnam.

Goods exported to Australia from Thailand continue to be under investigation but are not subject to this preliminary affirmative determination.

In reaching this preliminary decision, the Commissioner is satisfied that dumped goods appear to have caused material injury to the Australian industry producing like goods.

The Commissioner’s preliminary analysis of dumping margins is tabled below.

| <b>Country</b> | <b>Exporter/Country</b>                          | <b>Dumping margin</b> |
|----------------|--|-----------------------|
| China          | ABB Chongqing Transformer Co., Ltd               | Negligible            |
|                | ABB Zhongshan Transformer Co., Ltd               | Negligible            |
|                | SEC Alstom (Shanghai Baoshan) Transformer Co Ltd | 23.1%                 |
|                | SEC Alstom (Wuhan) Transformer Co Ltd            | 23.1%                 |
|                | CHINT Electric Co., Ltd                          | Negligible            |
|                | Jiangsu Huapeng Transformer Co., Ltd             | Negligible            |
|                | Siemens Transformer (Guangzhou) Co., Ltd         | 2.6%                  |
|                | Siemens Transformer (Jinan) Co., Ltd             | 2.6%                  |
|                | Siemens Transformer (Wuhan) Co., Ltd             | 2.6%                  |
|                | TBEA Shenyang Transformer Group Co Ltd           | 35%                   |
|                | All other Chinese exporters                      | 35%                   |
| Indonesia      | PT CG Power Systems Indonesia                    | 5.4%                  |

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|         | PT. Unelec Indonesia                       | 5.4% |
|         | All other Indonesian exporters             | 5.4% |
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| Korea   | Hyosung Corporation                        | 5.3% |
|         | Hyundai Heavy Industries Co., Ltd          | 5.9% |
|         | All other Korean exporters                 | 5.9% |
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| Taiwan  | Fortune Electric Co Ltd                    | 10%  |
|         | Shihlin Electric & Engineering Corporation | 20%  |
|         | All other Taiwanese exporters              | 20%  |
|         |  |      |
| Vietnam | ABB Vietnam                                | 3.4% |
|         | All other Vietnamese exporters             | 3.4% |

*Preliminary Affirmative Determination Report No. 219* sets out the reasons for making this preliminary determination, and has been placed on the Anti-Dumping Commission's (the Commission) public record, available at [www.adcommission.gov.au](http://www.adcommission.gov.au). Alternatively, the public record may be examined at the Commission office by contacting the case manager on the details provided below.

At the time of making the preliminary affirmative determination, the Australian Customs and Border Protection Service further determined that securities should be required and taken under section 42 of the Act in respect of interim dumping duty that may become payable in respect of the goods from China, Indonesia, Korea, Taiwan and Vietnam, being satisfied that it is necessary to require and take securities in order to prevent material injury occurring to the Australian industry while the investigation continues.

Securities will be taken in respect of any interim dumping that may become payable in respect of the goods entered for home consumption on or after 27 November 2013.

The security that has been determined is an amount worked out in accordance with the ad valorem duty method.

These securities will be imposed at the rate specified in the above table of preliminary dumping margin assessments. A zero rate of securities will apply to ABB Chongqing Transformer Co., Ltd, ABB Zhongshan Transformer Co., Ltd, Chint Electric Co., Ltd and Jiangsu Huapeng Transformer Co., Ltd.

The Commissioner must report to the Minister for Industry (the Minister) with final recommendations in relation to this investigation on or before 30 April 2014. The Minister will then decide whether to publish a dumping duty notice and, if relevant, the level of measures to be imposed.

Enquiries about this notice may be directed to the case manager on telephone number +61 2 6275 6729, fax number +61 2 6275 6888 or [Operations1@adcommission.gov.au](mailto:Operations1@adcommission.gov.au).

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