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**RESUMED INVESTIGATION INTO CERTAIN CRYSTALLINE SILICON  
PHOTOVOLTAIC MODULES OR PANELS  
EXPORTED TO AUSTRALIA FROM PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA  
FILE NOTE – MEETING WITH TINDO MANUFACTURING PTY LTD**

**Background**

Tindo Manufacturing Pty Ltd (Tindo) sought a meeting to discuss the solar panel industry, Tindo's manufacturing processes and issues regarding the resumed investigation. Two representatives from Tindo, two representatives from the International Trade Remedies Advisory Service (ITRAS) (in support of Tindo) and three representatives from the Anti-Dumping Commission (ADC) were present.

**Date:** Thursday 17 March 2016

**Location:** Tindo - 5/6-8 Second Avenue, Mawson Lakes, South Australia

**Matters discussed**

- Tindo's product and manufacturing processes, specifically how Tindo's product is significantly higher in quality than imported photovoltaic (PV) panels;
- Imported PV panels and Chinese exporters;
- Levels of trade, specifically wholesale and end-user markets and how Tindo switched from wholesale supply to end-user supply of PV panels during the investigation period;
- Causation and injury analysis, specifically loss of sales and price reductions due to dumping Tindo had provided in its application. ADC staff noted that Tindo had not claimed volume injury in the application, but Tindo had claimed volume injury before the Anti-Dumping Review Panel (ADRP);
- Possible hindrance to the establishment of an Australian industry due to dumping; and
- ADRP findings regarding Report 239.

Tindo took the ADC and ITRAS staff on a tour of the manufacturing facility demonstrating the production processes of its PV panels.