



Australian Government

Australian Customs and  
Border Protection Service

## **AUSTRALIAN CUSTOMS DUMPING NOTICE NO. 2012/19**

### **Formulated Glyphosate Exported from the People's Republic of China Extension of time to issue the Statement of Essential Facts**

*Customs Act 1901 – Part XVB*

On 6 February 2012, the Australian Customs and Border Protection Service (Customs and Border Protection) published a notice announcing the initiation of an investigation into the alleged dumping of formulated glyphosate exported to Australia from the People's Republic of China (China).

A full description of the goods under investigation is available in Australian Customs Dumping Notice (ACDN) No. 2012/05, which is accessible on the Customs and Border Protection website (following the Anti-dumping hyperlinks) at [www.customs.gov.au](http://www.customs.gov.au).

The initiation notice advised that the statement of essential facts (SEF) for the investigation would be placed on the public record by 28 May 2012. The SEF sets out the facts on which Customs and Border Protection proposes to base its recommendations to the Minister for Home Affairs (the Minister).

Customs and Border Protection requested an extension of the deadline for the publication of the SEF due to:

- delays in the provision of information and data by interested parties; and
- delays with timeframes to undertake verification visits to domestic and international interested parties' premises, due to:
  - delays by interested parties in providing information and data for verification;
  - limited availability (dates and key personnel) of interested parties to participate in verification visits; and
  - public holidays (for Labour day) in China.

The Minister has, under s. 269ZHI 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 **25 June 2012**. Interested parties are invited to make submissions to Customs and Border Protection in response to the SEF within 20 days of the SEF being placed on the public record. Final recommendations will be made in a report to the Minister due on or before **9 August 2012**.

Enquiries concerning this notice may be directed to the case manager by email to [tmops2@customs.gov.au](mailto:tmops2@customs.gov.au), by telephone on (02) 6275 5965 or by facsimile on (02) 6275 6990.

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