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ANTI-DUMPING NOTICE NO. 2020/056

Aluminium extrusions exported from the People's Republic of China

Extension of time granted to issue the Statement of Essential Facts and the Final Report in relation to a Continuation Inquiry into Anti-Dumping Measures No. 543

Customs Act 1901 - Part XVB

On 13 February 2020, the Commissioner of the Anti-Dumping Commission (the Commissioner) published a notice announcing the initiation of a continuation inquiry (the inquiry) into the anti-dumping measures applying to aluminium extrusions (the goods) exported to Australia from the People's Republic of China (China). A full description of the goods and the current anti-dumping measures is available in that notice, Anti-Dumping Notice (ADN) No. 2020/017 (initiation notice).

The initiation notice is available on the Anti-Dumping Commission (the Commission) website at www.adcommission.gov.au.

The initiation notice advised that the statement of essential facts (SEF) would be placed on the public record on or before 2 June 2020. The initiation notice also advised that a recommendation to the Minister for Industry, Science and Technology (the Minister) would be made in a final report on or before 17 July 2020.

The Covid-19 pandemic has meant that the Commission has presently ceased international on-site verification. ¹ This has, in turn, caused consequential delays in the Commission's verification activities. As a result, I, Paul Sexton, General Manager, Investigations of the Anti-Dumping Commission, requested an extension of the deadline for the Commissioner to publish the SEF and provide his final report and recommendation to the Minister.²

The Commissioner has, under section 269ZHI(3) of the *Customs Act 1901*, extended the deadline to publish the SEF, and provide his final report and recommendation.³ The SEF will now be placed on the public record on or before **17 July 2020**.

Interested parties are invited to make submissions to the Commissioner in response to the

¹ Refer to Anti-Dumping Notice No. 2020/029 on the Commission's website (www.adcommission.gov.au).

² On 15 December 2016, the Commissioner delegated his powers and functions under section 269ZHI of the *Customs Act 1901* to the General Managers of the Anti-Dumping Commission. See ADN No. 2017/10 on the Commission's website for further information.

³ On 19 January 2017, the powers and functions of the Minister under section 269ZHI of the *Customs Act* 1901 were delegated to the Commissioner. See ADN No. 2017/10 for further information.

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SEF within 20 days of the SEF being placed on the public record. A recommendation to the Minister will now be made in a report due on or before **31 August 2020**.

The public record for this case is available at www.adcommission.gov.au.

Enquiries about this notice may be directed to the case manager on telephone number +61 3 8539 2437 or at investigations4@adcommission.gov.au.

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