

Australian Government

Department of Industry, Science, Energy and Resources

Customs Act 1901 - Part XVB

ANTI-DUMPING NOTICE NO. 2020/063

Aluminium extrusions exported to Australia from Malaysia and the Social Republic of Vietnam

Extension of time granted to issue the Statement of Essential Facts and the Final Report in relation to Review of Anti-Dumping Measures No. 544

On 24 Feburary 2020, the Commissioner of the Anti-Dumping Commission (the Commissioner) published a notice announcing the initiation of a review of the anti-dumping measures applying to certain aluminium extrusions (the goods) exported to Australia from Malaysia and the Socialist Republic of Vietnam (Vietnam). The anti-dumping measures are in the form of a dumping duty notice (Malaysia and Vietnam) and a countervailing duty notice (Malaysia only).

A full description of the goods is available in Anti-Dumping Notice (ADN) No. 2020/014 (initiation notice). The initiation notice is available on the Anti-Dumping Commission (Commission) website at <u>www.adcommission.gov.au</u>.

The initiation notice advised that the statement of essential facts (SEF) would be placed on the public record on, or before, 15 June 2020.¹ 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, 28 July 2020.

Due to the current global COVID-19 pandemic and the reduced availability of relevant staff, the relevant exporters requested, and were granted, additional time to provide a complete response to the exporter questionnaire. As these responses have now been received the Commission is able to undertake an examination of each exporters' data and assess the variable factors relevant to their exports of the goods to Australia during the review period.

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

¹ The due date is 13 June 2020, however, as this falls on a Saturday, the effective due date is the following business day.

² 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.

The Commissioner has, under section 269ZHI(3) of the *Customs Act 1901*, extended the deadline to publish the SEF, and provide the final report and recommendation.³ The SEF will now be placed on the public record on, or before, **1 September 2020**.

Interested parties are invited to make submissions to the Commissioner in response to the 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, **28 October 2020**.

The public record for this case is available at <u>www.adcommission.gov.au</u>.

Enquiries about this notice may be directed to the Case Manager on telephone number +61 3 9268 2418, or email at <u>investigations3@adcommission.gov.au</u>.

Paul Sexton General Manager, Investigations Anti-Dumping Commission

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³ 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.