



## **ANTI-DUMPING NOTICE NO. 2021/115**

**Aluminium zinc coated steel of a width less than 600  
millimetres**

**Exported to Australia from  
the People's Republic of China and  
the Socialist Republic of Vietnam**

**Investigation No. 559 into Alleged Dumping and  
Subsidisation**

**Extension of time granted to issue the  
Statement of Essential Facts and the Final Report**

*Customs Act 1901 (Cth) – Part XVB*

On 30 June 2020, the then Commissioner of the Anti-Dumping Commission, Mr Dale Seymour, published a notice announcing the initiation of an investigation into the alleged dumping and subsidisation of aluminium zinc coated steel of a width less than 600 millimetres (the goods) exported to Australia from the People's Republic of China and the Socialist Republic of Vietnam.

A full description of the goods is available in Anti-Dumping Notice (ADN) No. 2020/068 (the initiation notice) available on the Anti-Dumping Commission's (Commission) website at: [www.adcommission.gov.au](http://www.adcommission.gov.au).

The initiation notice advised that the statement of essential facts (SEF) would be placed on the public record by 19 October 2020.<sup>1</sup> The SEF sets out the facts on which the Commissioner of the Anti-Dumping Commission (the Commissioner) proposes to base his recommendations to the Minister for Industry, Science and Technology (the Minister) in relation to this investigation. The initiation notice also advised that a recommendation to the Minister would be made in a final report on, or before, 2 December 2020.

The time period for providing the final report and recommendation to the Minister was extended.<sup>2</sup> The SEF is currently due to be placed on the public record by

<sup>1</sup> Day 110 fell on a Sunday. Therefore, the effective due date was the next working day.

<sup>2</sup> ADN. Nos. 2020/116 and 2021/020.

3 September 2021, and the recommendation to the Minister is currently due in a final report on, or before, 27 October 2021.

I, Paul Sexton, General Manager, Investigations, requested an additional extension of the deadline for the Commissioner to publish the SEF and provide his final report and recommendation to the Minister.<sup>3</sup> My reasons for the request are due to delays caused by Covid 19 in completing verification activities and in order to fully consider issues raised in submissions from interested parties.

The Commissioner has, under section 269ZHI(3) of the Act, extended the deadline to publish the SEF, and provide the final report and recommendation.<sup>4</sup>

The SEF will now be placed on the public record no later than **22 September 2021**.

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, **15 November 2021**.

The public record for this case is available at: [www.adcommission.gov.au](http://www.adcommission.gov.au).

Enquiries about this notice may be directed to the Case Manager by email at: [investigations4@adcommission.gov.au](mailto:investigations4@adcommission.gov.au)

Paul Sexton  
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Anti-Dumping Commission

2 September 2021

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<sup>3</sup> On 15 December 2016, the Commissioner delegated the power to request extensions of time under section 269ZHI of the *Customs Act 1901* (Cth) (the Act) to the General Managers of the Anti-Dumping Commission. See section 269SMR of the Act and ADN No. 2017/10 on the Commission's website for further information.

<sup>4</sup> On 19 January 2017, the power of the Minister to grant extensions of time under section 269ZHI of the Act was delegated to the Commissioner. See section 269TAH of the Act and ADN No. 2017/10 for further information.