

Australian Government

Department of Industry, Science, Energy and Resources

## ANTI-DUMPING NOTICE NO. 2021/070

## Clear float glass

Exported to Australia from the People's Republic of China, the Republic of Indonesia and the Kingdom of Thailand

## Extension of time granted to issue the Statement of Essential Facts and the Final Report in relation to Continuation No. 575

Customs Act 1901 – Part XVB

On 2 February 2021, the Commissioner of the Anti-Dumping Commission (Commissioner) published a notice announcing the initiation of an inquiry into whether the continuation of anti-dumping measures in respect of clear float glass (the goods) exported to Australia from the People's Republic of China (China), the Republic of Indonesia (Indonesia) and the Kingdom of Thailand (Thailand) is justified.

A full description of the goods is available in Anti-Dumping Notice (ADN) No. 2021/010. This ADN is available on the Anti-Dumping Commission's (Commission) website via <u>www.adcommission.gov.au</u>

The notice initiating this inquiry (initiation notice) advised that the statement of essential facts (SEF) would be placed on the public record by 24 May 2021.<sup>1</sup> The SEF will set out the facts on which the Commissioner proposes to base his recommendations to the Minister for Industry, Science and Technology (the Minister) in relation to this inquiry. The initiation notice also advised that a recommendation to the Minister would be made in a final report on or before 7 July 2021.

Due to delays in completing the remote Australian industry and exporter verifications, and in order to fully consider issues raised by interested parties in this inquiry, I, Rhys Piper, Acting General Manager, Investigations in 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.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The original date for publication of the SEF was 23 May 2021. As this is a Sunday, the deadline becomes the next business day.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> On 15 December 2016, the Commissioner of the Anti-Dumping Commission delegated his powers and functions under section 269ZHI of the *Customs Act 1901* (Cth) to the General Managers of the Anti-Dumping Commission. See Anti-Dumping Notice No. 2017/10 for further information.

The Commissioner has, under section 269ZHI(3) of the *Customs Act* 1901,<sup>3</sup> extended the deadline to publish the SEF, and provide his final report and recommendation.

The SEF will now be placed on the public record no later than **5 July 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 **18 August 2021**.

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 8539 2525 or at investigations3@adcommission.gov.au

Rhys Piper Acting General Manager, Investigations Anti-Dumping Commission

20 May 2021

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> On 19 January 2017, the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Industry, Innovation and Science delegated the powers and functions of the Minister under section 269ZHI of the *Customs Act 1901* (Cth) to the Commissioner. See Anti-Dumping Notice 2017/10 for further information.