## **ANTI-DUMPING NOTICE NO. 2021/105**

## **Clear float glass**

## Exported to Australia from Malaysia and the United Arab Emirates

## Extension of time granted to issue the Statement of Essential Facts and the Final Report in relation to Investigation No. 582

Customs Act 1901 - Part XVB

On 27 April 2021, the Commissioner of the Anti-Dumping Commission (Commissioner) published a notice announcing the initiation of an investigation into the alleged dumping of clear float glass (CFG, the goods) exported to Australia from Malaysia and the United Arab Emirates (UAE), and the alleged subsidisation of the goods exported to Australia from Malaysia.

A full description of the goods is available in Anti-Dumping Notice (ADN) No. 2021/054. This ADN is available on the Anti-Dumping Commission's (Commission) website via <a href="https://www.adcommission.gov.au">www.adcommission.gov.au</a>

The notice initiating this investigation (initiation notice) advised that the statement of essential facts (SEF) would be placed on the public record by 16 August 2021.<sup>1</sup> The SEF will set out the facts on which the Commissioner proposes to base the 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 29 September 2021.

The COVID-19 pandemic has continued to impact interested parties, delaying the preparation of their responses to information requests. This has also resulted in delays to the Commission's ability to undertake verification activities.

As a result of the delays associated with the COVID-19 pandemic, and in order to fully consider issues raised by interested parties in this investigation, I, Paul Sexton, General Manager, Investigations in the Anti-Dumping Commission, requested an extension of the deadline for the Commissioner to publish the SEF and provide the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The original date for publication of the SEF was 15 August 2021. As this is a Sunday, the deadline becomes the next business day.

final report and recommendation to the Minister.<sup>2</sup>

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

The SEF will now be placed on the public record no later than **5 November 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 **19 January 2022**.

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 2525 or at investigations3@adcommission.gov.au

Paul Sexton General Manager, Investigations Anti-Dumping Commission

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

<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 ADN No. 2017/10 for further information.