Australian Government
Department of Industry, Science and Resources

Australian Trade Remedies Commission

TRADE REMEDIES NOTICE No. 2026/171

Anti-Circumvention Inquiry No. 693 in relation to Dichlorophenoxy-Acetic Acid (2,4-D)

Exported from Malaysia and the People's Republic of China

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

Customs Act 1901 – Part XVB

The Commissioner of the Australian Trade Remedies Commission (the Commissioner) has extended the due date to publish the Statement of Essential Facts (SEF) and provide the final report and recommendation to the Minister about the above case.[1]

New milestone dates

SEF – The SEF is now due to be placed on the public record on, or before, **16 December 2026**.

Response to SEF – Interested parties are invited to make submissions in response to the SEF within 20 days of the SEF being placed on the public record.

Final Report – A recommendation to the Minister will be made in a final report which is now due on, or before, **14 April 2027**.

The previous due date for the SEF was 25 November 2026. The previous due date for the final report was 05 February 2027.

[1] They do so under section 269ZHI(3) of the *Customs Act 1901*. 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 Act to the Commissioner. See Anti-Dumping Notice 2017/10 for further information.

Basis for extension

I, Mayuran Jeyarajah, am the Acting Deputy Commissioner Investigations, Australian Trade Remedies Commission (the Commission). I requested the extension of the due date to publish the SEF and to provide the final report and recommendation to the Minister.

I requested the extension for the Commission to finalise analysis of the relevant data and because of the Commission's changing business requirements.

Further information and enquiries

The Commission's website (www.atrc.gov.au) contains all public records for Commission cases. The public record for each case includes the initiating notice and also notices of any previously granted extensions of time. Initiating notices contain full case details, including original milestone dates and a description of the goods.

You can enquire about this notice by contacting the Case Manager by email at investigations2@atrc.gov.au.

Mayuran Jeyarajah
Acting Deputy Commissioner
Australian Trade Remedies Commission
23 November 2026