



ANTI-DUMPING NOTICE NO. 2014/124

Quicklime

Exported from Thailand

Termination of Investigation

Customs Act 1901 – Part XV B

On 31 October 2011, the then Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the Australian Customs and Border Protection Service (the ACBPS) initiated an investigation into the alleged dumping of quicklime exported to Australia from Thailand, following an application lodged by Cockburn Cement Limited (Cockburn Cement).

The ACBPS published a notice in *The Australian* newspaper on 31 October 2011 notifying of the initiation of the investigation and issued Australian Customs Dumping Notice No. 2011/53, which contained further details on the investigation, available at www.adcommission.gov.au.

On 3 April 2012, the then CEO terminated the investigation. Following an appeal to the Trade Measures Review Officer (TMRO) by Cockburn Cement, the decision to terminate the investigation was revoked by the TMRO on 25 June 2012. The investigation was resumed, and on 2 May 2013, the then CEO terminated the investigation for a second time. Following an appeal to the TMRO by Cockburn Cement, the second decision to terminate the investigation was revoked by the Anti-Dumping Review Panel (ADRP) on 8 August 2013. The ADRP replaced the TMRO in June 2013. Subsequently, the Anti-Dumping Commission (the Commission) resumed the investigation.

As a result of the Commission's investigations, I, Dale Seymour, Commissioner of the Anti-Dumping Commission, am satisfied that in relation to the quicklime exported to Australia from Thailand, the injury, if any, to the Australian industry that has been, or may be, caused by those exports is negligible. Therefore, I have decided to terminate the investigation in accordance with subsection 269TDA(13) of the *Customs Act 1901* so far as it relates to Thailand.

A notice of my decision to terminate the investigation was published in *The Australian* newspaper on 7 November 2014. This is the third time the investigation has been terminated.

Termination Report No. 179B, which sets out reasons for the termination decision, including the material findings of fact or law, upon which the decision is based, has been placed on the Commission's public record and is available at www.adcommission.gov.au. Alternatively the public record may be examined at the Commission's office by contacting the case manager on the details provided below.

The applicant (Cockburn Cement) may request a review of the decision to terminate the investigation by lodging an application with the ADRP in the approved form and manner within 30 days of the publication of the public notice.

Enquiries about this notice may be directed to the case manager on telephone number +61 2 6275 6734, fax number 1300 882 506 or +61 2 6275 6888 (outside Australia) or clientsupport@adcommission.gov.au.

Dale Seymour
Commissioner
Anti-Dumping Commission

7 November 2014