



INVESTIGATION INTO HOT ROLLED PLATE STEEL EXPORTED FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA, JAPAN, THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA AND TAIWAN

RECORD OF MEETING

ANTI-DUMPING COMMISSION AND THE EMBASSY OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA

Date: 19 July 2013

Attendees:

Embassy of Indonesia

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Discussed:

1. Indonesian Exporters

- The Anti-Dumping Commission (the Commission) discussed some details with respect to cooperating exporters from Indonesia including an upcoming Statement of Essential Facts (SEF) on 1 August 2013.
- The Commission also discussed the contents of the Preliminary Affirmative Determination (PAD) in particular the preliminary dumping margins that was published on Friday 19 July 2013 for each of the Indonesian exporters verified by the Commission and the level of securities imposed.

2. Securities

- The Commission referred the Embassy to Australian Customs Dumping Notice (ACDN) 2012/34 – revised ACDN for Goods in transit. This ACDN outlines how securities are applied to goods imported to Australia.



3. Investigation process

- The Commission outlined the investigation process including:
 - the application process;
 - Consideration report and the initiation of a case;
 - Who we contact and how we keep interested parties up-to-date including via Commission's electronic public record;
 - Preliminary Affirmative Determination (PAD);
 - Statement of Essential Facts (SEF) – On or before day 110 unless an extension has been granted by the Minister (in this investigation an extension has been granted until 1 August 2013), the Commission must issue a Statement of Essential Facts on which it proposes to base its report to the Minister;
 - Final Report – After consideration of the submissions received, the Commission will report its conclusions and recommendations to the Minister. A non-confidential version of the report will be published after the Minister's decision is announced.

4. Submissions

The Commission referred the Embassy to ACDN 2013/17 – Submissions to Dumping and Subsidisation Investigations. All interested parties can provide a submission to the investigation. At this stage of the investigation the Commission can consider submissions received within 20 days from publication of the SEF.

The Commission explained the purpose of making adjustments to the normal value for the purpose of fair comparison with the export price. We also advised the Embassy that exporters could make submissions in relation to matters contained in their visit report.

5. Other Inquiries

The Commission also discussed the processes to be followed post-investigation period including:

- Review of measures;
- Accelerated Review; and
- Continuation inquiry.

6. Anti-Dumping Commission

The Commission discussed the recent change from Customs and Border Protection to the Anti-Dumping Commission which commenced operations on Monday 1 July 2013. The Commission will administer Australia's anti-dumping system. This function was previously administered by the International Trade Remedies Branch (ITRB) of Customs and Border Protection.