



## **ANTI-DUMPING NOTICE NO. 2013/67**

### **Hot rolled plate steel Exported from the People's Republic of China, the Republic of Indonesia, Japan, the Republic of Korea and Taiwan**

### **Termination of part of Investigation**

#### ***Customs Act 1901 – Part XVB***

On 12 February 2013 the Anti-Dumping Commission (the Commission) initiated investigations into the alleged:

- dumping of hot rolled plate steel exported to Australia from the People's Republic of China (China), the Republic of Indonesia (Indonesia), Japan, the Republic of Korea (Korea) and Taiwan; and
- subsidisation of hot rolled plate steel exported from China;

following an application lodged by BlueScope Steel Limited.

The Commission published a notice in *The Australian* on 12 February 2013 notifying of the initiation of the investigations, and issued Australian Customs Dumping Notice (ACDN) 2013/18 and ACDN 2013/20, which contained further details on the investigations, available at [www.adcommission.gov.au](http://www.adcommission.gov.au).

As a result of the Commission's investigation, the delegate of the Anti-Dumping Commissioner:

- is satisfied that the total volume of goods that have been exported to Australia over a reasonable examination period from Taiwan that have been dumped from all Taiwanese exporters is negligible and, therefore, has decided to terminate the dumping investigation so far as it relates to Taiwan in accordance with subsection 269TDA(3) of the *Customs Act 1901* (the Act);
- is satisfied that, in relation to Hyundai Steel Company and POSCO, there has been no dumping by those exporters of any of those goods the subject of the application and, therefore, has decided to terminate the dumping investigation in accordance with subsection 269TDA(1) of the Act so far as it relates to those exporters; and
- is satisfied that, in relation to Shandong Iron and Steel, Jinan Company (JIGANG), the goods exported by that exporter have been dumped, but the dumping margin is less than two per cent and, therefore, has decided to terminate the dumping investigation in accordance with subsection 269TDA(1) of the Act so far as it relates to that exporter.

In making the decisions to terminate part of the investigation, the delegate of the Commissioner had regard to the application, submissions from interested parties, the Statement of Essential Facts no. 198 (SEF 198) and submissions in response to SEF 198.

Termination Report no. 198a, which sets out reasons for the termination decisions, including the material findings of fact or law upon which the decisions are based, has been placed on the Commission's public record, available at [www.adcommission.gov.au](http://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.

A notice of the decision to terminate part of the investigation was published in *The Australian* newspaper on 10 September 2013.

The investigation into the alleged subsidisation of the goods from China will continue. The investigation into the alleged dumping of the goods from all other exporters (except JIGANG) from China, Indonesia, Japan and Korea (except Hyundai Steel Company and POSCO) will continue. The Commission is due to report to the Minister for Home Affairs in respect of this investigation on or by 16 September 2013.

The applicants may request a review of the delegate's decision to terminate the investigation by lodging an application with the Anti-Dumping Review Panel 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 02 6275 6129, fax number 1300 882 506 or [operations2@adcommission.gov.au](mailto:operations2@adcommission.gov.au).

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