



MINISTRY OF
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MEDIA RELEASE

INITIATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW (SUNSET REVIEW) OF ANTI-DUMPING DUTIES IMPOSED ON IMPORTS OF COLD ROLLED COILS OF ALLOY AND NON-ALLOY STEEL ORIGINATING OR EXPORTED FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA AND THE SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF VIET NAM

On 15 March 2021, the Government of Malaysia received a Petition from a domestic producer, Mycron Steel CRC Sdn. Bhd. requesting for an administrative review (sunset review) of anti-dumping duties imposed on imports of cold rolled coils of alloy and non-alloy steel of a thickness between 0.20mm to 2.60mm and width between 700mm to 1300mm (subject merchandise) originating or exported from the People's Republic of China (PRC), Republic of Korea (ROK) and Socialist Republic of Viet Nam (Viet Nam) which will expire on 23 May 2021.

The Petition is submitted based on the grounds that the termination of the anti-dumping duties would be likely to lead to a continuation or recurrence of dumping and injury to the Malaysian industry. The Petitioner also alleged that imports of the subject merchandise originating or exported from the alleged countries have increased and being dumped in Malaysia at a price much lower than their domestic selling price. The Petitioner further claimed that effect of such dumping, the domestic industry in Malaysia producing the like product has suffered material injury.

The Government has evaluated and considered the evidence of dumping, injury and the causal link, and decided to initiate an administrative review (sunset review) on imports of the subject merchandise from the alleged countries.

In accordance with the Countervailing and Anti-Dumping Duties Act 1993 and the Countervailing and Anti-Dumping Duties Regulations 1994, a final determination on the investigation will be made within 180 days from the date of initiation. If the final determination is affirmative, the Government will impose an anti-dumping duty that is necessary to prevent further injury to the domestic industry.



In connection with this investigation, the Ministry of international Trade and Industry (MITI) will distribute questionnaires to interested parties, such as:

- local producers and relevant association of producers in Malaysia;
- producers or exporters of the subject merchandise in the PRC, ROK and Viet Nam named in the petition;
- importers of the subject merchandise and relevant association of importers named in the petition; and
- the Government of the PRC, ROK and Viet Nam.

Other interested parties may request for the questionnaires no later than 27 April 2021. Interested parties may also provide their views in writing, questionnaires responses and additional supporting evidence to MITI by 11 May 2021. In the event no response is received within the specified period, the Government will make its final determination based on the best facts available.

The notice of initiation of Administrative Review (sunset review) of anti-dumping duties with regard to imports of Cold Rolled Coils of Alloy and Non-Alloy Steel Originating or Exported from the PRC, ROK and Viet Nam can be accessed through: http://www.federalgazette.agc.gov.my/outputp/pub_20210412_PUB199.pdf.

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