

MEDIA STATEMENT

PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION ON THE ANTI-DUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION ON IMPORTS OF FLAT ROLLED PRODUCT OF IRON ALLOY OR NON-ALLOY STEEL, PLATED OR COATED WITH ZINC, USING HOT DIP PROCESS (GALVANISED STEEL COILS/SHEETS OR GALVANISED IRON COILS/SHEETS) ORIGINATING OR EXPORTED FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA AND THE SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF VIET NAM

On 6 February 2025, the Government of Malaysia (Government) initiated an anti-dumping (AD) duty investigation on imports of flat rolled product of iron alloy or non-alloy steel, plated or coated with zinc, using hot dip process (galvanised steel coils/sheets or galvanised iron coils/sheets) (Galvanised Iron) (subject merchandise) originating or exported from the People's Republic of China (PRC), the Republic of Korea (ROK) and the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam (Viet Nam).

The investigation was initiated pursuant to provisions in the Countervailing and Anti-Dumping Duties Act 1993 (Act) and the Countervailing and Anti-Dumping Duties Regulation 1994 (Regulations) based on a petition filed by CSC Steel Sdn. Bhd. (Petitioner) on behalf of the domestic industry producing the like product. The Petitioner claimed that imports of subject merchandise originating or exported from PRC, ROK and Viet Nam were being imported into Malaysia at a price lower than the selling price in their domestic market and this has caused material injury to the domestic industry in Malaysia.

The Government has completed the preliminary determination of the anti-dumping duty investigation pursuant to section 23 of the Act. Following that, the Government has found that there was sufficient evidence to continue with further investigation on the importation of the subject merchandise from PRC, ROK and Viet Nam at dumped prices. Therefore, the Government has decided to impose a provisional measure, which shall be in the form of bank guarantee i.e. ranging from 3.86% to 57.90% applicable on the subject merchandise originating or exported from PRC, ROK and Viet Nam. The provisional measure is necessary to prevent further injury to the domestic industry and shall be effective not longer than 120 days, beginning from 7 July 2025 and the final determination shall be made by or on 3 November 2025.

Interested parties, such as importers, foreign producers/exporters and associations related to the investigation are welcome to provide comments or views on the preliminary determination report to the Ministry of Investment, Trade and Industry, Malaysia (MITI) by **14 July 2025**. Interested parties can access the non-confidential version of the preliminary determination report through the **Trade Remedies Investigation Management (TRIMA)** System via https://traderemedies.miti.gov.my/.

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