

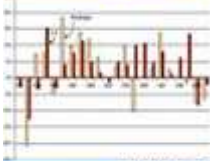


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COM (2010) 435 - Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION re-imposing a definitive anti-dumping duty on imports of ironing boards originating in the People's Republic of China, manufactured by Foshan Shunde Yongjian Housewares and Hardware Co. Ltd., Foshan

This proposal concerns the application of Council Regulation (EC) No 1225/2009 of 30 November 2009 on protection against dumped imports from countries not members of the European Community (the basic Regulation) concerning imports of certain ironing boards originating in China.

On 18th December 2009, the Commission initiated a reopening of the anti-dumping investigation concerning imports of ironing boards originating from China

This reopening was triggered by the annulment from the Court of Justice of Council Regulation No 452/2007 in so far as it concerns one Chinese exporting producer ('Foshan Shunde').

The Commission is therefore proposing a Regulation re-imposing the antidumping duty on Foshan Shunde, based on the analysis of comments received from the interested parties.

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COM (2010) 432 - Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION (EU) No .../... amending Regulations (EC) No 1292/2007 and (EC) No 367/2006 (imposing definitive anti-dumping and countervailing duties on imports of polyethylene terephthalate (PET) film originating in India, and maintaining the extension of those duties to imports of polyethylene terephthalate (PET) film consigned from, inter alia, Israel), granting an exemption from those measures to one Israeli exporter and terminating the registration of imports from that exporter

This proposal concerns the application of Council Regulation No 1225/2009 of 30 November 2009 on protection against dumped imports from countries not members of the European Community (anti-dumping Regulation) and No 597/2009 of 11 June 2009 on protection against subsidised imports from countries not members of the European Community (anti-subsidy regulation) in the proceeding concerning imports of polyethylene terephthalate (PET) film originating in India, extended to imports of PET film consigned from, Israel, following a 'new exporter' review.

On 6th June 2010, the Commission initiated, following a request of an Israeli exporter, a 'new exporter' review of Regulations No 1292/2007 imposing definitive anti-dumping duties imports of PET film originating in India, extended to imports of PET film consigned from, Israel and No 367/2006 imposing definitive countervailing duties on imports of PET film originating in India, extended to imports of PET film from, inter alia, Israel.

This proposal is based on the findings which showed that the Israeli exporter did not export PET film to the EU during the original investigation period in 2003. A full manufacturing operation was found for the production of PET film and then transformation of this film into food packaging and other items. No evidence of any links of companies in India manufacturing PET film was found.

Thus, the adoption of this proposed Regulation will grant an exemption to the Israeli exporter from the anti-dumping and countervailing duties applicable to imports of PET film consigned from Israel.

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