

Customs – Anti Dumping Duty

Notification No. 01/2019 – Customs (ADD)

Date – 4th January 2019

Notification No. 01/2019 - Customs (ADD) dated 04.01.2019 Seeks to impose anti-dumping duty on imports of "Methylene Chloride" originating in or exported from European Union and United States of America

The designated authority vide notification No.7/15/2018 DGAD, dated the 3rd May 2018 had initiated the review the matter of continuation of anti-dumping duty imposed on imports of 'Methylene Chloride' originating in or exported from European Union and United States of America vide Notification No. 24/2014- Customs (ADD), dated the 21st May, 2014.

Whereas, in the matter of review of anti-dumping duty on imports of the subject goods, originating in or exported from the subject country, the designated authority in its final findings, published vide notification No. F. No.7/15/2018-DGAD, dated the 22nd November, 2018 in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part I, Section 1, dated the 22nd November, 2018 has come to the conclusion that-

- (i) there is continued dumping of the product concerned from the subject countries, causing injury to the domestic industry;
- (ii) price undercutting without anti-dumping duty is positive and significant;
- (iii) The financial performance of the Domestic Industry has deteriorated despite the anti-dumping duty in force. The domestic industry has shown negative growth in terms of the economic parameters such as production, sales, profitability and Return on Capital Employed during the Period of Investigation. The dumped imports from European Union and United States of America continue to cause injury to the domestic industry;
- (iv) dumping of the product under consideration from EU and USA is likely to continue/intensify should the current anti-dumping duty be revoked.

and has recommended the imposition of definitive anti-dumping duty on the imports of subject goods, originating in or exported from the subject country and imported into India, in order to remove injury to the domestic industry.

The anti-dumping duty imposed shall be effective for a period of five years (unless revoked, superseded or amended earlier) from the date of publication of this notification in the Official Gazette and shall be payable in Indian currency.

For more details, please follow - <http://www.cbic.gov.in/resources//htdocs-cbec/customs/cs-act/notifications/notfns-2019/cs-add2019/csadd01-2019.pdf;jsessionid=4DA7CB049ECAB7B9E1EDD40A00209A78>