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#### SYNOPSIS

On 28 June 2013, the International Trade Administration Commission of South Africa (the Commission) notified the interested parties through notice No. 664 in the *Government Gazette* No. 36592, that unless a substantiated request is made indicating that the expiry of the anti-dumping duties on imports of stainless steel sinks originating in or imported from China and Malaysia would likely lead to the continuation or recurrence of dumping and injury, the anti-dumping duties on stainless steel sinks originating in or imported from China and Malaysia would expire on 05 November 2014.

On 19 September 2014, the Commission initiated a sunset review of the anti-dumping duties on stainless steel sinks originating in or imported from China and Malaysia through Notice No.814 published in the *Government Gazette* No. 37999.

The application was lodged by Franke Kitchen Systems (Pty) Ltd (the Applicant). The Applicant is one of two producers of stainless steel sinks in the Southern African Customs Union (SACU). A letter of support was received from PABAR (Pty) Ltd, the second producer, producing less than one per cent of all stainless steel sinks produced in SACU.

The investigation was initiated after the Commission considered that the expiry of the anti-dumping duties on imports of stainless steel sinks originating in or imported from China and Malaysia would likely lead to the continuation or recurrence of dumping and injury.

On initiation of the investigation, the known producers/exporters of the subject product in China and Malaysia were sent foreign manufacturers/exporters questionnaires to complete. Importers of the subject product were also sent questionnaires to complete.

After considering all interested parties' comments, the Commission made a final determination that the expiry of the anti-dumping duties on stainless steel sinks originating in or imported from China and Malaysia would likely lead to the continuation or recurrence of dumping and material injury.

The Commission therefore made a final determination to recommend to the Minister of Trade and Industry that the anti-dumping duties be maintained and amended.

Since no individual Chinese or Malaysian manufacturer subject to the anti-dumping duties submitted a properly documented response, the Commission made a final determination that imports manufactured by these manufacturers should be subject to the residual dumping duties and no individual dumping duties should be maintained for these manufacturers.

