

Report No. 102

Termination of the anti-dumping duties on supertension cables originating in or imported from Germany



The International Trade Administration Commission herewith presents its Report No. 102: TERMINATION OF THE ANTI-DUMPING DUTIES ON SUPERTENSION CABLES ORIGINATING IN OR IMPORTED FROM GERMANY

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TERMINATION OF THE ANTI-DUMPING DUTIES ON SUPERTENSION CABLES ORIGINATING IN OR IMPORTED FROM GERMANY

- 1. In accordance with the provisions in Article 53.1 of the Anti-Dumping Regulations, any definitive anti-dumping duty shall be terminated on a date not later than five years from the date of imposition, unless the authorities determine, in a review initiated before that date on their own initiative or upon a duly substantiated request made by or on behalf of the domestic industry, that the expiry of the duty would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of dumping and injury.
- 2. On 28 May 2004, a notice was published in the Government Gazette indicating that the anti-dumping duties on supertension cable were imposed during 2000, and will therefore expire during 2005 if a review is not initiated.
- 3. The trade representatives of the countries involved were notified and provided with a copy of the notice that was published in the Government Gazette.
- 4. All known manufacturers of the subject products in the SACU, as well as the representative organizations were notified and informed that, unless a request to review the anti-dumping duties is made by or on behalf of the SACU industry by 30 June 2004, the Commission will recommend to the Minister of Trade and Industry that the duties be terminated on the date of the five year expiry.
- 5. Known interested parties were also informed that, should a request be submitted before 30 June 2004, duly substantiated information, indicating that the expiry of the duty would be likely to lead to continuation or recurrence of dumping and material injury, should be submitted to the Commission not later than 31 September 2004.

- 6. Responses were received from the manufacturers of supertension cable originating in or imported from Germany, indicating that it requires the Commission to review the duties prior to the expiry date, and committing to providing substantiating information not later than the deadline set in the notice.
- 7. The manufacturers of supertension cable, however, did not submit any information by the deadline for responses.

RECOMMENDATION

8. In line with the Commission's policy, as contained in the notice published in the Government Gazette, the Commission decided to recommend to the Minister of Trade and Industry that the anti-dumping duties on supertension cables, originating in or imported from Germany, be terminated on the five year expiry date of these duties.