



AUSTRALIAN CUSTOMS DUMPING NOTICE NO 2006/01

Preserved mushrooms from the People's Republic of China - finding in relation to a dumping investigation

The Minister for Justice and Customs has considered Customs' recommendations in relation to the alleged dumping of preserved mushrooms (the goods) exported to Australia from the People's Republic of China (China).

In Report No. 99 Customs concluded that:

- exports of the goods from China, except those by Jiangsu Cereals, Oils & Foodstuffs Import Export Group Corp (Jiangsu), were at dumped prices;
- the Australian industry producing like goods had suffered material injury as a result of those dumped goods; and
- material injury would continue to be caused to Australian industry if the goods from China continue to be exported to Australia at dumped prices.

Customs recommended that anti dumping action be taken against the goods exported from China other than by Jiangsu.

Measures will apply from 30 September 2005, which is the date from which Customs determined that securities would be collected for preserved mushrooms entered for home consumption pursuant to Preliminary Affirmative Determination No. 99. The notice of the Minister's decision was published in the *The Australian* newspaper and *Gazette* on 26 September 2005.

Report No. 99, which contains the reasons for Customs' recommendation, will be sent to all interested parties that participated in the investigation. Additional copies of the report may be directed to the Trade Measures Branch, Canberra on telephone number (02) 6275 6547 or facsimile (02) 6275 6990. Dumping reports are also available on the Customs Internet home page (www.customs.gov.au).

Interested parties may request a review of the Minister's decision by lodging an application for review with the Trade Measures Review Office in the approved form and manner within 30 days of 12 January 2006. The legislation relating to the review of ministerial decisions is set out in s 269ZZA of the Act.

Other enquiries regarding these changes may be directed to tmops3@customs.gov.au, on telephone (02) 6275 6016 or on facsimile (02) 6275 6990.

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