

Directive No (4) - 2021

Imposition of Definitive Anti-Dumping Duties on Imports of plates, sheets, and strip of aluminum alloys originating in or exported from the People's Republic of China.

- With reference to the Ministerial Committee's decision No. (8) dated on 2 June 2021 imposing definitive antidumping duties on Imports of plates, sheets, and strip of aluminum alloys originating in or exported from the People's Republic of China, which is based on the recommendation of the GCC Permanent Committee for Ant Injurious Practices in International Trade No 37/AD7/2021.
- Pursuant to Article 15-3 of the Federal Law No (1) for the year 2017 on antidumping, countervailing and safeguard measures which stipulates that: "The Ministry shall coordinate with the concerned Governmental Authorities in the Country to implement all the decisions issued by the GCC competent Bodies in relation to the GCC investigations against injurious practices in international trade that cause injury to the GCC industry.
- In conformity with Article 13-3 of the Federal Law No(1) for the year 2017 on antidumping, countervailing and safeguard measures which stipulates that: "The duties paid in respect of the imposition of definitive measures on imports of the product under investigation shall be deposited in the treasury of the Country, after deducting the cost of service rendered by the Directorates of Customs to collect the duties, which should be determined in coordination between the Ministry, the Authority and the Customs Directorates",
- In line with the mechanism that has been agreed between the Ministry of Economy and the Federal Customs Authority as well as the Customs Directorates in accordance with Article 13-2 of the Federal Law No(1) for the year 2017 on antidumping, countervailing and safeguard measures concerning the collection of amounts and guarantees due on the provisional and definitive measures imposed on imports of the concerned products,

All economic operators and concerned Governmental Authorities in the Country shall apply the definitive antidumping duties, as follows :

1. Countries subject to the definitive antidumping duties : People's Republic of China.
2. Product subject to the definitive antidumping duties: plates, sheets, and strip of aluminum alloys, of a thickness not exceeding 8 mm but greater than 0.2mm, except those polished, coated heat treatable, and aluminum can stock used for beverage cans and its lids.
3. Tariff classification of Product subject to the definitive antidumping duties: the product subject to the definitive antidumping duties is classified under the following GCC-Unified Tariff Code: (76061200-76069200).

4. Entry into force of the definitive antidumping duties: The definitive antidumping duties shall enter into force on 22 July 2021.

5. Duration of the definitive antidumping duties: The definitive antidumping duties shall be applied for five years starting from 22 July 2021 on all GCC imports of the concerned product subject to the definitive duties originating in or exported from the People's Republic of China.

6. Form of the definitive antidumping duties: The definitive antidumping duties shall take the form of an ad valorem duties as a percentage of the CIF value, as indicated in the following table :

Country	Company	Final Antidumping margin as a percentage of the CIF value
People's Republic of China	All companies	33%

7. Payment of the definitive antidumping duties: The definitive antidumping duties shall be paid at the directorate of customs before customs clearance and through the imposition of the final antidumping margin as a percentage of the CIF value, as indicated in the above table.

We thereby respectfully ask all economic operators and concerned Governmental Authorities to comply with the provisions of this directive and to ensure its implementation accordingly.

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