

DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY

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**INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION COMMISSION OF
SOUTH AFRICA****SUNSET REVIEW INVESTIGATION OF THE ANTI-DUMPING DUTIES ON CLEAR FLOAT
GLASS ORIGINATING IN OR IMPORTED FROM INDONESIA: FINAL
DETERMINATION**

In accordance with the provisions in the Anti-Dumping Regulations (ADR), 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 likely lead to the continuation and/or recurrence of dumping and injury.

On 24 June 2016, the International Trade Administration Commission of South Africa (the Commission) notified the interested parties through Notice No. 365 of 2016 in *Government Gazette* No. 40088, that unless a substantiated request is made indicating that the expiry of the anti-dumping duties against anti-dumping duty on clear float glass originating in or imported from Indonesia would likely lead to the continuation or recurrence of dumping and injury, the anti-dumping duties on clear float glass originating in or imported from Indonesia would expire on 26 July 2017.

The sunset review investigation was initiated pursuant to Notice No. 547 of 2017 in *Government Gazette* No. 40998, published on 21 July 2017. Initiation letters to interested parties were sent on 24 July 2017. The due date for responses was 30 August 2017.

On 28 July 2017 a letter was received from the Directorate General of Foreign Trade in Indonesia requesting an extension of the period to submit a response to the initiation. The extension was granted until 14 September 2017. A response was submitted on 29 August 2017.

Letters were received from two exporters, namely PT Asahimas Flat Glass Tbk (AFG) and PT Matahari Silverindo Jaya (PT Matahari) stating that it will not be participating in the sunset review.

A letter was received from the Ministry of Investment, Trade and Industry, Republic of Botswana on 24 August 2017, stating that it will not be affected by the expiry or continuation of the anti-dumping duties.

No properly documented responses were received from any interested party.

After considering all the information submitted by the Applicant, the Commission issued essential facts letters indicating that it was considering making a final determination that the expiry of the anti-dumping duties clear float glass originating in or imported from Indonesia would likely lead to the continuation or recurrence of dumping and injury.

After considering all the comments received to the Commission's essential facts letters, the Commission made a final determination that the expiry of the anti-dumping duties on clear float glass originating in or imported from Indonesia would likely lead to the continuation or recurrence of dumping and injury.

The Commission, therefore, recommended to the Minister of Trade and Industry that the anti-dumping duties on clear float glass originating in or imported from Indonesia be maintained.

The Minister approved the Commission's recommendation. The Commission's detailed reasons for its decision are set out in Commission's Report No. 572 (Final determination report).

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