

25 August 2020

ITAC: Tariff Amendments

Please note the below communication received from SAAFF regarding the current Tariff Amendment Applications in progress:

QUOTE

International Trade Administration Commission: Tariff Amendments

https://mcusercontent.com/0ab3d282d95c81efb3503ede4/files/bb59a8d7-da37-4734-a254-8b06da946b89/gg43636_2020_GEN_nn447.pdf

https://mcusercontent.com/0ab3d282d95c81efb3503ede4/files/aab370bd-062c-4369-9b44-159231328652/gg43632_2020_GEN_nn446.01.pdf

The first attachment relates to guidelines and conditions relating to extension of safeguard measures in terms of Amended Safeguard Regulation 2.7. Members may want to inform their clients accordingly.

The second attachment covers tariff amendments:

1. Creation of a rebate facility for warp knit fabrics classifiable under tariff heading 60.05 used in the manufacture of upholstered furniture classifiable under tariff subheadings 9401.61 and 9401.71 in such quantities at such times as the ITAC may allow by specific permit. Comment should be submitted within 4 weeks of the notice.

2. Review of the description of rebate item 304.07/0404.10/01.06 for demineralised whey powder for the manufacture of prepared infants food. The reasons for the request is that the rebate item is contentious due to the lack of clarity as to what constitutes demineralised whey powder and what the parameters are of its constituents. Comment should be submitted within 4 weeks of the date of the notice.

3. Directive to investigate and evaluate the creation of rebate facilities in the 4th Schedule as follows:

“Textile fabrics, classifiable in Section XI, for the manufacture of articles of apparel and clothing accessories, classifiable in Chapters 61 and 62, in such quantities, at such times and subject to such conditions as the International Trade Administration Commission may allow by specific permit, provided the fabric is not specifically covered by another rebate provision in Schedule No. 3 for the same industry and purpose”.

Representations must be submitted within 2 weeks of the date of the notice to:

[Note: Comments must be provided in the format of a questionnaire obtainable on ITAC's website at www.itac.org.za, by following the links: 'Services - Tariff investigations - Government Gazette Notices – Other publication notices.']

4. Creation of a rebate facility for certain flat-rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel classifiable under tariff subheadings 7210.11, 7210.12.10, 7210.12.90 and 7212.10. Comment should be submitted within 2 weeks of the date of the notice.

Regards
SAAFF Communications
UNQUOTE

To unsubscribe from this mailing list, please reply to this email with the word "UNSUBSCRIBE" as the subject.

We thank you for your continued support and partnership

Mail: Graeme.impson@sctsolutions.co.za
Tel: + 27 (0)31 818 0320
Fax: +27 (0)31 818 0324
Mobile: +27 (0) 71 4140472