Ministry of Commerce of the People's Republic of China Notice no. 19 (2017)

On 10 May 2005, the Ministry of Commerce published the Notice No. 23 of the year, and decided to impose antidumping measures to the imports of Chloroprene Rubber from Japan, US and the EU for 5 years.

On 9 May 2016, the Ministry of Commerce published the Notice No. 18 of the year, and decided to take an expiry review to the imports of Chloroprene Rubber from Japan, US and the EU.

In compliance with provisions of Article 48 of Anti-Dumping Regulation of the People's Republic of China, the Ministry of Commerce made an investigation to possibilities of continuation of dumping and possibilities of continuation of injury and related evidence. The investigation authority therefore made the final determination. Details are as following.

1 Determination of the Review

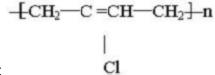
The investigation authority determines that, if the antidumping measures are terminated, the dumping from imports of Chloroprene Rubber from Japan, US and the EU to the Chinese domestic industry would continue or happen again, and the injury to the domestic industry would continue or happen again.

2 Anti-dumping measures

As of 10 May 2017, the Ministry of Commerce will continue impose anti-dumping duties on imports of Chloroprene Rubber from Japan, US and the EU. The period of measures is 5 years.

The product of the expiry review is the same with the Notice No. 23 (2005).

Name of the product under investigation is Chloroprene Rubber.



Chemical structure of the product:

The tariff codes for the product in the Import-Export Customs Tariffs of the People's Republic of China are: 40024910, 40024990

Anti-dumping tariff rate:

Japanese companies

Denka Company Limited	20.8%
TOSOH Corporation	10.2%
SHOWA DENKO K.K.	20.8%
Other Japanese companies	43.9%

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American companies 151%

EU companies

ARLANXEO Deutschland GmbH 11% Polimeri Europa Elastomeres France S.A. 53% Other EU companies 151%

3 Collection of anti-dumping measure

As of 10 May 2017, importers who import Chloroprene Rubber from Japan, US and the EU should pay applicable anti-dumping duties to the Customs of the People's Republic of China. Anti-dumping duties shall be assessed ad valorem, with the taxable value being the price CIF on the basis of the transaction price examined and ratified by the Customs; the formula for imposition is: level of anti-dumping duty= customs dutiable value x rate of anti-dumping duty. Sectoral import VAT shall be assessed ad valorem, with the taxable value being the price CIF which is on the basis of the transaction price examined and ratified by the Customs, plus duties and anti-dumping duties.

4 Administrative review and administrative litigation

Those who do not accept the final determination decision in this case and the decision to impose anti-dumping duties may lawfully apply for administrative review in accordance with the provisions of Article 53 of the <u>Anti-Dumping Regulation of the People's Republic of China</u>, and may also lawfully lodge a case with the People's Court.

5 The notice should be taken into force as of 10 May 2017.

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Attachment: Determination of the expiry review of the Chloroprene Rubber from Japan, US and the EU