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Government of India Ministry of Finance Department of Revenue

Notification No.52/2016-Customs (ADD)

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G.S.R. (E).-Whereas, the designated authority *vide* notification No.15/18/2015-DGAD, dated the 1st October, 2015, published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part I, Section 1, dated the 1st October, 2015, had initiated mid-term review investigation in terms of sub-section (5) of section 9A of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975 (51 of 1975) (hereinafter referred to as the Customs Tariff Act), read with rule 23 of the Customs Tariff (Identification, Assessment and Collection of Anti-dumping Duty on Dumped Articles and for Determination of Injury) Rules, 1995, in the matter of continuation of anti-dumping duty on imports of 4, 4 Diamino Stilbene 2, 2 Disulphonic Acid (DASDA) [hereinafter referred to as the subject goods], falling under Chapter 29 of the First Schedule to the Customs Tariff Act, originating in, or exported from, People's Republic of China (hereinafter referred to as the subject country), imposed *vide* notification of the Government of India, in the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue) No.09/2014-Customs(ADD), dated the 23rd January, 2014, published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section 3, Sub-section (i) *vide* number G.S.R.51(E), dated the 23rd January, 2014;

And, Whereas, the designated authority, in its final findings in mid-term review *vide* notification No.15/18/2015-DGAD, dated the 26th September, 2016, published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part I, Section 1, dated the 26th September, 2016, has recommended that anti-dumping duty is required to be continued at modified rates on imports of the subject goods originating in, or exported from, the subject country.

Now, Therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (5) of section 9A of the Customs Tariff Act, read with rules 18 and 23 of the Customs Tariff (Identification, Assessment and Collection of Anti-dumping Duty on Dumped Articles and for Determination of Injury) Rules, 1995 and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue) No.09/2014-Customs(ADD), dated the 23rd January, 2014, published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section 3, Subsection (i), vide number G.S.R.51(E), dated the 23rd January, 2014, except as respect things done or omitted to be done before such supersession, the Central Government, on the basis of aforesaid finding and recommendation of the designated authority, hereby imposes on the subject goods, the description of which is specified in column (3) of the Table below, falling under tariff item of the First Schedule to the Customs Tariff Act, as specified in the corresponding entry in column (2), originating in the countries as specified in the corresponding entry in column (4), exported from the countries as specified in the corresponding entry in column (5), produced by the producers as specified in the corresponding entry in column (6), exported by the exporters as specified in the corresponding entry in column (7), and imported into India, an anti-dumping duty at the rate equal to the amount as specified in the corresponding entry in column (8), in the currency as specified in the corresponding entry in column (10) and as per unit of measurement as specified in the corresponding entry in column (9), of the said Table, namely:-

Table

S.	Tariff Item.	Description of	Country of	Country of	Producer.	Exporter.	Amo	Unit of	Curre
No		goods.	origin.	export.			unt	measure	ncy.
							of	ment.	
							duty.		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1.	2921 42 90 or	4, 4 Diamino	People's	People's	Tsaker	Tsaker	99	Metric	US
	2921 59 90 or	Stilbene 2, 2	Republic of	Republic of	Chemical	Chemical		Tonne	Dollar
	2922 21 90 or	Disulphonic	China	China	(Donggu	(Donggu			
	2922 29 90 or	Acid (DASDA)			ang) Co.	ang) Co.			
	2930 90 99				Ltd.	Ltd.			
2.	2921 42 90 or	4, 4 Diamino	People's	People's		ombination	477	Metric	US
	2921 59 90 or	Stilbene 2, 2	Republic of	Republic of	other than at S. No.1			Tonne	Dollar
	2922 21 90 or	Disulphonic	China	China	above				
	2922 29 90 or	Acid (DASDA)							
	2930 90 99								
3.	2921 42 90 or	4, 4 Diamino	People's	Any	Any	Any	477	Metric	US
	2921 59 90 or	Stilbene 2, 2	Republic of	country				Tonne	Dollar
	2922 21 90 or	Disulphonic	China	other than					
	2922 29 90 or	Acid (DASDA)		People's					
	2930 90 99			Republic of					
				China					
4.	2921 42 90 or	4, 4 Diamino	Any country	People's	Any	Any	477	Metric	US
	2921 59 90 or	Stilbene 2, 2	other than	Republic of				Tonne	Dollar
	2922 21 90 or	Disulphonic	People's	China					
	2922 29 90 or	Acid (DASDA)	Republic of						
	2930 90 99		China						

Note:

- (i) The Product under Consideration i.e. 4, 4 Diamino Stilbene 2, 2 Disulphonic Acid (DASDA) is also known as follows:
 - (a) 2, 2'- (1, 2- Ethylenediyl) bis (5-aminobenzenesulfonic acid).
 - (b) 4, 4'-Diaminostilbene 2, 2'-Disulfonic Acid.
 - (c) 2, 2'-ethene -1, 2-diylbis (5-amino benzene sulfonic acid).
 - (d) Amsonic Acid.
 - (e) DSD Acid.
- (ii) The Anti-dumping duty shall be imposed on the quantity of subject goods calculated on 100% basis.
- 2. This notification shall remain in force upto and inclusive of the 22nd January, 2019, unless revoked earlier, and the anti-dumping duty shall be paid in Indian currency.

Explanation. - For the purposes of this notification, rate of exchange applicable for the purposes of calculation of anti-dumping duty shall be the rate which is specified in the notification of the Government of India, in the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), issued from time to time, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 of the Customs Act, 1962 (52 of 1962) and the relevant date for determination of the rate of exchange shall be the date of presentation of the bill of entry under section 46 of the said Customs Act.

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