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Memorandum D15-1-91

Whole Potatoes Originating in or Exported From the United States of America

In Brief

A new “Additional Information” section has been added to provide contact details for the Canada Border Services Agency’s Border Information Service.

This memorandum refers to the application of anti-dumping duty to importations of whole potatoes originating in or exported from the United States of America (U.S.) for use or consumption in the province of British Columbia (British Columbia), pursuant to section 3 of the [Special Import Measures Act](#) (SIMA), as a result of findings or orders of injury by the Canadian International Trade Tribunal (Tribunal).

Guidelines and General Information

1. The subject goods are defined as: whole potatoes originating in or exported from the U.S. for use or consumption in British Columbia, but excluding:
 - (a) seed potatoes;
 - (b) imports during the period from May 1 to July 31 (inclusive) of each calendar year;
 - (c) red potatoes;
 - (d) yellow potatoes;
 - (e) exotic potato varieties; and
 - (f) white and russet potatoes imported in 50-pound cartons in the following count sizes: 40, 50, 60, 70 and 80.
2. This case was originally two separate anti-dumping investigations concerning whole potatoes. The subject goods covered in each investigation, as well as the dates of the proceedings and findings, are as follows:
 - (a) whole potatoes with netted or russeted skin, excluding seed potatoes, in non-size A, also commonly known as strippers, originating in or exported from the state of Washington, U.S., for use or consumption in British Columbia.

| Action | Date |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| Initiation of investigation | September 30, 1983 |
| Preliminary determination | March 5, 1984 |
| Tribunal’s finding | June 4, 1984 |
| Final determination | October 12, 1984 |

- (b) whole potatoes, originating in or exported from the U.S., for use or consumption in British Columbia, excluding seed potatoes, and excluding whole potatoes with netted or russeted skin in non-size A, originating in or exported from the state of Washington.

| Action | Date |
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| Initiation of investigation | October 18, 1985 |
| Preliminary determination | December 20, 1985 |
| Final determination | March 20, 1986 |
| Tribunal's finding | April 18, 1986 |

3. There have been five expiry reviews concerning this case as follows:

| Action | Date |
|------------------------------|--------------------|
| Tribunal's review of finding | September 14, 1990 |
| Tribunal's review of order | September 14, 1995 |
| Tribunal's review of order | September 13, 2000 |
| Tribunal's review of order | September 12, 2005 |
| Tribunal's review of order | September 10, 2010 |

4. These goods are properly classified in the Harmonized System under classification numbers 0701.90.00.10 and 0701.90.00.20.

5. The liability for anti-dumping duty results from proceedings conducted under [SIMA](#) and from findings/orders of the Tribunal.

6. Information regarding the normal value of the goods in question and the amount of anti-dumping duty payable should be obtained from the exporter. Related information may be made available to importers on a need-to-know basis in accordance with the provisions of [Memorandum D14-1-2, Disclosure of Normal Values, Export Prices, and Amounts of Subsidy Established Under the Special Import Measures Act to Importers](#), which outlines the conditions under which the Canada Border Services Agency may make the information available to importers.

Additional Information

7. For more information, within Canada call the Border Information Service at **1-800-461-9999**. From outside Canada call 204-983-3500 or 506-636-5064. Long distance charges will apply. Agents are available Monday to Friday (08:00 – 16:00 local time / except holidays). TTY is also available within Canada: **1-866-335-3237**.

| References | |
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| Issuing Office | Trade and Anti-dumping Programs Directorate |
| Headquarters File | 4237-14 and 4237-53 |
| Legislative References | Special Import Measures Act |
| Other References | D14-1-2 |
| Superseded Memorandum D | D15-1-91 dated March 23, 2011 |