



THE ANTI-DUMPING AND SUBSIDIES COMMISSION

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NOTICE OF EXTENSION OF PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION

KINGSTON, JAMAICA

Date: July 28, 2010

REF. NO. AD-01-2010

IN THE MATTER OF an investigation initiated on April 30, 2010 in accordance with Sections 22 and 23 of the *Customs Duties (Dumping and Subsidies) Act 1999*, pursuant to a complaint submitted by Caribbean Cement Company Limited to the Anti-Dumping and Subsidies Commission;

IN RESPECT OF the dumping in Jamaica of Ordinary Portland Grey Cement, originating in or exported from the Dominican Republic, usually classified under Harmonized Tariff Schedule Code 2523.291.

Decision to Extend Preliminary Determination

The Anti-dumping and Subsidies Commission, hereinafter called "the Commission" shall in accordance with Section 27 of the *Customs Duties (Dumping and Subsidies) Act 1999*, make a Preliminary Determination and examine whether a provisional measure is appropriate in the case within Ninety (90) days from the commencement of the investigation or by July 29, 2010, unless extended.

On July 28, 2010, pursuant to Section 29 of the *Customs Duties (Dumping and Subsidies) Act 1999*, the Commission decided that an extension of time of Forty-Five (45) days to One Hundred and Thirty-Five (135) days from the commencement of the investigation is necessary to arrive at the Preliminary Determination. The extension is due to the difficulty of obtaining satisfactory evidence in the investigation and other administrative and procedural challenges that made it unusually difficult for the Commission to decide within the Ninety (90) days.

Schedule

The Commission will make a Preliminary Determination and examine whether provisional measures are appropriate in the case by September 10, 2010.

For and on behalf of the Commission,

Derrick McKoy (Dr.)
Chairman

Sandra Shirley
Commissioner

Velma Brown-Hamilton (Dr.)
Commissioner

Leslie Campbell
Commissioner