

Countervailing and Anti-Dumping Duties Act 1996
(No. 33 of 1996)

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The following Act was passed by Parliament on 1st October 1996 and assented to by the President on 16th October 1996:—

COUNTERVAILING AND ANTI-DUMPING DUTIES ACT 1996

(No. 33 of 1996)

I assent.

ONG TENG CHEONG
President
16th October 1996.

Date of Commencement: 1st November 1996

An Act to make provisions for the investigation and determination of subsidies being provided on, and the dumping of, goods imported into Singapore, the imposition of countervailing and anti-dumping duties to offset such subsidies or dumping and for matters connected therewith, and to repeal the Customs (Dumping and Subsidies) Act (Chapter 71 of the 1985 Revised Edition).

Be it enacted by the President with the advice and consent of the Parliament of Singapore, as follows:

PART I

PRELIMINARY

Short title and commencement

1. This Act may be cited as the Countervailing and Anti-Dumping Duties Act 1996 and shall come into operation on such date as the Minister may, by notification in the *Gazette*, appoint.

Interpretation

2.—(1) In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires —

“Agreement on Agriculture” means the Agreement by that name set out in Annex 1A to the World Trade Organisation Agreement;

“Agreement on Implementation of Article VI of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994” means the Agreement by that name set out in Annex 1A to the World Trade Organisation Agreement;

“Agreement on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures” means the Agreement by that name set out in Annex 1A to the World Trade Organisation Agreement;

“country” includes a customs union or customs territory;

“domestic industry” means —

(a) the domestic producers as a whole of the like goods; or

(b) the domestic producers whose collective output of the like goods constitutes a major proportion of the total domestic production of those goods,

but shall not, if the Minister so determines, include domestic producers who are related to the exporters or importers, or are themselves importers, of the subject goods or, in relation to Part II, like goods from other countries;

“dumping margin” means the amount by which the normal value of the subject goods exceeds the export price;

“export price” means the export price of the subject goods as determined in accordance with section 16;

“exporting country” means —

(a) the country of export of the subject goods; or

(b) where the subject goods are not exported directly to Singapore but are transhipped without substantial transformation through an intermediate country, the country of origin of the subject goods;

“General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994” means the Agreement by that name whose parts are described in Annex 1A to the World