

Instruction E/009/CS001/001

New Zealand Customs Instructions

Galvanised Wire from South Africa

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1. Introduction

1. These customs instructions replace all previous customs instructions (TR800/D/02/2) concerning galvanised wire from South Africa. There is no confidential information contained in these instructions. Any queries concerning these instructions should be directed to the Trade Rules, Remedies and Tariffs Group of the Ministry of Economic Development.

2. The Minister of Commerce first imposed anti-dumping duties on imports of galvanised wire from South Africa in 2002. The rates of anti-dumping duty were reassessed by the Minister of Commerce on 18 August 2008 following the completion of both a review and a reassessment. The rates of anti-dumping duty in these instructions apply from 19 August 2008.

2. Goods Subject to Anti-Dumping Duties

2.1 Description

3. The goods subject to anti-dumping duty are:

Galvanised steel wire of high, medium and low tensile strength between 2mm and 4.5mm in diameter, but EXCLUDING the following:

- *galvanised steel spring wire AS1472 exceeding 4.00 mm in diameter.*

4. Refer to [notes](#) below for further comment.

2.2 Country/Countries of Origin

5. The country of origin of the subject goods is South Africa.

3. Anti-Dumping Duties

3.1 Description

6. The anti-dumping duties are imposed through a single *ad valorem* duty rate of 33%. The *ad valorem* rate applies to all exporters of the subject goods, excluding

African Gabions (Pty) Ltd and Finmesa Investment Corporation, which are both exempt from anti-dumping duties.

3.2 Method

7. For each importation of galvanised wire it is necessary to identify the value for duty (VFD) of the subject goods. The anti-dumping duty payable is 33% of the VFD of the subject goods.

3.3 Example

8. Below is an example of the calculation of anti-dumping duty applicable to these goods.

9. You have an invoice issued by a South African supplier for importation of galvanised wire originating from South Africa as follows:

Description	Quantity (kgs)	Rand/tonne	Total Rand
High Tensile wire HG 2.46mm	40,000	2,000	80,000

10. The exchange rate at the date of importation is NZD1 = ZAR4.90

11. For 40,000kgs of *2.46mm High Tensile HG* galvanised wire, the total VFD amount in NZD is $(80,000/4.90) = \text{NZD}16,326.53$

12. The total anti-dumping duty payable is 33% of the VFD = $\text{NZD}16,326.53 \times 0.33 = \text{NZD } 5,387.76$

4. Notes

13. An ALERT has been put in place for Tariff Item 7217.20.10 and Statistical Keys 05L, 07G, 08E, 09C, 11E, 13A, 15H, 16F, 17D, 18B, 25E, 27A, 28K, 29H, 31K, 33F, 35B, 36L, 37J and 39E, and Tariff Item 7217.20.90 and Statistical Keys 05D, 07L, 08J, 09G, 11J, 13E, 15A, 16K, 17H and 18F of the Tariff of New Zealand for subject goods originating from South Africa.

5. FAQ Page

14. The [Frequently Asked Questions](#) page may provide additional guidance regarding the applicability of the duties.

6. Further Information

15. Should you have any queries regarding the operation of the anti-dumping duties described in these instructions please contact the Trade Rules, Remedies and Tariffs Group as shown below:

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