

Instruction E/009/CS001/006

New Zealand Customs Instructions

Reinforcing Steel Bar and Coil from Thailand

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1. Introduction

1. These customs instructions replace the previous customs instructions (TR800/D/03/3) concerning reinforcing steel bar and coil from Thailand. 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 reinforcing steel bar and coil in March 2004. The rates of anti-dumping duty were reassessed by the Minister of Commerce on 17 November 2009 following the completion of both a review and a reassessment. The rates of anti-dumping duty in these instructions apply from 18 November 2009.

2. Goods Subject to Anti-Dumping Duties

2.1 Description

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

Reinforcing steel bar and coil with a diameter equal to or greater than 5mm and less than or equal to 40mm

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

2.2 Country/Countries of Origin

5. The country of origin of the subject goods is Thailand.

3. Anti-Dumping Duties

3.1 Description

6. The anti-dumping duties are imposed through a single *ad valorem* duty rate of 28%. The *ad valorem* rate applies to all exporters of the subject goods.

3.2 Method

7. For each importation of reinforcing steel bar and coil it is necessary to identify the value for duty (VFD) of the subject goods. The anti-dumping duty payable is 28% 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 supplier for importation of reinforcing steel bar and coil originating from Thailand as follows:

Description	Quantity (tonnes)	USD FOB/tonne	Total USD
12mm Grade 500 rebar	15	220	3,300
16mm Grade 300 rebar	30	225	6,750

10. The exchange rate at the date of importation is NZD1 = USD0.70

11. Convert invoice amounts to NZD:

Grade 500 rebar	USD220/0.70	=	NZD314.29 per tonne
Grade 300 rebar	USD225/0.70	=	NZD321.43 per tonne

12. Calculate *ad valorem* duty payable:

Grade 500	NZD314.29 x 28%	=	NZD88.00 x 15 tonnes	=	NZD1,320
Grade 300	NZD321.43 x 28%	=	NZD90.00 x 30 tonnes	=	NZD2,700
Total Duty Payable				=	NZD4,020

4. Notes

13. An ALERT has been put in place for Tariff Item 7213.10.90 and Statistical Keys 01E and 09L, Tariff Item 7213.91.90 and Statistical Keys 01J, 05A and 09D, Tariff Item 7213.99.90 and Statistical Keys 01E, 05H and 09L, Tariff Item 7214.20.90 and Statistical Keys 01G and 05K, Tariff Item 7214.99.90 and Statistical Keys 01C, 03K, 11L, 13G and 21H, Tariff Item 7227.90.00 and Statistical Key 19H, Tariff Item 7228.30.00 and Statistical Key 19D, Tariff Item 7228.50.00 and Statistical Key 19A and Tariff Item 7228.60.00 and Statistical Key 19E of the Tariff of New Zealand for subject goods originating from Thailand

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.

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