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ITAC maintains anti-dumping duties ranging from 76,17% to 93% on ropes and cables from Germany and the UK

ITAC conducted a sunset review investigation of the anti-dumping duties on ropes and cables of a diameter that is exceeding 32mm, originating in or imported from the Federal Republic of Germany and the United Kingdom.

The investigation was initiated following an application by Haggie Steel Wire Ropes Proprietary Limited. The Commission considered that there was *prima facie* evidence that there would be a likelihood of the continuation of dumping and the recurrence of material injury should the anti-dumping duties expire.

Ropes and cables are sold and used for the following:

- Underground mining applications: Hoisting - winder ropes; Guide ropes; Shaft sinking ropes; Surface Mines; Dragline hoist ropes; Dragline drag ropes; Dragline dump ropes; Boom lowering ropes; Shovel ropes; Dump ropes; Cable belt conveyor ropes; Tensioner ropes; and Pendant Ropes.
- Marine Applications: Dredging ropes; Tow ropes; Anchor ropes - anchor lines; Crane ropes; Drill lines; and Pennant ropes.
- Industrial, building, civil and other applications: Crane ropes.

After considering comments to essential facts letters, the Commission made a final determination that the expiry of the anti-dumping duties on the subject products originating in or imported from Germany and the UK would likely lead to the continuation of dumping and the recurrence of material injury, and therefore decided

to recommend to the Minister of Trade, Industry and Competition that the current anti-dumping duties on ropes and cables be maintained as per Report No. 786.

Full details of the final determinations and recommendations are on [Notice 4162](#) and [Report 786](#).

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