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ITAC imposes definitive duties on vehicle windscreens being circumvented through country hopping from China to Malaysia

Shatterprufe, a division of PG Group (Proprietary) Limited made an application to ITAC, alleging that the remedial effect of the anti-dumping duties imposed on imports of windscreens for vehicles classifiable under tariff subheading 7007.21.20, to be used in the Southern African Customs Union market as replacement glass in the aftermarket from China, were being undermined through circumvention in the form of country hopping from China to Malaysia.

Shatterprufe is the major producer of vehicle windscreens in the SACU. The subject product is primarily used as a replacement component for vehicle windscreens that have been damaged or require replacement.

After considering comments and responses from interested parties, the Commission made a final determination that, there was sufficient information to indicate that circumvention in the form of country hopping is taking place; that dumping of the subject product imported from Malaysia is taking place.

Based on the determination made in the original investigation, the SACU industry is experiencing material injury and a threat of material injury. The Commission further determined that such circumvention undermined the remedial effect of the anti-dumping duties imposed on vehicle windscreens imported from China.

In light of these findings, the Commission made a recommendation to the Minister of Trade, Industry and Competition that, anti-dumping duties imposed on imports of vehicle windscreens, from China be extended to imports from Malaysia and that the same anti-dumping duties be imposed on front windscreens (windshields) declared under tariff subheading 8708.22.10. These definitive anti-dumping duties were implemented by South African Revenue Service ("SARS") on 04 September 2026

Full details of the final determination and recommendation are on **Report 776.**

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