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Imported biodiesel originating from Argentina and Indonesia subject to provisional anti-dumping duties

The European Commission has concluded that low-priced dumped imports from Argentina and Indonesia, that undercut the Union's industry prices, have had a determining role in the material injury suffered by the industry. On 28 May 2013, the European Commission consequently published a Regulation with provisional anti-dumping measures which entered into force on 29 May 2013. These measures will be applicable for a period of six months.

This Commission Regulation also encourages the Customs authorities to discontinue the registration of biodiesel imports originating from Argentina and Indonesia.

What does it mean for you?

If your company imports biodiesel originating from Argentina or Indonesia in the European Union, it is possible that an anti-dumping levy is applicable as of 29 May 2013.

What to do?

We suggest checking if your company imports fatty-acid mono-alkyl esters and/or paraffinic gasoil obtained from synthesis and/or hydro-treatment, of non-fossil origin, originating from Argentina and Indonesia into the European Union. We advise you to determine if this product falls within the scope of **Commission Regulation (EU) No 490/2013**.

If you have any questions regarding this subject or need any assistance, please do not hesitate to ask.

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