

(Reference 1)

### Summary of Written Application

On December 17, 2013, METI and MOF received an application for the imposition of an anti-dumping duty on tolylene diisocyanate originating in the People's Republic of China from Mitsui Chemicals, Inc.\* The outline of its allegation stated in the written application is as follows.

\*Note 1: Tolylene diisocyanate manufactured by the company accounted for about 90% of the total domestic output in FY2012.

#### 1. Fact of importation of dumped products

The figures below show the fact that tolylene diisocyanate was exported from China at less than its normal value:

- Export price (11,825 RMB/ton) < Normal value (17,742 RMB/ton)
- Dumping margin: (Normal value – Export price)/Export price = 50.04%

Accordingly, dumping of the subject product exists.

#### 2. Fact of material injury to the domestic industry of tolylene diisocyanate

(1) Volume of imports and market share of tolylene diisocyanate originating in the People's Republic of China

	FY2010	FY2011	FY2012	Rate of change from FY2010
Volume of imports	0 tons	3,705 tons	14,040 tons	Full growth
Domestic demand	74,072 tons	74,848 tons	72,858 tons	-1.6%
Market share of the imported product	0%	5%	19%	Full growth

(2) Indicators showing the situation of the domestic industry of tolylene diisocyanate (indices when setting the figures for FY2010 at 100)

	FY2010	FY2011	FY2012	Rate of change from FY2010
Volume of domestic sales	100	85	70	-30
Market share	100	84	71	-29
Sales amount	100	85	70	-30

Operating profits	100	31	-15	-115
Ordinary profits	100	32	-15	-115

Note: Major indicators are extracted from the written application.

(3) Many of the indicators showing the situation of Japanese industry has deteriorated due to the dumped imports, this proves that Japanese industry has been materially injured.

Given the above, material injury to Japanese industry exists.

3. Therefore, the company requests the imposition of an anti-dumping duty on tolylene diisocyanate originating in the People's Republic of China.