



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
BUREAU OF CUSTOMS
MANILA 1099

CUSTOMS MEMORANDUM ORDER
NO. 24-2003

SUBJECT : Safeguard Measures on Glass Mirrors, Figured Glass, Clear and Tinted Float Glass Imports

Pursuant to herein three 1st Indorsements, all dated 30 September 2003, signed by DoF Usec. MA. GRACIA M. PULIDO TAN, in compliance with the corresponding letters-request, dated 03 September 2003, of Sec. MAR ROXAS, Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) to Sec. JOSE ISIDRO N. CAMACHO, Department of Finance (DoF), this Office directs the implementation of the following Orders (Annex "A", "B", and "C"), all dated 01 September 2003, in the Safeguard Cases indicated hereunder, causing the imposition of PROVISIONAL SAFEGUARD MEASURES, as follows:

Safeguard Case No.	Subject	H.S. Code	Date of Order	Cash Bond
01-2003	Imported Glass Mirror	7009.9100 & 7009.9200	01 Sept 2003	PHP3,560/MT
02-2003	Imported Figured Glass	7003.12.90 & 7003.1990	01 Sept 2003	PHP1,535/MT
03-2003	Imported Clear & Tinted Float Glass	7005.2190 & 7005.2990	01 Sept 2003	• Clear Float Glass - PHP2,000/MT • Tinted Float Glass - PHP2,650/MT

The appropriate Provisional Safeguard Measures prescribed above shall be imposed on every importation of the above-listed commodities for a period not to exceed 200 days from the date of the issuance/signing of this Order.

Importations of such commodities, as specified above, from developing countries listed in the Orders/annexes thereof shall not be covered by the provisional Safeguard Measures.

All such importations shall be covered by a Certificate of Origin issued by the authorized agency/office in source country of manufacture as authenticated by the Philippine embassy/consulate thereat.

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Attention is also invited to the following in the said Orders:

1. Considering that subject commodities are covered by the ASEAN-CEPT Agreement, as provided under Articles 6 and 8 of said Agreement, the Philippines is required to notify and accord adequate opportunity for consultation with the governments of the ASEAN countries concerned, which may be affected by the application of the provisional safeguard measures on imports sourced from ASEAN countries.
2. The notification and consultation requirements of Article 12 of the WTO Safeguard Agreement and Section 17 of RA 8800 and its IRR shall be complied with.
3. The case records will be transmitted to the Tariff Commission for formal investigation to determine whether or not there is a need to impose a definitive safeguard measure.
4. The case orders shall be published in two (2) newspapers of general circulation and individual notices shall be sent to all interested parties, including the country members concerned.

For guidance and compliance.

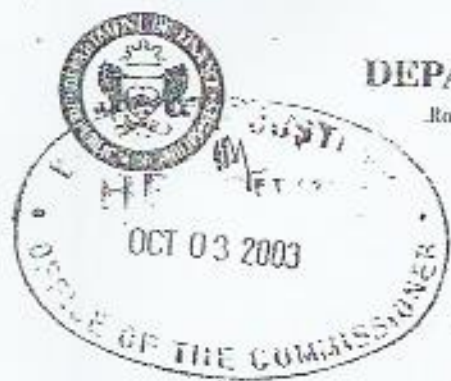

ANTONIO M. BERNARDO
Commissioner

Date signed OCT 13 2003

Cc: Sec. Jose Isidro N. Camacho, DoF
Sec. Mar Roxas, DTI
Usec. Ma. Gracia Pulido-Tan, DoF

Encl: a/s

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1st Indorsement
30 September 2003

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Respectfully referred to the **Commissioner Bureau of Customs ANTONIO M. BERNARDO**, for urgent action and implementation, the attached 3 September 2003 letter of **DTI Secretary Manuel A. Roxas II**, instructing the Bureau of Customs, through the Secretary of Finance, to cause the imposition of a provisional safeguard measure on imported glass mirrors classified under HS Code Nos. 7009.9100 and 7009.9200, such measure being in the form of a P3,560.00/MT cash bond imposable for a period not to exceed Two Hundred (200) days only from the date of issuance of the CMO.

A copy of the **DTI Order** in re **Safeguard Case No. 01-2003** [1 September 2003], as well as the List of the Developing Countries Exempted from the Definitive Safeguard Measure, are attached for your ready reference.

We shall appreciate receipt of a copy of the resultant implementing CMO, as well as your advice on any action taken.

[Signature]
MA. GRACIA M. PULIDO-TAN
Undersecretary

Cc:
Secretary Manuel A. Roxas II
Department of Trade and Industry