

STATEMENT OF COMPATIBILITY WITH HUMAN RIGHTS

Prepared in accordance with Part 3 of the Human Rights (Parliamentary Scrutiny) Act 2011

CUSTOMS AMENDMENT (ANTI-DUMPING IMPROVEMENTS) REGULATION 2015

This Regulation is compatible with the human rights and freedoms recognised or declared in the international instruments listed in section 3 of the *Human Rights (Parliamentary Scrutiny) Act 2011*.

Overview of the Regulation

The Regulation specifies a new type of circumvention activity in Australia's anti-dumping system to address the practice of slightly modifying goods in order to avoid liability for anti-dumping and countervailing duties already imposed under the *Customs Act 1901*. The type of circumstance will be a prescribed 'circumvention activity' in relation to a notice for the purposes of subsection 269ZDBB(6) of the Customs Act.

Human rights implications

This Bill does not engage any of the applicable rights or freedoms.

Conclusion

This Bill is compatible with human rights as it does not raise any human rights issues.

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