



INTERIM REVIEW No. IR0093

Anti-Dumping duties on Ceramic Tableware and Kitchenware originating in the People's Republic of China (PRC)

Notification of sample

The Trade Remedies Authority (TRA) has decided to limit the issuing of questionnaires to a sample of certain interested parties in accordance with regulations 54(4) and 56 of the Trade Remedies (Dumping and Subsidisation) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (the Regulations).

All sampled interested parties are expected to provide adequate responses to questionnaires and allow the TRA to verify the data provided.

In accordance with regulation 56(4) of the Regulations, on 21 August 2026 the TRA published a notice of a proposed sample of overseas exporters and importers. This can be accessed on the [IR0093 public file](#). The TRA received comments in response to the proposed sample, which are summarised below:

- *Request for expansion of the proposed exporter sample, to better represent a broader range of products and/or commercial models.*
- *Comment that the proposed exporter sample is appropriate.*
- *Requests for expansion or revaluation of the proposed importer sample, to more fully reflect the Ceramic Tableware and Kitchenware market in the UK and ensure coverage across all market segments and types of importer business.*

This notification details the TRA's sampling approach, following the notice of a proposed sample, and the TRA's response to the comments received on this proposed sample. It is not intended to preclude the TRA from limiting its examination further at a later stage.

Importer sampling

Based on the information available to the TRA, and the comments made in response to the proposed importer sample, the TRA's final sample has been expanded and is composed of the following importers:

- Lesser & Pavey Ltd
- Neville UK PLC
- Lifetime Brands
- Promotional Ceramics Ltd



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In accordance with Regulation 56(3)(b) of the Regulations, the original proposed sample was based on the largest volume of imports from the PRC during the POI, of those importers for which ceramic tableware and kitchenware represents a significant part of their business. This statistical method was assessed to offer a better reflection of the potential economic impact of any change to the measure, compared with focusing only on import volume.

Following comments received during the consultation period, the TRA recognises that the inclusion of the two additional parties, Lifetime Brands and Promotional Ceramics, would offer a more complete representation of the UK ceramics sector and support a fuller understanding of the potential economic impact of any change to the current measure. These additional parties have been selected to ensure representation across both the household retail market and importers that produce their own goods using the imported goods subject to review. The non-confidential versions of the registration forms submitted by these two additional importers have been published alongside this note.

Overseas exporter sampling

Based on the information available to the TRA, the sample is composed of the following overseas exporters:

- Hunan Quanxiang Ceramics Corp. Ltd
- Liling Top Collection Industrial Co., Ltd

In accordance with Regulation 56(3)(a) of the Regulations, the proposed sample was based on the largest volume of exports from the PRC to the UK that the TRA is reasonably able to investigate. Based on the information provided by the known interested parties, we determined that the exporters in the proposed sample represent more than 17% of the exports of the goods subject to review to the UK during the POI.

The TRA is not expanding the exporter sample. The sample size represents the extent to what the TRA is reasonably able to investigate for the purposes of this review. As such, the final sample remains unchanged from the proposed sample.

Requesting individual treatment:

An overseas exporter which is not included in the sample may request that the TRA calculate an individual anti-dumping duty, provided that the overseas exporter supplies the necessary information in time for that information to be considered during the course of the review. A request must be made via portal.trade-remedies.service.gov.uk. The TRA will accept such a request unless the number of overseas exporters is so large that individual examination would prevent the timely completion of the investigation.