



Investigation into Alleged Subsidisation

AS0020 - Ironing Boards from the Republic of Türkiye

Note to public file – Amending the scope of the investigation

21 November 2022

On 21 October 2022, the TRA published a notice of its proposal to amend the scope of this investigation, which can be viewed on the [public file](#).

This notice was published in line with Regulation 41(4)(b) of the Trade Remedies (Dumping and Subsidisation) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (the Regulations). This specifies that the TRA may revise the scope of an investigation to include alleged subsidies not referred to in the NOI where it has provided interested parties and contributors with reasons for the proposed revision and has given them an opportunity to comment.

This revision is necessary to ensure the TRA can examine all the relevant subsidy programmes identified within this investigation.

Following the consideration of the comments received, the TRA has concluded it remains under Regulation 41(5) of the Regulations that:

- It is likely the TRA would have initiated its investigation with a wider scope had this information been available in the application.
- The proposed revision does not cause any prejudice to the interests of any interested party or contributor.
- The proposed revision will not prevent the TRA from proceeding with the investigation expeditiously.

This takes into consideration the initial scope was based on the applicant's specific allegations and was limited by their knowledge of the Turkish ironing board industry. New evidence suggests that Turkish producers may be receiving additional subsidies that are not covered by the existing scope and could be considered countervailable.

The TRA has therefore taken the decision to amend the scope in line with its original proposal. An amended NOI and updated external case timeline have been attached to the public file to reflect this change.

As a result of this change the scope of this investigation is no longer limited to Turkish ironing board producers located within the Turkish Free Trade Zones.

[How to take part in the investigation](#)

New participants in the investigation following this change in scope should register their interest and provide a completed Supplementary Questionnaire (Subsidy



Margin) and the associated Annex, through the Trade Remedies Service at <https://www.trade-remedies.service.gov.uk/> by 5 December 2022.

Please contact AS0020@traderemedies.gov.uk if you have any difficulties using this service. Anyone registering their interest after 5 December 2022 may not be able to participate fully in the investigation process.

Further information

You can find more information about our investigations processes in our online trade remedies guidance: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/the-uk-trade-remedies-investigations-process/an-introduction-to-our-investigations-process>