

**ADC No. 41/2015/NTC/DM  
Government of Pakistan  
National Tariff Commission**

**Notice of Initiation of Anti-dumping Investigation against Alleged Dumping of Food Grade Dextrose Monohydrate Originating in and/or Exported from the Republic of India**

The National Tariff Commission (the "Commission") has received an application under Section 20 of Anti-Dumping Duties Act, 2015 (the Act) on September 16, 2015 from Rafhan Maize Product Ltd., Faisalabad (the "Applicant"). The Applicant is a domestic producer of food grade dextrose monohydrate. The Applicant has alleged that the food grade dextrose monohydrate is being exported to Pakistan at dumped prices from the People's Republic of India ("India"). According to the Applicant, alleged dumped imports of food grade dextrose monohydrate from India have caused and are causing material injury to Pakistan's domestic industry producing food grade dextrose monohydrate.

**Initiation of Investigation:** The Commission hereby initiates an investigation pursuant to Section 23 of the Act. The investigation will determine whether food grade dextrose monohydrate originating in and/or exported from India was dumped into Pakistan and whether such dumping has caused and/or is causing material injury to the domestic industry. The Commission will, during the course of this investigation, call for further information/data from the concerned parties deemed necessary for the purposes of this investigation.

**Product under Investigation:** The investigated product is food grade dextrose monohydrate imported into Pakistan from India. It is classified under PCT Heading Nos. 1702.3000. Investigated product is used as sweetener in confectionery, bakery products, other food items, energy drinks etc.

**Period of Investigation ("POI"):**

For determination of dumping: From October 1, 2014 to September 30, 2015  
For determination of injury: From October 1, 2012 to September 30, 2015

**Investigation Schedule:**

**Date of initiation of investigation:** The date of publication of this notice in the newspapers in Pakistan.

**Date of preliminary determination:** Not earlier than 60 days and not later than 180 days from the date of initiation of the investigation.

**Date of final determination:** Will be notified in notice of preliminary determination.

**Interested Parties:** Interested parties, as defined in Section 2(j) of the Act, are requested to make themselves known to the Secretary, National Tariff Commission, State Life Building No. 5, Blue Area, Islamabad, Tel: +92-51-9202839, +92-51-9201188,, Fax: +92-51-9221205 not later than 15 days after the publication of this notice. An interested party applying for registration with the Commission in this investigation should submit: the name of the company, its line of business, name of authorized person, address, telephone number and fax number.

All interested parties are further invited to submit their views/comments to the Commission, and to submit information and documents (if any) not later than 45 days of the date of publication of this notice in the press in Pakistan.

**Public File:** In accordance with Rule 7 of the Anti-Dumping Duties Rules, 2001, the Commission shall maintain a public file at the office of the Commission, which shall be available to the interested parties for review and copying from Monday to Thursday (except public holidays) between 1100 hours to 1300 hours throughout the investigation.

**Further Information:** For further information please contact to the Secretary, National Tariff Commission, Tel: +92-51-9202839, Fax: +92-51-9221205. General information may also be obtained by visiting the Commission's official website [www.ntc.gov.pk](http://www.ntc.gov.pk)

By the Order of the Commission

Muhammad Shahid  
Secretary  
November 13, 2015