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Solar encapsulant anti-dumping probes to close by December 28

DGTR notifies three-month extensions of its anti-dumping probes on solar encapsulants from China and from South Korea, Thailand and Vietnam, to December 28, 2026.

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The notice states that the Central Government has extended the statutory time limit for completion of the investigation by a further period of three months, beyond September 28, 2026, up to December 28, 2026, under the applicable provisions of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975 and the Anti-Dumping Rules, 1995. The notice says the extension was granted by Office Memorandum No. CBIC-190349/54/2026-TRU dated August 21, 2026, issued by the Tax Research Unit (TRU), Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance. In line with that extension, the Designated Authority has revised the schedule, and the investigation shall now be concluded on or before December 28, 2026.

DGTR issued a matching notice the same day under F. No. 6/38/2025-DGTR for the anti-dumping investigation into "Solar Encapsulants" originating in or exported from South Korea, Thailand and Vietnam, Case No. AD(OI)-33/2025. It records that the Central Government extended that investigation's time limit by a further three months, beyond September 28, 2026, up to December 28, 2026, under the same Act and Rules. It says the extension was granted by Office Memorandum No. CBIC-190349/53/2026-TRU dated August 21, 2026, also issued by the Tax Research Unit, and that the investigation shall now be concluded on or before December 28, 2026.

Neither notice says when the investigation began or who applied for it. Apart from the completion date, neither sets dates for the remaining stages of the investigation or announces any other change. Both are signed by Anwesh Kumar Aileni, Deputy Secretary, DGTR.

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Document	Notice, F. No. 6/39/2025-DGTR
Dated	August 27, 2026
Case	Case No. AD(OI)-34/2025
Product	"Solar Encapsulants excluding EVA Encapsulants"
Origin	Originating in or exported from China

Extension	A further period of three months, granted by the Central Government
Granted by	Office Memorandum No. CBIC-190349/54/2026-TRU, dated August 21, 2026, Tax Research Unit, Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance, as the notice states
Time limit extended beyond	September 28, 2026
To be concluded	On or before December 28, 2026
Related	Notice F. No. 6/38/2025-DGTR, August 27, 2026: Case No. AD(OI)-33/2025, "Solar Encapsulants" from South Korea, Thailand and Vietnam, extended to December 28, 2026 by Office Memorandum No. CBIC-190349/53/2026-TRU of August 21, 2026
Addressed to	All interested parties
Signed by	Anwesh Kumar Aileni, IRSME, Deputy Secretary, DGTR

The two solar encapsulant investigations

Case No.	File No.	Product	Countries	TRU Office Memorandum	To be concluded
AD(OI)-34/2025	6/39/2025-DGTR	Solar Encapsulants excluding EVA Encapsulants	China PR	CBIC-190349/54/2026-TRU, August 21, 2026	On or before December 28, 2026
AD(OI)-33/2025	6/38/2025-DGTR	Solar Encapsulants	South Korea, Thailand and Vietnam	CBIC-190349/53/2026-TRU, August 21, 2026	On or before December 28, 2026

The notice (PDF, 94 KB)

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