

**(Unofficial Translation)**

**Announcement of the Office of the Board of Investment**

**No. Thor. 4/2545**

**Surcharge for Import of Cold-Rolled Sheets/Coils of Stainless Steel**

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As it is deemed appropriate to protect industries promoted by the Board of Investment, by virtue of Section 49 of the Investment Promotion Act B.E. 2520, the Board of Investment hereby announces the following criteria for the imposition of surcharges for import of cold-rolled sheets/coils of stainless steel:

1. Cold-rolled sheets/coils of stainless steel will be subject to import duty of 15% of CIF value. For details, please see the Customs Tariff Schedule attached to this announcement.
2. This announcement shall not apply to imported goods that will be used in the manufacture of products to be exported, irrespective of whether they are imported before or after the effective date of this announcement.
3. In cases where there is a question about whether imported goods are subject to this announcement, the Office of the Board of Investment is empowered to make the determination, and shall inform the Customs Department of the result of said determination.
4. This announcement shall come into force for a period of six months following the date of its publication in the Government Gazette.
5. The Board of Investment shall be authorized to alter or revoke this announcement at any time considered necessary by publishing an announcement in the Government Gazette.

Announced on January 25, 2002

Police Lieutenant Colonel  
(Thaksin Shinawatra)  
Prime Minister  
Chairman, Board of Investment

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**Details Attached to Board of Investment Announcement No. Thor. 4/2545  
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Customs Tariff	Standards and Levels of Quality		
	Japanese Standard ( JIS )	US Standards ( ASTM , SAE )	European Standards (EN, DN, BS)
7219.32, 7219.33, 7219.34, 7219.35  (width ≤ 1,265 mm.)	JIS G 4305 : SUS201, SUS202, SUS302, SUS302B, SUS304L, SUS304N1, SUS304N2, SUS304LN, SUS304J1, SUS304J2, SUS305, SUS309S, SUS310S, SUS316, SUS316L, SUS316N, SUS316LN, SUS316Ti, SUS316J1, SUS316J1L, SUS317, SUS317L, SUS317LN, SUS317J1, SUS317J2, SUS317J3L, SUS317J4L, SUS317J5L, SUS321, SUS347, SUSXM15J1, SUS 329J1, SUS329J3L, SUS329J4L, SUS405, SUS410L, SUS429, SUS434, SUS444, SUS447J1, SUSXM27, SUS403, SUS410, SUS410S, SUS420J1, SUS440A, SUS630, SUS631	AISI : AISI 201, AISI 202, AISI 302, AISI 302B, AISI 304L, AISI 304N, AISI 304LN, AISI 305, AISI 309S, AISI 310S, AISI 316, AISI 316L, AISI 316N, AISI 316LN, AISI 317, AISI 317L, AISI N08904, AISI 321, AISI 347, AISI 329, AISI S31803, AISI S31260, AISI 405, AISI 434, AISI 444, AISI 403, AISI 410, AISI 410S, AISI 420, AISI 440A, AISI S17400, AISI S17700	EN No. : 1.4372, 1.4373, 1.4307, 1.4306, 1.4311, 1.4303, 1.4401, 1.4436, 1.4404, 1.4432, 1.4435, 1.4406, 1.4429, 1.4571, 1.4438, 1.4434, 1.4439, 1.4539, 1.4541, 1.4550, 1.4381, 1.4462, 1.4507, 1.4002, 1.4510, 1.4511, 1.4113, 1.4513, 1.4521, 1.4006, 1.4000, 1.4021, 1.4109, 1.4542, 1.4568
	JIS G 4305 : SUS304 ๓๖ 2D , SUS304 ๓๖ 2B, SUS430 ๓๖ 2D, SUS 430 ๓๖ 2B  (thickness ≥ 0.30 mm. but ≤ 4.00 mm )	AISI : AISI 304 ๓๖ 2D , AISI 430 ๓๖ 2B AISI 430 ๓๖ 2D , AISI 430 ๓๖ 2B  (thickness ≥ 0.30 mm. but ≤ 4.00 mm. )	EN NO. : 1.4301 ๓๖ 2 D, 1.4301 ๓๖ 2B, 1.4016 ๓๖ 2 D, 1.4016 ๓๖ 2B  (thickness ≥ 0.30 mm. but ≤ 4.00 mm.)
	JIS G 4305 : SUS304 ๓๖ BA , SUS430 ๓๖ BA,  (thickness ≥ 0.30 mm. but ≤ 1.60 mm.)	AISI : AISI 304 ๓๖ BA , AISI 430 ๓๖ BA  (thickness ≥ 0.30 mm. but ≤ 1.60 mm.)	EN No. : 1.4301 ๓๖ BA, 1.4016 ๓๖ BA,  (thickness ≥ 0.30 mm. but ≤ 1.60 mm.)

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