

EXEMPT  
Sec. 15(1)

2. Proposals Relating to Injury Determinations

The same injury standard is applied in antidumping cases as in countervailing duty cases: there must be "a reasonable indication that . . . an industry in the United States . . . is materially injured, or . . . is threatened with material injury . . . by reason of imports of that merchandise . . . ."<sup>11</sup> Also as in countervailing duty cases, injury determinations are made by the independent ITC.

a. Alterations in Injury Standard

The proposals relating to modification of the injury standard in countervailing duty cases are also applicable in the antidumping context:

- The ITC could raise the level of injury needed for imposition of antidumping duties by requiring "serious injury" rather than "material injury" to the U.S. industry.

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<sup>11</sup> 19 U.S.C. § 1673(2).