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Anti-Dumping Commission

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The Commissioner, Anti-Dumping Commission, 55 Collins Street, Melbourne. Vic. 3000

17th December, 2015

Exemption Application

Dear Sir,

On behalf of ThyssenKrupp Mannex Pty.Ltd., I hereby apply under Sub-Section 8 (7) (b) & 10 (8) (aa) of the Customs Tariff (Anti-Dumping) Act 1975, for exemption of certain Hollow Structural Sections, from current Anti-Dumping measures.

The following details are supplied in support of this application:-

1. Applicant: ThyssenKrupp Mannex Pty.Ltd. ABN 18 003 229 294

2. <u>Address</u>: Level 4, Tower B, 799 Pacific Hwy., Chatswood. NSW. 2067

3. <u>Postal Address</u>: c/- Mr. Maurie Bilston, Xpress Trade Consulting, P.O. Box 474, Tullamarine. Vic. 3043

4. <u>Telephone</u>: 0408 488849

5. <u>Email</u>: <u>mbilston@xpresstrade.com.au</u>

6. <u>Applicant's Interest</u>: ThyssenKrupp Mannex Pty.Ltd. is an Importer of the subject goods

7. Other Parties having an Interest:

- Australian Tube Mills (ATM)
 Industrial Drive , Mayfield . NSW. 2304
- Orrcon Steel 121 Evans Rd., Salisbury . QLD. 4107
- Only possible Local Manufacturers
- ATM (formerly Onesteel/ATM) were the applicant for the subject Tariff Concession (see Attachment A) & neither Company produces the size range covered by the Concession.

8. Grounds on which Exemption is sought:

- Exemption 2 Paragraphs 8 (7) (b) & 10 (8) (aa) of the Customs Tariff (Anti-Dumping) Act 1975
- Tariff Concession TC 1332191is currently in place for the subject goods Copy at Attachment B

9. Evidence that all known Local Producers Contacted:

- Letters sent to ATM & Orrcon asking whether or not they support this application Copies at Attachment C
- These are the only two possible local manufacturers of this class of goods

10. Details of Current Measures:

- Certain Hollow Structural Sections exported from the Peoples Republic of China, the Republic of Korea, Malaysia & Taiwan
- Tariff Classifications 7306.30.00 statistical codes 31/37
 7306.61.00 statistical codes 21, 22 & 25
 7306.69.00 statistical code 10
- Copy of ACDN 2012/31 at Attachment D, announcing measures on July 3, 2012
- Copy of ACDN 2011/43 at Attachment E, announcing initiation of investigation please note application lodged by Onesteel Australian Tube Mills (now ATM)

11. <u>Description of Goods for which Exemption is sought</u>:

• Please see wording of Tariff Concession TC 1332191 (Attachment B)

12. Reasons for Seeking Exemption:

- A Tariff Concession now exists for the subject goods, attesting to the fact that no local manufacturer produces substitutable goods
- Both local manufacturers have made applications for Tariff Concession for these or similar goods - TC 1332191 & TC 1333313

- See Copy of Anti-Dumping Notice 2014/51 referring to Orrcon's application (Atachment F)
- ATM were the applicant for subject Concession see Attachment A
 So obviously out of their range
- Applicant has in hand an order from Onesteel Metalcentre for goods that comply with the wording of TC 1332191, again attesting to the fact that the goods are not available from local production (See Confidential Attachment G)

I look forward to this application receiving full & careful consideration & should any further information be required, please contact the writer.

Yours-Faithfully

Maurie Bilston

National Manager, Tariff & Trade

Xpress Trade Consulting

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CUSTOMS ACT 1901 - NOTICE PURSUANT TO SECTION 269K(1) - APPLICATIONS MADE FOR TARIFF CONCESSION ORDERS

Applications have been lodged for Tariff Concession Orders for the goods described in the following TABLE.

Australian manufacturers who wish to contest the granting of a Tariff Concession Order for the goods described are invited to lodge a submission in writing in an approved form. Submissions must be lodged within 50 days of the date of publication of this Notice.

The operative date (Op.) and TC reference number follow the description of goods.

To assist local manufacturers, the use(s) to which the goods can be put follow the description of goods.

Objections to the making of TCO submission forms are available at hyperlink http://www.customs.gov.au/webdata/resources/files/TYPABLEB4442001.pdf

For guidance on the required description style, phone 02 6275 6404, fax 02 6275 6376 or email tarcon@customs.gov.au.

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Description Customs Tari	of Goods including the ff Classification		Schedule 4 I	Item Number Duty Rate
3920.10.00	FILM, polyethylene, multi-layered, having ALL of the following: (a) thickness NOT less than 8 microns; (b) minimum stretch NOT less than 390%;		2 .	50
	(c) minimum width NOT less than 485 mm Op. 01.10.13	- TC	1333008	
	Stated Use: Used for packaging			
	Applicant: AAA PACKAGING SUPPLIES			5%
3920.51.00	SHEETS, hydrated alumina filled solid surface, having ALL of the following: (a) sheet thickness 6.00 mm OR 12.00 mm OR 19.00 mm; (b) acrylic polymer content NOT less than 40% and NOT greater than 45%; (c) hydrated alumina content NOT less than 55% and NOT greater than 60%			50
and the same of th	For the purpose of this Order, tolerances for (a) sheet thickness are ± -5 % Op. 26.09.13	- TC	1332623	
	Stated Use: For constructing kitchen and bathroom bench tops			
	Applicant: DASAN PTY LTD			5%

	3924.10.00	TABLEWARE AND/OR KITCHENWARE, being ANY of the following: (a) fondant decorating rolling pins; (b) cake fondant smoothers; (c) cake fondant imprint mats; (d) letter and number impressions; (e) fondant ribbon cutters; (f) cake decorating turntables; (g) fondant modelling tools; (h) silicone mats; (i) rolling pin guides Op. 02.10.13	- тс 1333178	50
		Stated Use: In home baking for shaping, modelling, cutting and decorating of cakes		
		Applicant: MEYER COOKWARE AUSTRALIA PTY LTD		5%
militin.	4202.31.90	CASES AND/OR COVERS AND/OR SLEEVES, TABLET COMPUTER, whether OR not incorporating a stand Op. 07.08.13	- TC 1326644	50
		Stated Use: For protection and storage of computer tablets		
		Applicant: BELKIN LIMITED		5%
	4202.91.90	CASES AND/OR COVERS AND/OR SLEEVES, TABLET COMPUTER, whether OR not incorporating a stand Op. 07.08.13	- TC 1326647	50
		Stated Use: For protection and storage of computer tablets		
		Applicant: BELKIN LIMITED		5%
	4202.99.00	CASES AND/OR COVERS AND/OR SLEEVES, TABLET COMPUTER, whether OR not incorporating a stand Op. 07.08.13	- TC 1326649	50
		Stated Use: For protection and storage of computer tablets		
		Applicant: BELKIN LIMITED		5%
-	4421.90.00	STICKS AND/OR STIRRERS, wood, being EITHER of the following: (a) ice cream sticks; (b) coffee stirrers	- TC 1332353	50
		Op. 23.09.13 Stated Use:		
		For ice cream sticks and coffee stirrers		5%
		Applicant: AUSTICKS PTY LTD		50
	4811.90.90	PAPER, metalized, weight NOT less than 55 gsm Op. $02.10.13$	- TC 1333173	
		Stated Use: In the manufacturing of beer labels		
		Applicant: LABELMAKERS GROUP PTY LTD		5%

	5407.72.00	SUNSCREEN FABRIC, polyvinyl chloride (PVC) coated polyester yarn, dyed, having ALL of the following: (a) 2x2 basket weave; (b) width NOT less than 2.5 m;		50
		(c) weight NOT less than 445 gsm and NOT greater than 595 gsm Op. 09.10.13	- TC 1333669	
		Stated Use: For manufacturing window blinds		
		Applicant: HUNTER DOUGLAS LIMITED		5%
	5407.73.00	SUNSCREEN FABRIC, polyvinyl chloride (PVC) coated polyester yarn, having ALL of the following: (a) 2x2 basket weave; (b) width NOT less than 2.25 m; (c) weight NOT less than 445 gsm and NOT greater than		50
		595 gsm; (d) yarns with more than one colour Op. 27.09.13	- TC 1332790	
-		Stated Use: For manufacturing of window blinds		
		Applicant: HUNTER DOUGLAS LIMITED		5%
	7306.30.00	CONDUIT TUBES, non-alloy steel, welded, complying with Australian/New Zealand standard 2053.7:2002 (AS/NZS 2053.7:2002), having BOTH of the following: (a) outside diameter NOT greater than 50 mm;		50
		(b) wall thickness NOT greater than 1.4 mm Op. 20.09.13	- TC 1332358	
		Stated Use: To protect electrical wiring for industrial/commercial installations		
		Applicant: SALAMANDER FITTINGS PTY LTD		5%
	7306.61.00	COLUMNS AND/OR BEAMS, hollow OR square OR rectangular shape, steel, complying with Australian/New Zealand Standard 1163:2009 grade C450L0 (AS/NZS 1163:2009 grade C450L0), having BOTH of the following: (a) silicon content NOT greater than 0.06%; (b) in EITHER of the following sizes: (i) outside perimeter NOT less than 950 mm; (ii) outside perimeter NOT less than 370 mm and thickness		50
b.,		NOT less than 8.1 mm Op. 20.09.13	- TC 1332191	
		Stated Use: For supporting building structures and manufacturing other steel products		
		Applicant: ONESTEEL AUSTRALIAN TUBE MILLS PTY LIMITED		5%
	7306.61.00	COLUMNS AND/OR BEAMS, hollow OR square OR rectangular shape, complying with Australian/New Zealand Standard 1163:2009 Grade C450L0 (AS/NZS 1163:2009 Grade C450L0), having BOTH of the following:		50
		(a) silicon content NOT greater than 0.06%; (b) outside perimeter NOT less than 720 mm Op. 20.09.13	- TC 1332192	
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Tariff Code: 7306.61.00 Reference No: 1332191 Schedule4 Item: 50

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- (b) in EITHER of the following sizes:
 - (i) outside perimeter NOT less than 950 mm;
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Op. 20.09.13

Dec. Date 16.12.13 - TC 1332191



The Product Manager Australian Tube Mills Industrial Drive, Mayfield . NSW. 2304

14th December, 2015

Dear Sir,

On behalf of my client, ThyssenKrupp Mannex Pty.Ltd., I wish to apply to the Anti-Dumping Commission for an exemption of goods the subject of Tariff Concession TC 1332191 from the current Anti-Dumping Measures which apply to Hollow Structural Sections. A Copy of the wording of this Concession is attached.

As this Concession was originally applied for by Onesteel/ATM, it would seem obvious that the sizes listed are not included in your manufacturing range.

Under the circumstances, would you please advise as to whether you will support our exemption application.

Yours Faithfully

Maurie Bilston

National Manager, Tariff & Trade,

Xpress Trade Consulting

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Op. 20.09.13

Dec. Date 16.12.13

- TC 1332191



The Product Manager Orrcon Steel 121 Evans Road, Salisbury. QLD.4107

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This Concession was originally applied for by Onesteel/ATM, & is similar to the one applied for by yourselves (TC 1333313). It would seem obvious that the sizes listed are not included in your manufacturing range.

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Op. 20.09.13

Dec. Date 16.12.13 - TC 1332191



AUSTRALIAN CUSTOMS DUMPING NOTICE NO. 2012/31

Certain Hollow Structural Sections

Exported from

The People's Republic of China, the Republic of Korea, Malaysia, Taiwan and the Kingdom of Thailand

Finding in relation to a dumping and subsidisation investigation

CUSTOMS ACT 1901 - PART XVB

The Australian Customs and Border Protection Service (Customs and Border Protection) has completed its investigation into the alleged dumping of certain hollow structural sections (HSS) exported to Australia from the People's Republic of China (China), the Republic of Korea (Korea), Malaysia, Taiwan and the Kingdom of Thailand (Thailand), and the alleged subsidisation of certain HSS exported to Australia from China.

The goods are classified to tariff subheadings 7306.30.00 (statistical codes 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36 and 37), 7306.61.00 (statistical codes 21, 22 and 25) and 7306.69.00 (statistical code 10) in Schedule 3 of the *Customs Tariff Act 1995*.

In International Trade Remedies Report No. 177 (REP 177) Customs and Border Protection recommended the publication of a dumping duty notice in respect of the goods exported to Australia from China, Korea, Malaysia and Taiwan and a countervailing duty notice in respect of the goods exported to Australia from China. REP 177 outlines the investigations carried out by Customs and Border Protection, a statement of the reasons for the recommendations contained in REP 177, material findings of fact or law on which Customs and Border Protection's recommendations were based and particulars of the evidence relied on to support the findings.

On 6 June 2012, Customs and Border Protection terminated its dumping investigation into the goods exported from Thailand and its subsidy investigation with respect to two Chinese exporters, Huludao City Steel Pipe Industrial Co., Ltd (Huludao) and Qingdao Xiangxing Steel Pipe Co., Ltd. (Qingdao Xiangxing). Termination Report No. 177 sets out the reasons for these terminations.

In REP 177, Customs and Border Protection found that:

HSS exported from China to Australia were:

dumped with margins ranging from 10.1% to 57.1%; and

 with the exception of two exporters, Huludao and Qingdao Xiangxing, subsidised with margins ranging from 2.2% to 54.8%;

- HSS exported from Korea to Australia were dumped with margins ranging from 3.2% to 8.9%;
- HSS exported from Malaysia to Australia were dumped with margins ranging from 3.0% to 20.0%:
- HSS exported from Taiwan to Australia were dumped with margins ranging from 2.4% to 5.3%;

- the dumped and subsidised exports caused material injury to the Australian industry producing like goods; and
- continued dumping and subsidisation may cause further material injury to the Australian industry.

Particulars of the dumping and countervailing margins established for each of the exporters are set out in the following tables:

Exporter	Dumping Margin	Subsidy Margin	Effective rate of combined interim countervalling duty and interim dumping duty*	
China				
Dalian Steelforce Hi-Tech Co. Ltd	13.4%	11.1%	All finishes	13.4%
Hengshui Jinghua Steel Pipe Co., Ltd	23.7%	4.6%	All finishes	23.7%
Huludao City Steel Pipe Industrial Co., Ltd	10.1%	Negligible	All finishes	10.1%
Qingdao Xiangxing Steel Pipe Co., Ltd	18.0%	Negligible	All finishes	18.0%
Zhejiang Kingland Pipeline & Technologies Co. Ltd	10.2%	2.2%	All finishes	10.7%
Jiedong Economic Development Testing Zone Tai Feng Qiao Metal Products Co., Ltd	32.0%	7.9%	All finishes	32.0%
Selected non-cooperating	57.1%	54.8%	Black	100.8%
exporters**			Pre- galvanised	43.9%
			Hot dipped galvanised	100.8%
			Painted	99.5%
			Other	43.9%

^{*} The calculation of combined dumping and countervailing duties is not simply a matter of adding the dumping and subsidy margins together for any given exporter, or group of exporters. Rather, the collective interim dumping duty and interim countervailing duty imposed in relation to HSS from China, is the sum of:

- the subsidy rate calculated for all countervailable programs, including 'Program 20 hot rolled steel provided by government at less than adequate remuneration'; and
- the dumping rates calculated, less an amount for the subsidy rate applying to Program
- ** Where the non-injurious price (NIP) is the operative measure, the lesser duty rule has taken effect to reduce the duties to a level sufficient to remove the injury caused by dumping and subsidisation. This happens only in the case of certain finishes for selected non-cooperating exporters from China. The operative measure in relation to selected non-cooperating Chinese exporters is a mixture of the NIP and normal value, depending on the finish category.

Exporter	Dumping Margin	
Korea		
Kukje Steel Co., Ltd	3.2%	
Selected non-cooperating exporters	8.9%	
Malaysia		
Alpine Pipe Manufacturing SDN	3.0%	
BHD		
Selected non-cooperating exporters	20.0%	

Taiwan		
Shin Yang Steel Co., Ltd	2.8%	
Ta Fong Steel Co., Ltd	2.4%	
Selected non-cooperating exporters	5.3%	

The Minister has accepted Customs and Border Protection's recommendations in relation to the alleged dumping of the goods from China, Korea, Malaysia and Taiwan and subsidisation of the goods exported to Australia from China contained in REP 177. Notice of the Minister's decision was published in *The Government Notices Gazette* and *The Australian* newspaper on 3 July 2012.

Measures apply to goods that are exported to Australia after publication of the Ministers notice. Any dumping securities that have been taken on and from 23 December 2011, will be converted to interim dumping duty. Importers will be contacted by the Regional Securities Officer in their respective capital city detailing the required conversion action for each security taken.

Anti-dumping duties apply to all HSS exported to Australia from China, Korea, Malaysia and Taiwan. Countervailing duties apply to all HSS exported to Australia from China, except HSS exported by Huludao and Qingdao Xiangxing.

To preserve confidentiality, the export price, normal value and non-injurious price will not be published. Bona fide importers of the goods can obtain details of the rates from the Dumping Liaison Officer in their respective capital city.

Interested parties may seek a review of this decision by lodging an application with the Trade Measures Review Officer in accordance with the requirements in Division 9 of Part XVB of the Act within 30 days of the publication of the Minister's notice (i.e by 2 August 2012).

REP 177 is available on the internet at www.customs.gov.au. Copies of REP 177 are also available on request from the International Trade Remedies Branch, Customs and Border Protection, by telephone (02) 6275 6547 or fax (02) 6275 6990.

Enquiries concerning this notice may be directed to the Case Manager on telephone (02) 6275 6173, fax (02) 6275 6990 or email itrops3@customs.gov.au.

KIM FARRANT National Manager International Trade Remedies Branch CANBERRA ACT

3 July 2012

¹ Under the terms of s45(3)(a) of the Act, a dumping security taken in respect of interim dumping duty that may be payable on goods shall be cancelled six months after the security was taken.



ANTI-DUMPING NOTICE NO. 2014/51

Certain Hollow Structural Sections

Exported to Australia from the People's Republic of China,

the Republic of Korea, Malaysia and Taiwan

Findings of an exemption inquiry

Customs Tariff (Anti-Dumping) Act 1975

I, Dale Seymour, the Commissioner of the Anti-Dumping Commission, have completed the exemption inquiry in relation to certain goods which are the subject of anti-dumping measures applying to certain hollow structural sections (HSS) exported to Australia from the People's Republic of China (China), the Republic of Korea (Korea), Malaysia and Taiwan.

The exemption was sought pursuant to paragraph 8(7)(b) and 10(8)(aa) of the *Customs Tariff (Anti-Dumping) Act 1975* (Dumping Duty Act). Under these provisions the Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Industry (Parliamentary Secretary) may exempt goods from interim dumping and countervailing duties where he is satisfied:

'that a Tariff Concession Order under Part XVA of the *Customs Act 1901* in respect of the goods is in force.'

The Anti-Dumping Measures

Anti-dumping measures, in the form of a dumping and countervailing duty notice, were initially imposed on HSS by public notice on 3 July 2012 by the relevant Minister following consideration of *International Trade Remedies Branch Report No. 177*.

The Goods

The goods subject to measures are:

'certain electric resistance welded pipe and tube made of carbon steel, comprising circular and non-circular hollow sections in galvanised and non-galvanised finishes. The goods are normally referred to as either CHS (circular hollow sections) or RHS (rectangular or square hollow sections). The goods are collectively referred to as HSS (hollow structural sections). Finish

types for the goods include in-line galvanised (ILG), pre-galvanised, hotdipped galvanised (HDG) and non-galvanised HSS.'

Sizes of the goods are, for circular products, those exceeding 21mm up to and including 165.1mm in outside diameter and, for oval, square and rectangular products those with a perimeter up to and including 1277.3mm. Categories of HSS excluded from the goods are conveyor tube; precision RHS with a nominal thickness of less than 1.6mm and air heater tubes to Australian Standard (AS) 2556. The following information clarifies the nature of the goods subject to measures.

Finishing

All HSS regardless of finish is included.

Non-galvanised HSS is typically of painted, black, lacquered or oiled finished coatings.

CHS with other than plain ends (such as threaded, swaged and shouldered) are also included.

Standards

HSS is generally produced to either the British Standard BS 1387 or the Australian Standard AS 1163 or international equivalent standards (including ASTM/JIS and KS).

HSS can also be categorised according to minimum yield strength. The most common classifications are 250 and 350 mega Pascals (MPa).

HSS may also be referred to as extra-light, light, medium or extra heavy according to its wall thickness.

Excluded goods

The following categories are excluded from the goods subject to measures:

- conveyor tube (made for high speed idler rolls on conveyor systems, with inner and outer fin protrusions removed by scarfing (not exceeding 0.1 mm on outer surface and 0.25 mm on inner surface), and out of round standards (i.e. ovality) which do not exceed 0.6 mm in order to maintain vibration free rotation and minimum wind noise during operation);
- precision RHS with a nominal thickness of less than 1.6mm (is not used in structural applications); and
- air heater tubes to AS.2556.

'Structural' sections

For clarification, the goods subject to the measures include all electric resistance welded pipe and tube made of carbon steel meeting the above description of the goods (and exclusions), regardless of whether or not the pipe or tube meets a

specific structural standard or is used in structural applications. The goods are currently classified to the tariff subheading 7306.61.00 (statistical codes 21, 22 and 25) of Schedule 3 to the *Customs Tariff Act 1995*.

The goods exported to Australia:

- from Korea and Taiwan are subject to a 5% rate of duty; and
- from China and Malaysia are subject to a 4% rate of duty.

The inquiry

An application was lodged by Orrcon Operations Pty Ltd (Orrcon).

I made a recommendation to the Parliamentary Secretary that the exemption be granted.

The Parliamentary Secretary has accepted the recommendation and has exempted the goods the subject of the application from dumping and countervailing duties through Exemption Instrument No. 3 of 2014.

The exemption is for goods covered by Tariff Concession Order TC 1333313, described as follows:

TUBES, square OR rectangular, electric resistance welded, complying with Australian/New Zealand Standard 1163:2009 (AS/NZS 1163:2009), Grade C350L0 OR C450L0, having EITHER (a) OR (b) AND (c), as follows:

- (a) silicon content plus 2.5 times the phosphorus content NOT greater than 0.09%;
- (b) silicon content greater than 0.14% and NOT greater than 0.24%;
- (c) perimeter NOT less than 720 mm.

A copy of the exemption instrument is available on the Anti-Dumping Commission's website (<u>www.adcommission.gov.au</u>).

Further Information

If importers believe that goods they are importing are exempted from dumping and countervailing duty in accordance with the exemption instrument, when they or their broker enter these goods for home consumption via the Integrated Cargo System, the exemption category 'GOODS' should be selected and no dumping or countervailing duties will be applied to the shipment.

Importers are eligible to seek refunds for dumping and countervailing duty paid on consignments of the exempted goods that were imported on or after 23 December 2013.

To facilitate the refunds process, importers are required to complete an Australian Customs and Border Protection Service (ACBPS) **B653 Refund Application** form.

This application form is accessible on the ACBPS website at www.customs.gov.au. Importers should contact the ACBPS National Refund Centre by email at nationalrefunds@customs.gov.au, or telephone number on 08 8447 9310, for advice on completing the refund application form, including the correct refund reason code to use.

The decision to grant the exemptions does not prevent further applications for exemptions from dumping duties being considered. Parties can apply for an exemption where they believe their goods satisfy any of the conditions for exemption detailed in subsection 8(7) or 10(8) of the Dumping Duty Act. Further information on the application process can be found at the Anti-Dumping Commission's website at: http://www.adcommission.gov.au/system/csi/exemption/how-to-apply.asp.

Anti-Dumping Commission contact

Enquiries about this notice may be directed to the Commission on 1300 884 159 for further information or by email clientsupport@adcommission.gov.au.

Dale Seymour Commissioner Anti-Dumping Commission

17 June 2014

ThyssenKrupp Mannex



ThyssenKrupp Mannex Pty. Ltd., Locked Bag 2103, North Sydney NSW 2059, Australia

The Commissioner, Anti-Dumping Commission 55 Collins Street Melbourne. Vic. 3000

15th December, 2015

Dear Sir,

This is to advise that Mr. Maurie Bilston of Xpress Trade Consulting is authorized to act on behalf of ThyssenKrupp Mannex Pty.Ltd., with regard to Applications for Exemption of goods from Anjti-Dumping Measures.

Yours Faithfully

ThyssenKrupp Mannex Pty.Ltd

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