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Subject: Dumping of Steel and Imported Products Fabricated dumped into the Country

The lack of work in manufacturing has now spilled into highly customised work. We have example of where whole steel structures worth hundreds of thousands of dollars are drawn fabricated painted and shipped to Australia.

They say they comply with our codes and we all know they don't the price is sharp they don't pay GST nor all the other taxes we pay and the quality is sub standard.

Imported steel we consume a significant amount and the quality is also substandard. They give you certificates to say they comply but the actual products fluctuate.

Time to slow down the rot and keep manufacturing in Australia a future for our kids.

Thanks Robert

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