



Dumping and Subsidy Investigation 691
Aluminium Windows and Doors
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File note

Meeting with Shenzhen Hongtai Doors and Windows Co., Ltd.

Shenzhen Hongtai Doors and Windows Co., Ltd (Hongtai) requested a meeting with the Anti-Dumping Commission (the commission) to discuss aspects of Investigation 691 (INV 691) in relation to dumping and subsidy investigation 691 into aluminium windows and doors (AWD, the goods) exported from the People's Republic of China (China). Hongtai manufacture the goods in China and exported the goods to Australia during the investigation period for investigation 691.

On 7 May 2026, the commission held a meeting at the commission's head office in Melbourne with representatives from Hongtai. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss Hongtai's response to the preliminary information request outlined in ADN 2025/115.¹

During the meeting Hongtai discussed the following:

- background as a long-standing supplier to the Australian market
- its commitment to engaging with the investigation and its willingness to assist the commission
- variations in Chinese supplier standards and the impact of low-cost materials and pricing on the Australian market, including opinions on potential regulatory and compliance processes to uphold standards
- queries regarding the investigation process, including clarification on the differences between the commission's treatment of cooperative and non-cooperative exporters.

The commission provided a general overview of the treatment of cooperative and non-cooperative exporters and noted that the Commissioner's preliminary findings relating to investigation 691 will be published in the statement of essential facts (SEF) which is currently due on 23 September 2026. The commission invited Hongtai to provide further information via submission and noted that Hongtai will have the opportunity to make submissions in response to the SEF. The commission also advised that it will consider any post SEF submissions when forming its final recommendations to the Minister.

¹ EPR 691, document no. 3