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Dear Sir/Madam

Review of Measures Investigation No. 509 – Government of Malaysia Questionnaire Response

I refer to the Government of Malaysia (“GOM”) questionnaire response (EPR Document No. 005) concerning the review of measures application by EverPress Aluminium Industries Sdn Bhd (“EverPress”), and the revocation application concerning countervailing measures by EverPress..

The GOM questionnaire confirms that it provides benefits to companies including the exemption from income and exemptions from income equivalent to capital expenditure incurred.

The purpose of the “Exemptions from Income” program (Program 1) is to provide applicant companies in Malaysia an incentive “*To encourage high impact, high value-added, and strategic investments that can contribute to the future growth and development of the economy*”. In respect of the “Exemption of Income Equivalent to Capital Expenditure Incurred” program (Program 2) , it is intended to “*encourage high impact, high-value-added and strategic investments that can contribute to the future growth and development of the economy*” also. Under this program, the benefit is an exemption from income equivalent to capital expenditure incurred, and the benefit is either a 60% or 100% value of qualifying capital expenditure incurred.

The GOM questionnaire states that the individual Malaysian companies possess the information as to whether they receive benefits from the GOC under the programs.

The GOM also provides double deduction incentive programs for:

- export credit insurance;
- freight assistance from Sabah or Sarawak; and
- insurance premiums for exporters and importers.

The double deduction program for export credit is intended to encourage exports from Malaysia. The freight assistance program from Sabah or Sarawak is aimed at encouraging shipments to the Malaysia mainland. The insurance premiums program is to encourage exporters and importers of goods.

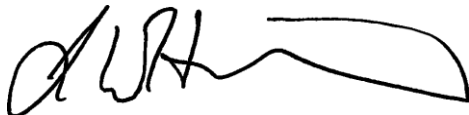
Aluminium extrusion manufacturers are considered to be eligible under Programs 1 and 2, as well as qualifying for double deductions under the export credit insurance and insurance programs.

Capral Limited ("Capral") acknowledges that the Malaysian exporter must indicate whether it is a recipient of benefits under the program. The Anti-Dumping Commission ("the Commission") is requested to fully assess whether EverPress has received benefits under the identified program(s) or whether it is likely to make an application under the programs (for future benefits).

Capral's understanding of the GOM questionnaire response is that Malaysian manufacturers of aluminium extrusions would be eligible to apply for benefits under the identified programs. As the Commission is now fully informed of the GOM's programs and eligibility criteria, it is a future important consideration in all anti-dumping and countervailing investigations involving aluminium extrusion exports to Australia from Malaysia.

If you have any questions concerning this submission, please do not hesitate to contact me on (02) 8222 0113 or Capral's representative Mr John O'Connor on (07) 3342 1921.

Yours sincerely

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