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***Investigation 584: Australian Industry response to extension of time granted to issue the Statement of Essential Facts and the Final Report***

We received your submission to the Anti-Dumping Commission (**the commission**) dated 22 December 2022 regarding the extension of time granted to issue the Statement of Essential Facts (**SEF**) and Final Report for Investigation 584 into Merchant Bar exported from Taiwan. It will be published on our website.

The commission published its reasons for an initial extension of time in respect of Investigation 584 on 20 September 2021 in Anti-Dumping Notice (**ADN**) No. 2021/125.

The reasons for the second extension, to which your submission refers, are set out in ADN 2021/153, published on 20 December 2021, that is, “Due to delays in completing the remote Australian industry verification, and in order to fully consider issues raised by interested parties in this investigation”.

The extension decision was made in accordance with section 269ZHI(3) of the *Customs Act 1901* (Cth) and the Customs (Extensions of Time and Non-cooperation) Direction 2015. The commission recognises the importance of its decisions and their timeliness to stakeholders.

The Commissioner must reconsider whether or not to make a preliminary affirmative determination (PAD) at least once prior to the publication of the SEF required under section 269TDAA of the Act. The Commissioner will reconsider the making of a PAD in accordance with the requirements of the Customs (Preliminary Affirmative Determinations) Direction 2015.

Enquiries about this investigation may be directed to the case manager by email at [investigations3@adcommission.gov.au](mailto:investigations3@adcommission.gov.au).

Yours sincerely

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