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Application for the  
continuation of a dumping  
and/or  
countervailing notice  
or  
continuation of an undertaking

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# APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 269ZHC OF THE *CUSTOMS ACT 1901* FOR THE CONTINUATION OF A DUMPING AND/OR COUNTERVAILING DUTY NOTICE OR CONTINUATION OF AN UNDERTAKING

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I hereby request, in accordance with section 269ZHC of the *Customs Act 1901* (the Act) that the Minister:

- continue a dumping duty notice, or
- continue a countervailing duty notice, or
- continue the undertaking given under the Act by

  
(Name of company or organisation)

in respect of the goods the subject of this application.

I believe that the information contained in this application:

- provides reasonable grounds for continuation of the anti-dumping measure; and
- is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature:

Name:



Position:

**Manager – Trade Affairs**

Company:

BlueScope Steel Limited

ABN:

16 000 011 058

Date

26 November 2021

**Signature requirements**

Where the application is made:

*By a company* - the application must be signed by a director, servant or agent acting with the authority of the body corporate.

*By a joint venture* - a director, employee, agent of each joint venturer must sign the application. Where a joint venturer is not a company, the principal of that joint venturer must sign the application form.

*On behalf of a trust* - a trustee of the trust must sign the application.

*By a sole trader* - the sole trader must sign the application.

*In any other case* - contact the Commission's client support section for advice.

**Assistance with the application**

The Anti-Dumping Commission has published guidelines to assist applicants with the completion of this application. Please refer to the '*Instructions and Guidelines for applicants: Application for continuation*' on the Commission's website.

The Commission's client support section can provide information about dumping and countervailing procedures and the information required by the application form. Contact the team on:

**Phone:** 13 28 46

**Fax:** (03) 8539 2499

**Email:** clientsupport@adcommission.gov.au

Other information is available from the Commission's website at [www.adcommission.gov.au](http://www.adcommission.gov.au)

Small and medium enterprises (i.e., those with less than 200 full-time staff, which are independently operated and which are not a related body corporate for the purposes of the *Corporations Act 2001*), may obtain assistance, at no charge, from the Department of Industry, Innovation and Science's International Trade Remedies Advisory (ITRA) Service. For more information on the ITRA Service, visit [www.business.gov.au](http://www.business.gov.au) or telephone the ITRA Service Hotline on +61 2 6213 7267.

**Required information**

**1. Provide details of the name, street and postal address, of the applicant seeking the continuation.**

The Applicant seeking the continuation of anti-dumping measures on exports of Hot Rolled Coil steel ("the subject goods" and/or "HRC") from Taiwan is BlueScope Steel Limited ("BlueScope"); the sole Australian manufacturer of HRC steel products.

BlueScope's address and contact details are as follows:

**Head Office**

BlueScope Steel Limited  
Five Islands Road  
PORT KEMBLA, NSW, 2500

**2. Provide details of the name of a contact person, including their position, telephone number and facsimile number, and e-mail address.**

**Primary Contact**



**Alternative Contact**



**3. Provide the names, addresses, telephone numbers and facsimile numbers of other parties likely to have an interest in this matter e.g. Australian manufacturers, importers, exporters, users.**

The following parties are likely to have an interest in this matter:

Exporters:

*Taiwan:*

- China Steel Corporation  
1 Chung Kang Road, Hsiao Kang  
Kaohsiung City 81233  
Taiwan, Republic of China  
Tel: (886) 7 802 1111  
Fax: (886) 7 537 3570
- Chung Hung Steel Corporation  
317 Yu Liao Road, Chiao Tu District  
Kaohsiung City 82544  
Taiwan, Republic of China  
Tel: (886) 611 7171
- Shang Chen Steel Co., Ltd  
7 Tayeh South Road  
Hsiaokang  
Kaohsiung City 81261  
Taiwan, Republic of China  
Tel: (886) 7 8716 911  
Fax: (886) 7 8720 008

Importers

- Marubeni-Itochu Steel Oceania Pty Ltd (MISO)  
P O Box 16055  
Melbourne Victoria 3007  
Phone - 03-9242 1500  
Fax - 03-9242 1599  
[www.benichu.com.au](http://www.benichu.com.au)

- MinMetals Australia Pty Ltd  
580 St Kilda Road  
Melbourne Victoria 3001  
Tel: (03) 9520 6810  
Fax: (03) 9521 1815  
[www.minmetals.com.au](http://www.minmetals.com.au)
- Stemcor Australia Pty Ltd  
Level 13, 15 Blue Street  
North Sydney NSW 2060  
Phone - 02-9959 3088  
Fax - 02-9925 0844
- Toyota Tsusho (Australasia) Pty Ltd  
231-233 Boundary Road  
Laverton North Vic 3026  
Phone - 03-8368 7991  
Fax - 03-8368 7999
- Wright Steel Pty Ltd  
Suite 201, 254 Bay Road  
Sandringham Vic 3191  
Phone - 03-9598 0050  
Fax - 03-9597 0050
- GS Global Australia Pty Ltd  
Lvl 38, 100 Miller Street  
North Sydney, NSW. 2060  
Phone – 02-9954 0911  
Fax – 02-9954 0919
- CMC (Australia) Pty Ltd  
118 Dowd Street  
Welshpool, WA 6986  
Phone – 08-9258 6066  
Fax – 08-9258 6366
- Ferropacific  
Suite 5/9-11 Knox Street  
Double Bay, NSW 2028  
Phone – 02-9363 3513
- ThyssenKrupp Mannex Pty Ltd  
Locked Bag 2103 Pacific Highway  
North Sydney NSW 2059  
Phone – 02-995 50978  
Fax – 02-9925 0084  
[www.tk-mannex.com/english/](http://www.tk-mannex.com/english/)
- Amity Pacific  
PO Box 1015, Suite 301, 270 Pacific Highway  
Crows Nest, NSW 1585  
Australia  
Phone: +61 (2) 9439 1300

Fax: +61 (2) 9439 1344  
[www.amitypacific.com.au](http://www.amitypacific.com.au)

- 4. The application must include a detailed statement setting out reasons for seeking continuation of the anti-dumping measure. Applicants must provide evidence addressing whether, in the absence of measures, dumped or subsidised imports would cause material injury to the local industry producing like goods. Applicants should refer to the “Guidelines for Preparing an Application for Continuation of Measures” for assistance.**

Please refer Attachment A.

- 5. The applicant must provide details of the current anti-dumping measure(s) the subject of this continuation application, including:**
- **tariff classification**
  - **the countries or companies**
  - **specified date of publication of the measure**

The anti-dumping measures were initially imposed by public notice on 20 December 2012 by the then Minister for Home Affairs, following consideration of International Trade Remedies Branch Report No. 188 (“Report No. 188”).

The goods subject to the anti-dumping measures are as follows:

*Hot rolled coil (including in sheet form), a flat rolled product of iron or non-alloy steel, not clad, plated or coated (other than oil coated).*

*Goods excluded from this application are hot rolled products that have patterns in relief (known as checker plate) and plate products.*

There are a number of relevant international standards for HRC that cover the range of HRC products via specific grade designations, including the recommended or guaranteed properties of each of these product grades. The relevant Australian Standard is AS/NZS 1594.

Hot rolled sheet that is 4.75mm (3/16th of an inch) thick or more is considered to be plate and is therefore not covered by the notice. Hot rolled sheet that is below 4.75mm thick is included within the goods description.

The goods the subject of the measures are classified using the following tariff sub-headings and associated statistical codes:

Tariff subheading	Statistical codes
7208.25.00	32
7208.26.00	33
7208.27.00	34
7208.36.00	35
7208.37.00	36
7208.38.00	37
7208.39.00	38
7208.53.00	42
7208.54.00	43
7208.90.00	39
7211.14.00	40
7211.19.00	41

The anti-dumping measures imposed by the then Minister for Home Affairs applied to all exporters from Japan, The Republic of Korea, Malaysia and Taiwan.

Continuation Inquiry No. 400 concluded that the anti-dumping measures should only continue for Taiwan (with effect from 16 December 2017)<sup>1</sup>. Review Inquiry No. 454 then amended the variable factors that applied to Taiwanese exporters of HRC (effective 18 September 2018)<sup>2</sup>. Subsequent Review Inquiry No. 528 further amended these Taiwanese variable factors (effective 16 September 2020).<sup>3</sup>

BlueScope nominates a continuation period of the twelve months ending 30 September 2021.

**Provision of data**

Industry financial data must, wherever possible, be submitted in an electronic format.

- The data should be submitted on a media format compatible with Microsoft Windows.
- Microsoft Excel, or an Excel compatible format, is required.
- If the data cannot be presented electronically please contact the Commission's client support section for advice.

**Lodgement of the application**

This application, together with the supporting evidence, must be lodged in the manner approved by the Commissioner under subsection 269SMS(2) of the Act. The Commissioner has approved lodgement of this application by either:

- preferably, email, using the email address [clientsupport@adcommission.gov.au](mailto:clientsupport@adcommission.gov.au), or
- post to:  
  
The Commissioner of the Anti-Dumping Commission  
GPO Box 2013  
Canberra ACT 2601, or
- facsimile, using the number (03) 8539 2499.

**Public Record**

During an investigation all interested parties are given the opportunity to

<sup>1</sup> Refer ADN 2017/166.

<sup>2</sup> Refer ADN 2018/126.

<sup>3</sup> Refer ADN 2020/092.

defend their interests, by making a submission. The Commission maintains a public record of these submissions. The public record is available on the Commission's website at [www.adcommission.gov.au](http://www.adcommission.gov.au).

At the time of making the application both a confidential version (for official use only) and non-confidential version (public record) of the application must be submitted. Please ensure each page of the application is clearly marked "FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY" or "PUBLIC RECORD". The non-confidential application should enable a reasonable understanding of the substance of the information submitted in confidence. If you cannot provide a non-confidential version, contact the Commission's client support section for advice.