



Aluminium Windows and Doors

Exported From the People's Republic of China

Investigation No [691](#) into Alleged Dumping and Subsidisation

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

What types of aluminium windows and doors are subject to anti-dumping measures?

From 15 October 2026, securities apply to goods classified as aluminium doors and windows. Details of the goods subject to the securities, including the scope of the goods covered and any exclusions, are available in the Australian Trade Remedies Commission's [Dumping Commodity Register](#) under Aluminium window and doors.

The Commission is unable to determine whether specific goods are subject to the measures on behalf of importers. Importers are responsible for assessing whether their goods fall within the scope of the measures based on the goods description published in the Dumping Commodity Register.

Where an importer determines that their goods are not covered by the goods description, exemption type "Goods" may be used. The use of exemption codes is subject to compliance monitoring by the Australian Border Force (ABF).

My goods were exported before the effective date of the securities, do I still need to pay?

Goods that have a day of exportation prior to securities coming into effect may not be subject to securities. Goods that were ordered or paid for before the effective date, but not exported until after, remain subject to securities.

Importers or customs brokers should email a request to the Commission's Client Support team on clientsupport@atrc.gov.au with the relevant transport documentation, demonstrating that the goods were exported before the commencement date of the securities.

After satisfactory review, the Client Support team will issue a with Dumping Specification Number (DSN) of which can be used for that shipment as no security is required.



How do I obtain a Security ID and lodge an import declaration for goods subject to dumping securities?

National Temporary Imports and Securities (NTIS) will only provide general advice to imports which is also available on our ABF webpage [Temporary Imports](#)

NTIS will not provide specific advice on how to treat temporary imports. Should you require specific lodgement advice in relation to your import please speak to a [licenced customs broker](#).

You should read and review the relevant information and factsheets before contacting NTIS or lodging an online Anti-Dumping security application.

Required documents for lodgement to the ABF/NTIS portal

The following information and supporting documentation are **mandatory** and must accompany the application at the time of submission. Failure to provide all required information and documents will result in the application being deemed incomplete. The Australian Border Force will not be responsible for any delays in assessment, clearance processing, or related outcomes arising from the submission of an incomplete application.

- Review the [Current measures in the dumping commodity register \(DCR\) | Department of Industry Science and Resources](#) to self-assess the goods and verify the correct Dumping Specification Number (DSN) and export price terms (FOB, Cash / FOB Credit)
- Provide a **screen shot** of the pre-lodge containing DSN and Dumping Export Price (DXP) from the Integrated Cargo System (ICS).
- Provide the commercial invoice with Incoterms, packing list and waybill for the arriving consignment(s)
- Confirm whether there are any credit terms between the supplier and importer. If the commercial invoice does contain this information, the broker must adjust the DXP accordingly on the pre-lodge and subsequent Lines/entries.
- If required, request the confidential Ascertained Export Price (AEP) from the Australian Trade Remedies Commission (ATRC) for the supplier(s) of relevance at clientsupport@atrc.gov.au
- Provide a copy of your security calculations to substantiate the total security liability for the current consignment(s). Refer to the relevant [measures in the dumping commodity register \(DCR\) | Department of Industry Science and](#)



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[Resources](#) for information on applicable Incoterms adjustments and the calculation of DSA/CSA liabilities.

Lodgement

All documented security applications are required to be lodged via the ABF online web portal [Apply for a Temporary Import](#)

Emails requests for a dumping security will not be responded to.

The Australian Border Force strongly recommends using a professional licensed customs broker to navigate and manage your Temporary Importations.

[Find a licenced Customs Broker](#)

Type of security

The required security may take the form of an undertaking, cash security, or a bank guarantee or a combination of these. Importers or brokers may complete and submit a dumping security undertaking form when lodging an import declaration for goods subject to securities through the online ABF portal. The acceptance of the undertaking is at the discretion of the ABF.

[1485 - Undertaking to the Department of Home Affairs Section 42 - Interim Dumping Duty and/or Interim Countervailing Duty](#)

Applications that do not contain all required information and supporting documentation will be considered incomplete. Once a complete application has been received, NTIS will determine the type and amount of security required, which may be an undertaking, cash security, or a bank guarantee or a combination of these. If a cash security is imposed the Department of Home Affairs also accepts VISA/MasterCard and BPay.

Will securities collected under the PAD become final duties?

The PAD represents a preliminary finding. Any final outcome will be determined following completion of the investigation.

Securities provided during the investigation period will be reconciled once Interim Dumping Duties (IDD) and Interim Countervailing Duties (ICD) are imposed and paid, where applicable.

Following the Minister's final determination, the amount payable for the security period will be the lower of:

- the security amount or;
- the applicable IDD and ICD amount.



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Information on calculating security amounts is available on the [Dumping Commodity Register](#) under Aluminium Windows and Doors. Securities are ad valorem and are calculated as a percentage of the Dumping Export Price (DXP), meaning no confidential duty rates need to be requested.

The ABF will contact each affected importer or customs broker with instructions regarding consignments or shipments subject to securities during the investigation period. These instructions will cover cancellation and release of the security.

Securities held are not used to pay IDD or ICD. Any Bank Guarantees are returned, and cash securities are refunded once all entries are finalised and IDD/ICD is paid.

Dumping and Countervailing duties

You can find further information at [Dumping and countervailing duties](#)

Are all exporters from China subject to securities?

Exempted suppliers are listed in the Dumping Commodity Register. Exemption type “Supplier” can be used when a supplier is listed as exempt. Any use of exemption codes will be monitored for compliance by the Australian Border Force.

How do I determine which exporter rate applies to my imports?

Applicable rates are published in the PAD and the Dumping Commodity Register. Importers should confirm the identity of the relevant exporter and review the published information to determine the applicable rate.

I have ordered from a supplier and not the exporter, how do I access the exporter security rates?

Where the exporter is listed in the Dumping Specification Number (DSN) table in the Dumping Commodity Register (DCR), but the supplier is not, the importer or their agent may ask the Australian Trade Remedies Commission (ATRC) to link the supplier to the exporter’s dumping duty rate.

The ATRC will only establish this link where the commercial relationship between the exporter and supplier is ongoing.

Guidelines and application forms are available on our website - [Request to link a supplier to an exporter](#)

For the ATRC to process such a request, the importer must provide supporting commercial documentation relating to the relevant importation. The documentation



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must substantiate the complete export supply chain, linking the exporter to the supplier and then the importer. Documentation required is as follows:

- commercial invoices, must include from exporter to supplier, supplier to importer
- packing list
- bill of lading
- sales order/contract
- mill certificate
- certificate of origin
- contact email address of the manufacturer to substantiate the relationship

In addition, the ATRC will contact the exporter independently and request written confirmation of the export/supplier relationship.

Once all documentation and the application form have been completed, send to clientsupport@atrc.gov.au.

Once analysis of the request is concluded satisfactorily with delegate approval the Customs Client Identifier (CCID) of the supplier will be linked to the exporter DSN and the importer may declare the import using this DSN.

This process may take approximately 5 business days once all documentary evidence has been provided and the exporter has confirmed the relationship.

Engaging with the Investigation

The Statement of Essential Facts (SEF) sets out the Commissioner's preliminary findings and provides interested parties with an opportunity to comment on those preliminary findings before a recommendation is made to the Minister. Interested parties have 20 days to respond to the SEF.

The Commissioner will consider these submissions in making their final report to the Minister. The Commissioner is not obliged to have regard to any submission made in response to the SEF received after 3 November 2026, if to do so would, in the opinion of the Commissioner, prevent the timely preparation of the report to the Minister. The final report will recommend whether or not a dumping duty notice or countervailing duty notice should be published, and the extent of any interim duties that are, or should be, payable. The Commissioner must provide a report to the Minister by 16 December 2026.

Submissions should be emailed to Investigations1@atrc.gov.au
Information on how to lodge submissions is [here](#).



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