Rosebud Windows Pty Ltd

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Australian Trade Remedies Commission
Investigations 1
GPO Box 1632
Melbourne VIC 3001

Re: Investigation No. 691 – Aluminium Windows and Doors from China

Dear Director,

Support for Statement of Essential Facts No. 691

I am writing on behalf of Rosebud Windows Pty Ltd, an Australian manufacturer/fabricator of aluminium windows and doors operating in Victoria, Australia

We support the findings in Statement of Essential Facts No. 691 and the ongoing efforts of the Australian Glass and Window Association (AGWA) and the Australian industry applicants to achieve a fair and level playing field for Australian manufacturers.

In particular, we support the Commissioner's preliminary findings that aluminium windows and doors exported from China were dumped, that the Australian industry has suffered material injury as a result of dumped and subsidised imports, and that dumping and subsidisation may continue.

As an Australian fabricator, we believe Australian manufacturers are capable of supplying aluminium windows and doors across a broad range of residential and commercial applications. We support the finding that the Australian industry is not confined to Class 1 buildings and supplies products across Class 1 to Class 9 buildings.

Our experience is that Australian manufacturers are prepared to compete on quality, service, compliance, capability and price. However, that competition needs to occur on fair terms.

In our own business, competition from imported aluminium windows and doors from China has affected us through lost projects. We have been unable to meet the severely undercut prices, however, have only had the builder / owner return to us to complete modifications, repairs or alterations as the product is not acceptable or fit for purpose. We have regularly been requested to provide glazing & compliance certificates for energy & BAL compliance on products that are not ours.

We therefore support the imposition of effective measures that address the injurious effects of dumping and subsidisation and allow Australian manufacturers to compete on a fair and sustainable basis.

We also support AGWA continuing to represent the interests of Australian fabricators through the remainder of this investigation and in responding to the matters arising from the SEF.

This investigation is important to our business and to the future competitiveness of Australian window and door manufacturing. We encourage the Commission to ensure that the final measures provide a meaningful and durable level playing field for Australian industry.

Yours sincerely,

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