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**Transition review of anti-dumping and countervailing measures**

**Cases TD0008 and TS0009: Continuous filament glass fibre products originating in the People’s Republic of China**

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| **Period of Investigation:** | 01 January 2020 – 31 December 2020 |
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| **Injury Period:** | 01 January 2017 – 31 December 2020 |
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| **Deadline for response:** | 13 February 2021 |
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| **Case Team Contact:** | Dumping: TD0008@traderemedies.gov.ukCountervailing Measures: TS0009@traderemedies.gov.uk  |
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| **Completed on behalf of:** | Composites UK Ltd |

When you have completed this form, indicate the confidentiality of this document by placing an X in the relevant box below:

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Please note that you will have to provide **two copies of your response to each of the cases separately**. This means you will need to upload a Confidential and a Non-Confidential version to the dumping case (TD00008) **and** a Confidential and Non-Confidential version to the countervailing measures case (TS0009). This means there should be a total of four uploads.

All copies should be returned to TRID using the Trade Remedies Service ([www.trade-remedies.service.gov.uk](http://www.trade-remedies.service.gov.uk)) by **13 February 2021.**

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## The scope of this review

**Goods subject to review**

This review covers continuous filament glass fibre products originating in the People’s Republic of China, described as:

* **chopped glass fibre strands, of a length not more than 50 mm;**
* **glass fibre rovings, excluding glass fibre rovings which are impregnated and coated and have a loss on ignition of more than 3 % (as determined by the ISO Standard 1887); or,**
* **mats made of glass fibre filaments excluding mats of glass wool.**

These continuous filament glass fibre products are currently classifiable within the following commodity codes (CN codes):

* 7019 11 00
* ex 7019 12 00 (TARIC 7019 12 00 22, 7019 12 00 25, 7019 12 00 26, 7019 12 00 39)
* 7019 31 00.

These commodity codes are only given for information.

In this pre-sampling questionnaire, these goods will be referred to as ‘the goods subject to review’. Any reference to ‘goods subject to review’ in this pre-sampling questionnaire refers to the goods description above, regardless of the commodity codes under which they are imported.

**Like goods**

Any reference to ‘like goods’ in this pre-sampling questionnaire refers to goods produced in the UK or imported into the UK from a country other than the People’s Republic of China which are like the goods subject to review in all respects, or with characteristics closely resembling them.

**Please follow the instructions for each question to provide the appropriate information regarding the goods subject to review or like goods.**

## Instructions

The Trade Remedies Investigations Directorate (TRID) of the United Kingdom’s Department for International Trade will be carrying out a transition review of each trade remedy measure active under the EU system that the United Kingdom (UK) has decided to transition after EU exit. This transition review will consider whether the anti-dumping and/or countervailing measures for continuous filament glass fibre products from the People’s Republic of China are necessary or sufficient to offset dumping and/or subsidisation, and whether there would be injury to the UK industry if these measures were removed.

###  I - Why you are being asked to complete this pre-sampling questionnaire

We are seeking your cooperation as a contributorto inform our review of whether the current anti-dumping and/or countervailing measures should be maintained, varied or discontinued.

This pre-sampling questionnaire allows us to collect basic information and data about your organisation.

For more information about this case, you may refer to the Notice of Initiation published at: [www.trade-remedies.service.gov.uk/public/cases](http://www.trade-remedies.service.gov.uk/public/cases).

### II – Who should complete this form

You should complete this form if you are interested in being a contributor to the transition review and you are not a producer, importer or exporter of the goods subject to review or like goods.

### III – Deadline for response

A completed pre-sampling questionnaire must be submitted to TRID by no later than the **13 February 2021***.* If you are unable to provide a completed submission by the given due date and you wish to request an extension, please contact the case team as follows: TD0008@traderemedies.gov.uk (dumping) or TS0009@traderemedies.gov.uk (countervailing measures).

### IV – Note about confidentiality

You will need to submit one confidential version and one non-confidential version of your pre-sampling questionnaire by the due date. Please ensure that each page of information you provide is clearly marked either “Confidential” or “Non-Confidential” in the header. It is your responsibility to ensure that the non-confidential version does not contain any confidential information.

Please see <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/the-uk-trade-remedies-investigations-process/an-introduction-to-our-investigations-process#how-we-handle-confidential-information> for further information on what can be considered confidential and how to prepare a non-confidential version of this questionnaire.

All information provided to TRID in confidence will be treated accordingly and only used for this investigation (except in limited circumstance as permitted by regulation 46 of the Trade Remedies (Dumping and Subsidisation) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019) and will be stored in protected systems. The non-confidential version of your submission will be placed on the public file, which is available on [**www.trade-remedies.service.gov.uk/public/cases**](http://www.trade-remedies.service.gov.uk/public/cases)**.**

### V – Period of Investigation

The Period of Investigation (POI) referred to in this pre-sampling questionnaire is: **01/01/2020 to 31/12/2020**.

### VI – Injury Period

The Injury Period referred to in this pre-sampling questionnaire is: **01/01/2017 to 31/12/2020**.

## Section A – Your organisation’s interests in the case

To register your organisation’s interest in this case, please complete the text boxes below. To determine whether your company is defined as an interested party or contributor for the purpose of this review, please select the activity/activities of your company below. For a definition of goods subject to review/like goods please refer to the section above on ‘the scope of this review’.

Please describe the role of your organisation with regards to the goods subject to review or the like goods:

*Composites UK is the UK trade association for the composites industry representing the whole supply chain from material supplier through manufacturer to end-user.*

*Glass fibre and its products are widely used within our sector and account for around 85-90% of the total volume of composite product made in the UK.*

*We would not take a formal view on the outcome of the review as we represent both producers of glass fibre as well as users.*

Please describe your interest in this case:

*Our interest in this case is to keep up-to-date on the progression of the review, encourage our relevant member companies to get involved as contributors.*

## Section B – Additional Information

Use the box at the end of this section to provide any other relevant information which you think would be useful to help our investigation.

This may include:

* other interested parties you believe should receive a questionnaire;
* any initial views you have about the possible existence of a particular market situation in the domestic market of the exporting country or territory such as:
	+ situations/distortions in the domestic market of the exporting country where prices are artificially low;
	+ significant barter trade;
	+ prices reflect non-commercial factors; or
	+ any other reason

which means it is not appropriate to use the comparable price to determine the normal value of the goods subject to review; or

* the scope of the investigation; or
* anything else you consider relevant.

*Nothing to add here*

In addition, as part of this review, we will conduct an Economic Interest Test to assess whether a measure is in the economic interest of the UK. As part of this process, we would like your help to identify upstream and downstream industries which may wish to contribute to our review. If possible, please provide the names and contact information for any UK-based companies operating upstream or downstream in the supply chain for the like goods or goods subject to review.

*Nothing to add here*

## Section C – Certification

The undersigned certifies that the information supplied herein is correct and complete to the best of their knowledge and belief.

The undersigned certifies that they have the authority to supply the information contained herein on behalf of Click or tap here to enter text..

Signature (including e-signature):

Name:

Position at company: Operations Manager

Date: 13 February 2021