



**Shoalhaven  
Manufacturers  
Association Inc.**

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Herb Plunkett  
Assistant Commissioner  
Productivity Commission  
PO Box 80  
BELCONNEN ACT 2616

Dear Mr Plunkett

**Review of Australia's General Tariff Arrangements**

Thank you for the opportunity to register to be kept informed about the above inquiry's progress, which we look forward to receiving.

The Shoalhaven Manufacturers Association would like to express its concern about the often one-sidedness of global marketing. Eg. tariffs in the USA to protect their primary producers. We urge you to be cautious to protect Australia's real interests when tariff barriers come down - not those interests of the political party in power at any one time.

Yours sincerely

Lyn Eckersley  
Executive Officer