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**Your Ref:** **Email:** [name]@vvgb-law.com **Date:** 12 October 2026
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**Subject:** **AD0075 – Anti-dumping investigation concerning boom lifts imported into the United Kingdom from the People's Republic of China – Request for extension by the Dingli Group**

Dear AD0075 Team,

We refer to the Statement of Essential Facts ("SEF") published on 5 October 2026, by which the essential facts and considerations on the basis of which the Trade Remedies Authority ("TRA") proposes to impose definitive anti-dumping measures on imports of boom lifts originating in the People's Republic of China ("China") were disclosed to our client, Zhejiang Dingli Machinery Co., Ltd. ("Dingli") and its related company Dingli Machinery UK Ltd. ("Dingli UK"), collectively referred to as "Dingli Group". For Dingli, the proposed dumping margin (and duty) is 21.1%. We also refer to your email of 6 October 2026, sent in response to our request of 5 October 2026 and providing a non-confidential version of the calculations underlying that amount. The deadline for submitting comments on the SEF is 20 October 2026.

Our client thanks the TRA for the opportunity to comment on the SEF and would be most grateful if the TRA could extend the deadline for submitting comments by **six days**, i.e., until Monday, **26 October 2026**.

The reason for requesting this extension is that the SEF and the calculations were received during China's National Day holiday ("Golden Week"), which ran from 1 to 7 October 2026. Dingli's premises were closed throughout that period. As the holiday ended mid-week, many of Dingli's employees took leave on 8 and 9 October 2026 to bridge the gap until the weekend and only returned to the office today, 12 October 2026. As a result, a substantial part of the period available for comments has already been lost.

In addition, the methodology used to calculate Dingli's dumping margin in the SEF differs from that applied at the provisional stage. Our client therefore needs time to understand and assess the revised calculations. This is all the more important as the SEF may be the last opportunity for the Dingli Group to comment before the TRA makes its final recommendation to the Secretary of

State. Additional time is thus required to carry out the analysis necessary to provide meaningful comments on the proposed definitive measures.

We fully respect the TRA's objective of completing the investigation in a timely manner. However, we consider that the requested extension will not hamper the ability of the TRA to proceed expeditiously with the investigation and to complete it within a satisfactory and reasonable timeframe. We therefore trust that granting this extension will not affect the timeline of the investigation.

In connection with this extension request, kindly find attached as **Annex 1** a completed application form, which the Dingli Group hopes will serve as a formal request and help to expedite the process.

We thank you for your consideration of the above request.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you have any questions or comments.

Yours faithfully,

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