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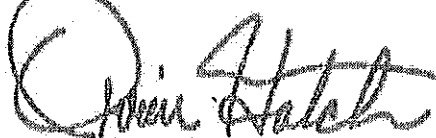
Dear Mr. Piquado,

I am concerned by reports that Chinese producers of aluminum extrusion products may be circumventing U.S. Department of Commerce antidumping and countervailing duty orders on these products.

On May 26, 2011, the Department issued antidumping and countervailing duty orders on aluminum extrusions from the People's Republic of China. Futura Industries and its 327 employees based in Clearfield, Utah is among the U.S. companies affected by the Chinese products found to be dumped and subsidized.

I understand that the Department is currently conducting two scope inquiries related to imports of 5000-series alloy aluminum extrusions in place of the 6000-series alloy aluminum extrusions to which the orders apply. I urge you to apply all applicable laws and regulations in making the Department's scope rulings and to help ensure Chinese aluminum extrusion producers fully comply with the Department's antidumping and countervailing duty orders.

Sincerely,



Orrin Hatch
Ranking Member