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Brussels, 27 November 2025 – EU Revises Anti-Subsidy and Anti-Dumping Measures on Chinese Glass Fibre Products - Glass Fibre Europe Welcomes Stronger Measures to Address Escalating Unfair Trade Practices and Urges Action on Chinese State-Owned Producers Operating in Third Countries

The European Union has completed its review with an increase of the anti-subsidy and anti-dumping duties applied to imports of glass fibre products from China. Glass Fibre Europe welcomes this decision, which acknowledges the continued deterioration of market conditions and the growing need to counter intensified predatory practices by Chinese state-owned companies.

"The revision of duties is a necessary response to the evolving tactics by Chinese producers, whose intensified predatory practices have further harmed the European industry," said Cédric Janssens, Secretary General of Glass Fibre Europe. "We commend the European Commission for its vigilance and determination to uphold fair competition."

At the same time, Glass Fibre Europe draws attention to ongoing investigations concerning glass fibre products originating from Bahrain, Egypt and Thailand, where Chinese state-owned companies have established production facilities operating outside the reach of the existing EU measures on China. "We look forward to the Commission addressing this loophole and imposing robust measures on products from these countries," added Janssens. "Only by closing these gaps can the EU ensure the effectiveness of its trade defence instruments and protect the future of our industry and Europe's economic security."

From infrastructure and transport to renewable energy and defence, glass fibre products underpin the foundations of Europe's economy. The sector is essential to achieving the EU's climate goals, advancing digital transition, and bolstering strategic autonomy and economic security, ensuring Europe remains resilient and competitive in a rapidly changing world.

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About Glass Fibre Europe – EU Transparency Register n°635608817518-09.

Glass Fibre Europe, founded in 1987, is the voice of the European continuous filament glass fibre industry. It is composed of 8 companies: 3B the fibreglass company, Envalior, FYSOL SAS, Johns Manville, Nippon Electric Glass, Owens Corning, Valmiera Glass, and Saint-Gobain Vetrotex. Glass Fibre Europe represents all the major producers of continuous filament glass fibre in Europe.

The continuous filament glass fibre industry is the cornerstone of the glass-based composite materials and technical textiles value-chains. Glass fibre's unique properties enable the production of wind energy, electric and electronic devices, and the development of sustainable solutions in a wide range of applications, such as transport and construction.