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Foreign Affairs, Defence & Trade Committee

Department of the Senate
PO Box 6100
Parliament House
Canberra ACT 2600

Attention: Ms Pothida Youhorn
Committee Secretary

Subject: Australian Support for Ukraine Senate Enquiry Submission

Dear Ms Youhorn

Thank you for the opportunity to make a submission to the Senate enquiry into Australia's support for the Ukraine.

We have previously made a submission to the Hon. Anthony Albanese, Prime Minister of Australia and the Hon. Penny Wong the Minister for Foreign Affairs with regard to potential support for Ukraine.

We have been doing business in Ukraine for more than a decade and our high voltage auto reclosing circuit breakers are used on the distribution network in Ukraine. Most of the distribution network has been destroyed and many of our products have been destroyed.

In order to rebuild the country and restore prosperity the electricity grid is a critical and essential first step.

We have received through our local distributor proposals from three (3) of the distribution utilities in the Ukraine to partner with them to rebuild their electricity network using our products.

We understand any grant or aid support the Australian government provides needs to be in a contested environment. We are ready to make any additional submission or provide any additional information required.

We are however shovel ready to deliver product to the Ukraine on a short timetable that they need to rebuild their electricity network. We are a proud 100% Australian owned and operated manufacturer, exporting our products to 106 countries worldwide today and if aid support can be allocated to this important project I am sure the electricity utilities in the Ukraine and the country of Ukraine would be forever grateful.

~~Yours sincerely~~

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