



OPENING THE DOORS FOR AUSSIE INDUSTRY

Thompson's Roller Shutters, who have been in business since 1927 were an integral part of the \$90 million Melbourne Markets project in manufacturing, supplying and installing ventilated and non-ventilated Roller Shutters, Albany Rapid Roll Doors and insulated Maxdoors, which are an insulated-foam-filled-slat aluminium door. The entire manufacturing staff, as well as eight installers and electricians were seconded to work on this large project.

Thompson's Roller Shutters is a family owned company and employ over 35 experienced office, manufacturing, installation and service/repair employees.

The company has a proud history that has seen them in business for over 80 years, which saw them manufacturing roller shutters in an old sandstock building near Wölli Creek in Sydney's south. Over the years, this has been extended and the original building now forms only one quarter of the total factory area, the latest extension being completed in 1997.

Thompson's has cemented itself as a leader in the design and manufacture of quality steel products with a focus on Australian industry. They specialise in the design, manufacture, installation, service and repair of industrial and commercial steel and aluminium

roller shutters, fire rated shutters, window fire shutters, perforated (ventilated) shutters and sectional overhead doors, as well as the supply, installation, service and repair of bi-fold doors, rollerdoors, tilt doors and high speed doors. All of their fire rated shutters are CSIRO certified and are compliant with the Building Code of Australia.

The Melbourne Markets project was a milestone for the Sydney-based company as this was the first major project they completed in Victoria, and the first project in which they incorporated the new Maxdoor product.

Current projects for Thompson's include Lend Lease Barangaroo, Lend Lease Exhibition and Convention Centre, Australand Fisher & Paykel, and they have just completed works at Westfields Miranda, Hansen Yuncken Toll Huntingwood and CIP TNT, Erksine Park.

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