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**NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 12.1(C)  
OF THE AGREEMENT ON SAFEGUARDS**

**NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 9, FOOTNOTE 2  
OF THE AGREEMENT ON SAFEGUARDS**

INDONESIA

*Yarn (Other Than Sewing Thread) of Synthetic and Artificial Staple Fibres*

*Supplement*

The following communication, dated 29 May 2020, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Indonesia.

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Pursuant to Articles 12.1(c) of the WTO Agreement on Safeguards, the Government of the Republic of Indonesia hereby notifies the issuance of Minister of Finance's Regulation Number 56/PMK.010/2020 dated 27 May 2020, promulgated in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Indonesia Number 531-2020 on 27 May 2020 regarding the imposition of a safeguard measure on the importation of Yarn (Other Than Sewing Thread) of Synthetic and Artificial Staple Fibres, for 3 periods started on 27 May 2020.

**A. GENERAL BACKGROUND**

On 3 March 2020, the Republic of Indonesia notified the findings of safeguard investigation in which it was concluded that there was an evidence that the increased of volume of imports have caused a threat of serious injury to the domestic industry concerned in this investigation (G/SG/N/8/IDN/25 - G/SG/N/10/IDN/25).

It was also indicated in the notification that the Investigating Authority was proposing to the Government of the Republic of Indonesia the imposition of a safeguard measure on the importation of the subject goods.

**B. DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBJECT GOODS**

The description of the subject goods are as follows:

"Yarn (Other Than Sewing Thread) of Synthetic and Artificial Staple Fibres", under Harmonized System (HS.) codes 5509.22.00, 5509.32.00, 5509.51.00, 5509.53.00, 5510.12.00, and 5510.90.00.

**C. DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPOSED MEASURE**

The Government of the Republic of Indonesia has decided to impose the following safeguard duty:

**TIMETABLE OF THE SAFEGUARD DUTY**

| <b>Period</b>   | <b>Measure</b> |
|---|----------------|
| <b>Period I</b><br>(27 May 2020- 8 November 2020)       | Rp. 1,405 /Kg  |
| <b>Period II</b><br>(9 November 2020- 8 November 2021)  | Rp. 1,192 /Kg  |
| <b>Period III</b><br>(9 November 2021- 8 November 2022) | Rp. 979 /Kg    |

Below is the list of developing countries excluded from the said safeguard measure, and the Government of the Republic of Indonesia reserves the right to modify this list in light of changing import volumes exceeded 3%.

**LIST OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES EXCLUDED FROM THE MEASURES**

| <b>No.</b> | <b>Countries</b>                 | <b>No.</b> | <b>Countries</b>                 |
|------------|----------------------------------|------------|----------------------------------|
| 1          | Afghanistan                      | 62         | Guatemala                        |
| 2          | Albania                          | 63         | Guinea                           |
| 3          | Angola                           | 64         | Guinea-Bissau                    |
| 4          | Antigua and Barbuda              | 65         | Guyana                           |
| 5          | Argentina                        | 66         | Haiti                            |
| 6          | Armenia                          | 67         | Honduras                         |
| 7          | Bahrain, Kingdom of              | 68         | Hong Kong, China                 |
| 8          | Bangladesh                       | 69         | Israel                           |
| 9          | Barbados                         | 70         | Jamaica                          |
| 10         | Belize                           | 71         | Jordan                           |
| 11         | Benin                            | 72         | Kazakhstan                       |
| 12         | Bolivia, Plurinational State of  | 73         | Kenya                            |
| 13         | Botswana                         | 74         | Korea, Republic of               |
| 14         | Brazil                           | 75         | Kuwait, the State of             |
| 15         | Brunei Darussalam                | 76         | Kyrgyz Republic                  |
| 16         | Burkina Faso                     | 77         | Lao People's Democratic Republic |
| 17         | Burundi                          | 78         | Lesotho                          |
| 18         | Cabo Verde                       | 79         | Liberia                          |
| 19         | Cambodia                         | 80         | Liechtenstein                    |
| 20         | Cameroon                         | 81         | Macao, China                     |
| 21         | Central African Republic         | 82         | Madagascar                       |
| 22         | Chad                             | 83         | Malawi                           |
| 23         | Chile                            | 84         | Malaysia                         |
| 24         | Colombia                         | 85         | Maldives                         |
| 25         | Congo                            | 86         | Mali                             |
| 26         | Costa Rica                       | 87         | Mauritania                       |
| 27         | Côte d'Ivoire                    | 88         | Mauritius                        |
| 28         | Cuba                             | 89         | Mexico                           |
| 29         | Democratic Republic of the Congo | 90         | Moldova, Republic of             |
| 30         | Djibouti                         | 91         | Mongolia                         |

| <b>No.</b> | <b>Countries</b>               | <b>No.</b> | <b>Countries</b>                                  |
|------------|--------------------------------|------------|---|
| 31         | Dominica                       | 92         | Montenegro  |
| 32         | Dominican Republic             | 93         | Morocco   |
| 33         | Ecuador                        | 94         | Mozambique  |
| 34         | Egypt                          | 95         | Myanmar   |
| 35         | El Salvador                    | 96         | Namibia   |
| 36         | Eswatini                       | 97         | Nepal   |
| 37         | Fiji                           | 98         | Nicaragua   |
| 38         | Gabon                          | 99         | Niger   |
| 39         | Gambia                         | 100        | Nigeria   |
| 40         | Georgia                        | 101        | Oman  |
| 41         | Ghana                          | 102        | Pakistan  |
| 42         | Grenada                        | 103        | Panama  |
| 43         | Papua New Guinea               | 104        | Suriname  |
| 44         | Paraguay                       | 105        | Chinese Taipei                                    |
| 45         | Peru                           | 106        | Tajikistan  |
| 46         | Philippines                    | 107        | Tanzania  |
| 47         | Qatar                          | 108        | The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (FYROM) |
| 48         | Russian Federation             | 109        | Togo  |
| 49         | Rwanda                         | 110        | Tonga   |
| 50         | Saint Kitts and Nevis          | 111        | Trinidad and Tobago                               |
| 51         | Saint Lucia                    | 112        | Tunisia   |
| 52         | Saint Vincent & the Grenadines | 113        | Uganda  |
| 53         | Samoa                          | 114        | Ukraine   |
| 54         | Saudi Arabia, Kingdom of       | 115        | United Arab Emirates                              |
| 55         | Senegal                        | 116        | Uruguay   |
| 56         | Seychelles                     | 117        | Vanuatu   |
| 57         | Sierra Leone                   | 118        | Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of                 |
| 58         | Singapore                      | 119        | Yemen   |
| 59         | Solomon Islands                | 120        | Zambia  |
| 60         | South Africa                   | 121        | Zimbabwe  |
| 61         | Sri Lanka                      |            |   |

It is requested that this notification under Article 12.1 (c) of the WTO Agreement on Safeguards be brought to the notice of Members.