Please find below information regarding a new safeguard investigation initiated by **Morocco** :

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| 1 | Product: | Tubes and pipes of iron or steel |
| 2 | Country taking action: | Morocco |
| 3 | EU Countries concerned: | erga omnes |
| 4 | Type of Case: | Safeguard |
| 5 | Status + Date: | Initiation on 7 October 2019 (see attached Notice in FR) and application of provisional measures |
| 6 | Tariff codes: | 7305.31 7305.39  7306.19 7306.30 7306.50 7306.61 7306.69 7306.90 |
| 7 | Comments: | - Provisional ad valorem duty of 25% for a duration of 200 days  - Deadline to ask for questionnaires: 23 October 2019  - Deadline for registration as interested parties and for submitting written comments: 11 November 2019 |
| 8 | Comext Extraction | - See attached. |

We would appreciate if you could transmit this information to producers/associations potentially affected by this investigation, who may also contact us directly at [Trade.Defence.Third.Countries@ec.europa.eu](mailto:Trade.Defence.Third.Countries@ec.europa.eu)

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Please do not hesitate to contact us for further questions.

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