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**NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 12.1(B) OF THE AGREEMENT ON
SAFEGUARDS ON FINDING A SERIOUS INJURY OR THREAT
THEREOF CAUSED BY INCREASED IMPORTS**

**NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 12.1(C) UPON TAKING A DECISION
TO APPLY OR EXTEND A SAFEGUARD MEASURE**

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

UNITED STATES

*Crystalline Silicon Photovoltaic Cells
(Whether or Not Partially or Fully Assembled into Other Products)*

Supplement

The following communication dated 22 May 2019, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of the United States.

Pursuant to Article 12.1(c) of the WTO Agreement on Safeguards (Safeguards Agreement), the United States is notifying its decision, published on May 21, 2019, to remove Turkey from the list of developing country WTO Members exempt from application of the safeguard measures on crystalline silicon photovoltaic cells (whether or not partially or fully assembled into other products). A copy of the Federal Register notice is attached to this notification.

The measure is effective as of May 17, 2019.
