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Committee on Anti-Dumping Practices Committee on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures Committee on Safequards

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NOTIFICATION OF LAWS AND REGULATIONS UNDER ARTICLES 18.5, 32.6 AND 12.6 OF THE AGREEMENTS

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

The following communication, dated 15 September 2015, is being circulated at the request of the Delegation of United Arab Emirates.

With reference to Article 18.5 of the Agreement on Implementation of Article VI of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade 1994, Article 32.6 of the Agreement on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures and Article 12.6 of the Agreement on Safeguards, the United Arab Emirates (UAE) hereby notifies the Committee on Antidumping Practices, the Committee on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures and the Committee on Safeguards that on 29 January 2005 it issued the Federal Decree No 7 of 2005 ratifying the 2003 Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) Common Law on Antidumping, Countervailing and Safeguard Measures.

The Federal Decree ratifying the 2003 GCC Common Law on Antidumping, Countervailing and Safeguard Measures has been published in Arabic in the UAE Official Gazette No 425 (Page 11) and the attached English translation is for reference only by WTO Members.

On this occasion, the UAE is pleased to inform the Committee on Antidumping Practices, the Committee on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures and the Committee on Safeguards that in accordance with its National legal framework relating to the implementation of GCC Common laws and the constitutional proceedings pertaining to the enactment of Federal Laws, it is in the process of issuing a Federal Law which incorporates, among others, the 2010 amended GCC Common Law on Antidumping, Countervailing and safeguard measures. The Federal Law will be notified as soon as it is published in the UAE official Gazette.

Please note that the Arabic version of the 2010 amended Rules of Implementation of the GCC Common Law on Antidumping, Countervailing and Safeguard Measures is publicly available and it is currently being translated into English, and it is anticipated that the full text be notified to the Committee on Antidumping Practices, the Committee on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures and the Committee on Safeguards as soon as it is complete.

FEDERAL DECREE NO 7 OF 2005

ISSUED ON 29 JAN 2005, CORRESPONDING TO 19 THU AL HEJJA 1425H

ADOPTING THE GCC COMMON LAW ON ANTI DUMPING, COUNTERVAILING AND SAFEGUARD MEASURES.

We Khalifa bin zayed Al Nahyan, President of the United Arab Emirates

After perusal of the constitution and,

Federal Law No. 1 of 1972 concerning the jurisdictions of the Ministries and the powers of the Ministers and the amending laws thereof, and

Upon the proposal of the Minister of Finance and Industry and the approval of the Council of Ministers and the approval of the Federal Supreme Council,

Promulgated the following Federal-Decree:

Article One

Ratification of the GCC Common Law

The Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) Common Law on Anti-dumping, Countervailing and Safeguard Measures is hereby ratified.

Article 2

Publication in the Official Gazette and implementation

The Minister of Finance and Industry shall implement this Federal Decree which shall be published in the Official Gazette.

Issued by US, at the Presidential Palace in Abu Dhabi

On 19 Thu Al Hejja 1425 Corresponding to 29 January 2005

Khalifa Bin Zayed Al Nahyan President of the United Arab Emirates

Reference: The UAE Official Gazette No 425-Page 11.