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

NOTE FROM THE SECRETARIAT

In order to assist Members, the following are deadlines for submission of various documentation following up on the **October 2018 meetings**, and in conjunction with the **April 2019 meetings** of the Committees on Anti-Dumping Practices, Subsidies and Countervailing Measures, and Safeguards, and subsidiary bodies, which will be held in the week of **29 April 2019**.

Members are reminded to always <u>submit written questions and answers directly to the Member concerned</u> at the same time that they submit them to the Secretariat for circulation.

1 AD/CVD LEGISLATION NOTIFICATIONS

The Secretariat will circulate to Members by **22 March 2019** a list of the **new notifications of legislation** that will be on the agenda for review at the regular meetings in **April 2019**. Pursuant to procedures adopted by the Committees, notifications circulated in all three WTO working languages not later than **18 March 2019** will be reviewed at the Committees' **April 2019** regular meetings.

12 November 2018	Written follow-up questions regarding notifications of legislation reviewed at the Committees' regular meetings in October 2018 .
3 December 2018	Written answers to written questions regarding notifications of legislation reviewed at the Committees' regular meetings in October 2018 .
18 March 2019	Written questions regarding previously-reviewed notifications of legislation, for consideration at the Committees' regular meetings in April 2019 .
8 April 2019	Written questions regarding new notifications of legislation to be reviewed at the Committees' regular meetings in April 2019 .
15 April 2019	Written answers to written questions submitted by 18 March 2019 regarding previously reviewed notifications of legislation, for consideration at the Committees' regular meetings in April 2019 .

2 SAFEGUARDS LEGISLATION NOTIFICATIONS

The Secretariat will circulate to Members by **22 March 2019** a list of the **new notifications of legislation** that will be on the agenda for review at the regular meeting in **April 2019**. Pursuant to procedures adopted by the Safeguards Committee, notifications circulated in all three WTO working languages not later than **18 March 2019** will be reviewed at the Committee's **April 2019** regular meeting.

12 November 2018 Written follow-up questions regarding new notifications of legislation reviewed at the Committee's regular meeting in **October 2018**.

3 December 2018	Written answers to all outstanding written questions posed before or at the Committee's regular meeting in October 2018 as well as written responses to follow-up questions submitted by the above deadline.
18 March 2019	Written questions regarding previously reviewed notifications of legislation, for consideration at the Committee's regular meeting in April 2019 .
8 April 2019	Written questions regarding new notifications of legislation to be reviewed at the Committee's regular meeting in April 2019 .
15 April 2019	Written answers to written questions submitted by 18 March 2019 regarding previously reviewed notifications of legislation, for consideration at the Committees' regular meetings in April 2019 .

3 SUBSIDY NOTIFICATIONS

12 November 2018

New and Full Subsidy Notifications

2017 new and full notifications were due on **30 June 2017**. Pursuant to the procedures adopted by the Committee at its April 2005 regular meeting and circulated in document G/SCM/117¹, only notifications circulated in all three WTO working languages not later than **3 January 2019** may be reviewed at the special meeting that will be held in **April 2019**. The Secretariat will circulate to Members, shortly after, a list of 2017 new and full subsidy notifications, and any other new and full notifications not previously reviewed, that will be on the agenda for review at that meeting.

Written follow-up questions regarding the subsidy notifications

	reviewed at the Committee's special meeting of 23 October 2018 that had not been reviewed at previous meetings.
3 December 2018	Written answers to all follow-up and pending written questions posed in connection with the subsidy notifications reviewed at the Committee's special meeting of 23 October 2018 that had not been reviewed at previous meetings.
28 January 2019	Written questions regarding 2017 new and full subsidy notifications, and other new and full notifications not previously reviewed, to be reviewed at the Committee's special meeting in April 2019 .
1 April 2019	Written answers to written questions regarding 2017 new and full subsidy notifications, and other new and full notifications not previously reviewed, to be reviewed at the Committee's special meeting in April 2019 .

Transparency Notifications Relating to Article 27.4 Export Subsidy Phase-Out Period

The Members with **Article 27.4 extensions** are required, pursuant to paragraph 2(c) of the procedures in WT/L/691, to provide **transparency notifications in respect of 2015**, the last of the two final years for phasing out the export subsidies. These notifications were due on **30 June 2016**.

4 OTHER SUBMISSIONS

18 March 2019 Submissions for the April 2019 meeting of the Informal Group on Anti-Circumvention.

 1 At its regular meeting held on 25 April 2017, the Committee agreed that the procedures contained in G/SCM/117 would apply to the review of the 2017 new and full subsidy notifications.