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**Committee on Subsidies and
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**NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLES 25.11 AND 25.12 OF THE AGREEMENT
ON SUBSIDIES AND COUNTERVAILING MEASURES***

DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO

The following communication, dated 3 July 2020, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

This is to notify that the Democratic Republic of the Congo has not established an authority competent to initiate and conduct an investigation within the meaning of Article 25.12 of the Agreement on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures and thus has not, to date, taken any countervailing actions within the meaning of Article 25.11 of the Agreement and does not anticipate taking any countervailing actions for the foreseeable future. The Democratic Republic of the Congo will promptly notify the Committee on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures of any changes that may take place in this regard. Specifically, the Democratic Republic of the Congo will notify the Committee pursuant to Article 25.12 of the Agreement upon the establishment of an authority competent to initiate and conduct countervailing duty investigations, as well as the domestic procedures governing the initiation and conduct of such investigations, and will report without delay to the Committee any countervailing actions in accordance with Article 25.11 of the Agreement on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures.

* This notification is made pursuant to the notification format contained in document G/SCM/129, adopted by the Committee on Subsidies and Countervailing Measures on 20 October 2009.