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NOTIFICATION OF THE CESSATION OF THE EXISTING MEASURE

INDIA

*Solar Cells whether or not assembled in modules or panels**Supplement*

The following communication, dated 27 September 2021 and received on 28 September 2021, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of India.

India hereby submits its notification concerning cessation of safeguard measure on 'Solar Cells whether or not assembled in modules or panels'.

1. The date when the measure ceased to apply

The measure ceased to apply after 29 July 2021.

2. Precise description of the product involved

The product involved is 'Solar Cells, whether or not assembled in Modules or Panels'. The product is classified under sub-heading 8541.40 of the Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding System, popularly called HSN, and sub-heading 8541.40.11 and/or 8541.40.12 of the Indian Customs Tariff Classification.

3. Reference to the WTO documents notified earlier

The imposition of safeguard measure was notified vide G/SG/N/8/IND/31/Suppl.2 – G/SG/N/10/IND/22/Suppl.1 – G/SG/N/11/IND/17/Suppl.2 dated 6 August 2018. The extension of the existing measure was notified vide G/SG/N/8/IND/31/Suppl.3 – G/SG/N/10/IND/22/Suppl.2 – G/SG/N/11/IND/17/Suppl.3 dated 3 August 2020.

4. Reason why the measure ceased to apply

The Safeguard measure was applicable till 29 July 2021 and has not been extended any further. Therefore, the measure was ceased after 29 July 2021.
