



**NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 12.1(C)  
OF THE AGREEMENT ON SAFEGUARDS**

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

INDONESIA

*Supplement*

*(I and H Sections of Other Alloy Steel  
under HS Codes 7228.70.10 and 7228.70.90)*

The following communication, dated and received on 19 December 2022, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Indonesia.

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Pursuant to Article 7.2 and Article 12.1(c) of the WTO Agreement on Safeguards, the Republic of Indonesia hereby notifies to extend the imposition of a safeguard measure in the form of ad valorem safeguard duty on the importation of Subject Good, for a period of 2 (two) years by the issuance of Minister of Finance's Decree Number 169/PMK.010/2022 dated 18 November 2022, promulgated in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Indonesia Year 2022 Number 1186 on 2 December 2022.

**A. GENERAL BACKGROUND**

On 13 May 2022 the Republic of Indonesia notified the findings of investigation in which it was concluded that the relevant safeguard measure needs to be extended, in particular to prevent or remedy serious injury suffered by the Applicants. The extension of such safeguard measures will also give the Applicants opportunity to continue their adjustment program in order to improve the competitiveness of domestic industry (G/SG/N/8/IDN/17/Suppl.4 - G/SG/N/10/IDN/17/Suppl.4).

It was also indicated in the notification that the Investigating Authority was proposing to the Government of the Republic of Indonesia, to extend the imposition of a safeguard measure duty on the importation of the Subject Goods in a form of ad valorem duty.

**B. SUBJECT GOOD**

1. I Section with a height of 100 mm up to 600 mm, and H Section with a height of 100 mm up to 350 mm, of other alloy steel, not further worked than hot-rolled, hot-drawn, or extruded, under HS. Code ex. 7228.70.10; and
2. I Section with a height of 100 mm up to 600 mm, and H Section with a height of 100 mm up to 350 mm, of other alloy steel, hot-rolled, hot-drawn, or extruded, and further worked, under HS. Code ex. 7228.70.90.

**C. DESCRIPTION OF THE SAFEGUARD MEASURE**

1. With reference to the proposal from the Investigating Authority, and taking into account the need to effectuate the safeguard measure as proposed and the relevant requirements stipulated in the WTO Agreement on Safeguards, the Government of the Republic of Indonesia has decided to impose the following safeguard duty:

**Timetable of the Safeguard Duty**

<b>Period</b>	<b>Safeguard Duty</b>
22 December 2022 – 21 December 2023	17,00%
22 December 2023 – 21 December 2024	16,75%

2. Below is the list of developing countries excluded from the said safeguard measure, and the Government of the Republic of Indonesia reserves the right to modify this list in light of changing import volumes.

**List of Developing Countries Excluded from the Measure**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Country</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Country</b>
1	Afghanistan	39	Georgia
2	Albania	40	Ghana
3	Angola	41	Grenada
4	Antigua and Barbuda	42	Guatemala
5	Argentina	43	Guinea
6	Armenia	44	Guinea-Bissau
7	Kingdom of Bahrain	45	Guyana
8	Bangladesh	46	Haiti
9	Barbados	47	Honduras
10	Belize	48	Hong Kong, China
11	Benin	49	India
12	Plurinational State of Bolivia	50	Jamaica
13	Botswana	51	Jordan
14	Brazil	52	Kazakhstan
15	Brunei Darussalam	53	Kenya
16	Burkina Faso	54	Republic of Korea
17	Burundi	55	The State of Kuwait
18	Cabo Verd	56	Kyrgyz Republic
19	Cambodia	57	Lao People's Democratic Republic
20	Cameroon	58	Lesotho
21	Central African Republic	59	Liberia
22	Chad	60	Macao, China
23	Chile	61	Madagascar
24	Colombia	62	Malawi
25	Congo	63	Malaysia
26	Costa Rica	64	Maldives
27	Cote d'Ivoire	65	Mali
28	Cuba	66	Mauritania
29	Democratic Republic of the Congo	67	Mauritius
30	Djibouti	68	Mexico

No.	Country	No.	Country
31	Dominica	69	Republic of Moldova
32	Dominican Republic	70	Mongolia
33	Ecuador	71	Montenegro
34	Egypt	72	Morocco
35	El Salvador	73	Mozambique
36	Fiji	74	Myanmar
37	Gabon	75	Namibia
38	Gambia	76	Nepal
77	Nicaragua	101	Sri Lanka
78	Niger	102	Suriname
79	Nigeria	103	Swaziland/Eswatini
80	Oman	104	Chinese Taipei
81	Pakistan	105	Tajikistan
82	Panama	106	Tanzania
83	Papua New Guinea	107	Thailand
84	Paraguay	108	The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (FYROM)/ North Macedonia
85	Peru	109	Togo
86	Philippines	110	Tonga
87	Qatar	111	Trinidad and Tobago
88	Russian Federation	112	Tunisia
89	Rwanda	113	Turkey/Türkiye
90	Saint Kitts and Nevis	114	Uganda
91	Saint Lucia	115	Ukraine
92	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	116	United Arab Emirates
93	Samoa	117	Uruguay
94	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	118	Vanuatu
95	Senegal	119	Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela
96	Seychelles	120	Vietnam
97	Sierra Leone	121	Yemen
98	Singapore	122	Zambia
99	Solomon Islands	123	Zimbabwe
100	South Africa		

It is requested that this notification under Article 12.1(c) of the Agreement on Safeguards be brought to the notice of Members.

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