

# TradeWatch Weekly Bulletin (International Trade and Customs)

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#### Dear Reader

Given below are some key news updates from the past week pertaining to international trade and customs both from India and around the world.

## **World Trade Organization (WTO)**

- General Council decides to postpone MC12 indefinitely
- Members conclude milestone review of Trade Facilitation Agreement
- Draft agreement on fisheries subsidies submitted for ministers' attention ahead of MC12
- Items proposed for consideration at the next meeting of Dispute Settlement Body
- Members and partners invited to submit Aid-for-Trade questionnaires for 2022 Global Review
- Investment facilitation negotiations end productive year, aim at conclusion by end 2022
- Turkmenistan formally applies for WTO membership
- The fourth review of the trade policies and practices of the Kingdom of Bahrain took place on 24 and 26 November 2021
- Agriculture negotiations chair introduces revised text ahead of MC12

#### **United States, Europe & Asia**

- <u>USITC Says Relief Continues to be Necessary for U.S. Industry Producing Crystalline Silicon Photovoltaic Cells, Whether or Not Partially or Fully Assembled into Other Products</u>
- US issues Order for Continuation of Antidumping duties on Certain Tissue Paper Products from the People's Republic of China
- USDOC initiates a changed circumstances review (CCR) of the antidumping duty (AD) order on certain uncoated paper from Brazil.
- Polyester Textured Yarn from Indonesia, Malaysia, Thailand, and Vietnam Injures U.S. Industry, Says USITC
- Utility Scale Wind Towers from India and Malaysia Injure U.S. Industry, Says USITC
- US issues Order for Continuation of Antidumping duties on Magnesium Metal from the People's Republic of China
- <u>USDOC determines that that producers and/or exporters of certain frozen warmwater shrimp (shrimp) from India made sales at less than normal value during the period of review.</u>

### India

- DGTR issues Final Findings in Sunset review of anti-dumping investigation concerning imports of "Glazed/Unglazed Porcelain/Vitrified Tiles in polished or unpolished finish with less than 3% water absorption" originating in or exported from China PR
- DGTR issues Final Findings in Sunset review of anti-dumping investigation concerning copier paper from Indonesia and Singapore
- DGTR issues Trade Notice No.: 11/2021 Amendment to Trade Notice No.09/2021 dated 29th July, 2021.
- Ministry of Commerce extends the last date for submission of online applications for allocation of Tariff Rate Quota (TRQ) under India-Mauritius CECPA for the current financial year 2021-22, from 31.12.2021 to 31.01.2022

We trust you will find this an interesting read. For any queries or comments on this update, please feel free to contact us at <a href="mailto:insights@elp-in.com">insights@elp-in.com</a>.

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