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Committee on Safeguards

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**NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 12.1(A) OF THE AGREEMENT
ON SAFEGUARDS ON INITIATION OF AN INVESTIGATION
AND THE REASONS FOR IT**

INDONESIA

*Slag Wool, Rock Wool, and Similar Mineral Wools
(Including Intermixtures Thereof), In Bulk, Sheets or Rolls*

The following communication, dated and received on 27 July 2023, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Indonesia.

1 THE DATE OF INITIATION OF SAFEGUARD INVESTIGATION

The investigation was initiated on 25 July 2023.

2 PRODUCT UNDER INVESTIGATION

Slag Wool, Rock Wool, and Similar Mineral Wools (Including Intermixtures Thereof), In Bulk, Sheets or Rolls, under Harmonized System (HS.) code 6806.10.00.

3 REASONS FOR INITIATION OF INVESTIGATION PROCEDURE

- (i) The Investigating Authority initiated a safeguard investigation following an evaluation of the application documents filed by the Applicant, which constitutes a major proportion of the total domestic production of the subject goods in Indonesia.
- (ii) The non-confidential summary of the application can be found at the internet address below, following the link:

<http://www.kppi.kemendag.go.id>

4 POINT OF CONTACT FOR THE INVESTIGATION

The contact information of the Investigating Authority for correspondence is:

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5 DEADLINES AND PROCEDURES TO PRESENT EVIDENCE AND VIEWS BY INTERESTED PARTIES

- (i) Those having substantial interest and wishing to be considered as interested parties in this investigation should submit a written request within a period of 15 days in Indonesia from the date of initiation to the Investigating Authority. All submissions and requests made by interested parties must be sent both in a written letter and in electronic format, and must

indicate the name, address, e-mail address, telephone, and fax number of the interested parties.

- (ii) In Accordance with article 3.1 WTO Agreement on Safeguard, the Investigating Authority will conduct a hearing in order to provide opportunities for those Members who have a substantial interest to present their evidence and views.

The hearing is scheduled to be held on Thursday, 10 August 2023 from 10.00 -12.00 am (GMT+7) via video conference. All interested parties, who wish to participate in the hearing and all written evidence and views, submitted to the Investigating Authority no later than 7 August 2023. Registration on the day of the hearing (10 August 2023) will start at 09.00 am (GMT+7) and only authorized representatives will have access to the hearing.
