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

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

INDONESIA

Slag Wool and Rock Wool

The following communication, dated and received on 21 February 2025, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Indonesia.

Pursuant to Articles 12.1(c) of the WTO Agreement on Safeguards, the Government of the Republic of Indonesia hereby notifies the issuance of Minister of Finance's Regulation Number 8 of year 2025 dated 24 January 2025, promulgated in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Indonesia Number 87-2025 on 10 February 2025 regarding the imposition of a safeguard measure on the importation of slag wool and rock wool, for a period of 3 period started on 24 February 2025. Minister of Finance's Regulation Number 8 of year 2025 can be found in the website of the Indonesian Safeguard Committee: <http://kppi.kemendag.go.id/>.

A. GENERAL BACKGROUND

On 16 September 2024, the Republic of Indonesia notified the findings of safeguard investigation in which it was concluded that there was evidence that the increased of volume of imports have caused a threat of serious injury to the domestic industry concerned in this investigation ([G/SG/N/8/IDN/31-G/SG/N/10/IDN/31](#)).

It was also indicated in the notification that the Investigating Authority was proposing to the Government of the Republic of Indonesia the imposition of a safeguard measure on the importation of the subject goods.

B. DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBJECT GOODS

The description of the subject goods are as follows:

Slag wool and rock wool in the form of bulk, sheets (sheets, slabs, board), or rolls (rolls, blankets, wired blankets), under Harmonized System (HS.) codes ex 6806.10.00 and ex 6806.90.00.

C. DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPOSED MEASURE

The Government of the Republic of Indonesia has decided to impose the following safeguard duty:

TIMETABLE OF THE SAFEGUARD DUTY

Period	Safeguard Duty
First year (24 February 2025 – 23 February 2026)	Rp. 20,284/kilogram
Second year (24 February 2026 – 23 February 2027)	Rp. 18,256/kilogram
Third year (24 February 2027 – 23 February 2028)	Rp. 16,430/kilogram

Below are the list major exporting members of imports of the product involved and 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 exceeded 3%.

LIST OF MAJOR EXPORTING MEMBERS OF IMPORTS OF THE PRODUCT INVOLVED

The information of the major exporting members of the subject goods are the same as stated on document [G/SG/N/8/IDN/31](#) - [G/SG/N/10/IDN/31](#).

According to article 9.1 of the WTO Agreement on Safeguards, developing country Members with less than 3% import share collectively account for not more than 9% of total imports of the subject goods are excluded from the safeguard measures.

Below is the list of developing countries excluded from the said safeguard measures. The Government of the Republic of Indonesia reserves the right to amend the list in relation to changes in the volume of imports exceeding 3%.

No.	Member	No.	Member
1	Afghanistan	27	Côte d'Ivoire
2	Albania	28	Cuba
3	Angola	29	Democratic Republic of the Congo
4	Antigua and Barbuda	30	Djibouti
5	Argentina	31	Dominica
6	Armenia	32	Dominican Republic
7	Bahrain, Kingdom of	33	Ecuador
8	Bangladesh	34	Egypt
9	Barbados	35	El Salvador
10	Belize	36	Eswatini
11	Benin	37	Fiji
12	Bolivia, Plurinational State of	38	Gabon
13	Botswana	39	Gambia
14	Brazil	40	Georgia
15	Brunei Darussalam	41	Ghana
16	Burkina Faso	42	Grenada
17	Burundi	43	Guatemala
18	Cabo Verde	44	Guinea
19	Cambodia	45	Guinea-Bissau
20	Cameroon	46	Guyana
21	Central African Republic	47	Haiti
22	Chad	48	Honduras
23	Chile	49	Hong Kong, China
24	Colombia	50	Israel
25	Congo	51	Jamaica
26	Costa Rica	52	Jordan

No.	Member	No.	Member
53	Kazakhstan	82	Pakistan
54	Kenya	83	Panama
55	Kuwait, the State of	84	Papua New Guinea
56	Korea, Republic of	85	Paraguay
57	Kyrgyz Republic	86	Peru
58	Lao People's Democratic Republic	87	Philippines
59	Lesotho	88	Qatar
60	Liberia	89	Russian Federation
61	Macao, China	90	Rwanda
62	Madagascar	91	Saint Kitts and Nevis
63	Malawi	92	Saint Lucia
64	Maldives	93	Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
65	Mali	94	Samoa
66	Mauritania	95	Saudi Arabia, Kingdom of
67	Mauritius	96	Senegal
68	Mexico	97	Seychelles
69	Moldova, Republic of	98	Sierra Leone
70	Mongolia	99	Singapore
71	Montenegro	100	Solomon Islands
72	Morocco	101	South Africa
73	Mozambique	102	Sri Lanka
74	Myanmar	103	Suriname
75	Namibia	104	Chinese Taipei
76	Nepal	105	Tajikistan
77	Nicaragua	106	Tanzania
78	Niger	107	Thailand
79	Nigeria	108	Togo
80	North Macedonia	109	Tonga
81	Oman	110	Trinidad and Tobago

No.	Member	No.	Member
111	Tunisia	117	Vanuatu
112	Türkiye	118	Venezuela, Bolivarian Republic of
113	Uganda	119	Viet Nam
114	Ukraine	120	Yemen
115	United Arab Emirates	121	Zambia
116	Uruguay	122	Zimbabwe

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