

Initiation of an anti-circumvention investigation concerning the anti-dumping duty imposed on imports of CPVC – whether or not further processed into compound from China PR and Korea RP, with alleged circumvention through Malaysia, Japan and Thailand-reg.

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**F. No. 7/29/2026-DGTR
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Department of Commerce
Directorate General of Trade Remedies
IV Floor, Jeevan Tara Building, 5, Parliament Street, New Delhi

SETU CASE ID. AD/AC/006/2026

Dated: 24th September, 2026

To

The Secretary,
Department of Chemicals & Petrochemicals,
Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers,
New Delhi – 110001

Subject: Initiation of an anti-circumvention investigation concerning the anti-dumping duty imposed on imports of CPVC – whether or not further processed into compound from China PR and Korea RP, with alleged circumvention through Malaysia, Japan and Thailand – reg.

Respected Sir/Madam,

1. Your kind attention is invited to the **anti-circumvention investigation concerning alleged circumvention through Malaysia, Japan and Thailand of the anti-dumping duty imposed on imports of “Chlorinated Polyvinyl Chloride (CPVC) Resin – whether or not further processed into compound” originating in or exported from China PR and Korea RP**, initiated by the Directorate General of Trade Remedies (DGTR) vide Initiation Notification F. No. 7/29/2026-DGTR dated 16th September, 2026.
2. The investigation has been initiated under **Section 9A(1A) of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975 read with Rules 25 and 26 of the Customs Tariff (Identification, Assessment and Collection of Anti-Dumping Duty on Dumped Articles and for Determination of Injury) Rules, 1995**, to determine the existence and effect of the alleged circumvention of the anti-dumping duty in force. A copy of the Initiation Notification is attached for your kind reference.
3. The **Product Under Investigation (PUI)** in the present investigation is “Chlorinated Polyvinyl Chloride (CPVC) Resin – whether or not further processed into compound”. The PUI is classified under Chapter 39 of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975 under tariff items **3904 90 10 and 3904 90 90**.
4. The Authority has also issued a **Corrigendum dated 17th September, 2026**, whereby, in terms of **Rule 26(4A) of the Rules**, the Authority has recommended to the Central Government that imports of the Product Under Investigation covered by the present investigation be **provisionally assessed and that an appropriate guarantee may be obtained from the importers till a decision under Rule 27(3) of the Rules is taken by the Central Government**.
5. DGTR examines the **economic interest and likely impact of trade remedial measures on relevant stakeholders, including downstream industries and users**. Accordingly, requisite information is sought from the

concerned line Ministry/Department through the **Economic Interest Questionnaire (EIQ)**. A copy of the EIQ is attached for your kind reference.

6. In view of the above, it is requested that your Department may kindly furnish its response to the attached **Economic Interest Questionnaire, to the extent relevant to the present anti-circumvention investigation**, within **37 days from the date of this letter/email**. The response may be filed through the **SETU Portal** (<https://setu.dgtr.gov.in/>) under the corresponding Case ID mentioned above.

7. The Department is also requested to bring the present investigation to the notice of the concerned industry associations, downstream industries/users and other stakeholders falling within its administrative domain, as considered appropriate.

Thanking you,

Regards,

(Dr. Bhavik Prabhudasbhai Lukka), IES

Deputy Director (Economics)

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5. The period of investigation (“POI”) for the present investigation is from **1st April, 2025 to 31st March, 2026 (12 months)**. The period specified in the Initiation Notification for examination also covers **2022-23, 2023-24, 2024-25 and the POI**.
6. The Domestic Industry/Applicants are requested to continue to extend necessary cooperation during the course of the investigation and furnish such further information, clarification, supporting evidence or documents as may be required by the Authority for examination of the issues arising in the present anti-circumvention investigation.
7. **Confidential Information:** Any information furnished on a confidential basis must be accompanied simultaneously by a meaningful non-confidential version in accordance with Rule 7 of the Rules and the applicable Trade Notices issued by the Authority. The non-confidential version should permit a reasonable understanding of the substance of the information claimed as confidential. Where any information is claimed to be incapable of summarisation, sufficient and adequate reasons for the same should be provided.

8. Every page of the submissions should be clearly marked either “**Confidential**” or “**Non-Confidential**”, as applicable. The non-confidential version should be a replica of the confidential version, with confidential information appropriately indexed or blanked out where indexation is not possible.
9. The Domestic Industry/Applicants may offer comments on the confidentiality claims made by other interested parties **within 7 days from the date of circulation of the respective non-confidential version of such documents**, in accordance with the Initiation Notification. The issued notification specifically prescribes this 7-day period from circulation of the NCV.
10. A list of interested parties shall be made available through SETU, as applicable. Non-confidential versions of submissions filed by interested parties shall be accessible to other participating interested parties through their respective login on the SETU Portal.
11. The information furnished in the application and any further information submitted during the investigation shall be subject to examination and verification by the Authority. The Domestic Industry/Applicants are therefore requested to preserve all underlying records, source documents, working sheets, calculations and other supporting material relied upon in the application and subsequent submissions and make the same available for verification, if required.
12. If any further information or clarification is sought by the Authority during the course of the investigation, the same should be furnished within the time prescribed by the Authority. All submissions shall be made through the **SETU Portal** in accordance with the Initiation Notification, the Rules and the applicable Trade Notices.
13. All interested parties are required to register themselves on the **SETU Portal (<https://setu.dgtr.gov.in/>)** in order to participate in the investigation. In case of any difficulty in registration, DGTR’s SETU Helpdesk may be contacted through the details available at <https://setu.dgtr.gov.in/help-desk>.
14. All communications and submissions must be filed through the SETU Portal under the registered name of the interested party and corresponding Case ID mentioned above. Narrative submissions should be filed in searchable PDF/MS Word format, while data files should be submitted in MS Excel format with properly linked calculations. The Initiation Notification requires filing through SETU and states that submissions made through email or other modes may not be considered.
15. The unit of measurement in the present investigation is **Metric Ton (MT)**. Information should therefore be furnished in MT. Where information is maintained or furnished in any other unit, the same should be converted into MT and the conversion methodology should be clearly explained.
16. The Domestic Industry/Applicants are advised to keep a regular watch on the official website of the Directorate General of Trade Remedies at www.dgtr.gov.in and the **SETU Portal (<https://setu.dgtr.gov.in/>)** for any updated information, notices, questionnaire requirements, oral hearing, disclosure, corrigendum or other developments concerning the present investigation.

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To

Producer/Exporter covered by the present Anti-Circumvention Investigation

Subject: Initiation of an anti-circumvention investigation concerning the anti-dumping duty imposed on imports of CPVC – whether or not further processed into compound from China PR and Korea RP, with alleged circumvention through Malaysia, Japan and Thailand-reg.

Madam/Sir,

1. The undersigned is directed to inform that the Designated Authority has initiated an **anti-circumvention investigation** concerning alleged circumvention through Malaysia, Japan and Thailand of the anti-dumping duty imposed on imports of “Chlorinated Polyvinyl Chloride (CPVC) Resin – whether or not further processed into compound” originating in or exported from China PR and Korea RP, vide Initiation Notification No. 7/29/2026-DGTR dated 16th September, 2026.
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4. As per the records available you are an exporter / producer of the subject goods. You may, therefore, be

interested in participating in the investigation. The Authority provides you an opportunity to defend your interests and assist the Authority to arrive at a fair decision and, thus, requests you to file your response to the Questionnaire, available at the link <https://dgtr.gov.in/anti-dumping-guidelines/exporters-questionnaire>

5. The response must be in English. Any document in a language other than English or Hindi should be accompanied by a true translation thereof in English or Hindi. The response and supporting information should be certified by the Chief Executive/authorised responsible officer of your company as accurate and complete to the best of his/her knowledge and belief.
6. The purpose of the Questionnaire and the information sought through this communication is to gather information required for completion of the present anti-circumvention investigation. Your company should provide clear and precise responses, indicate the sources of information relied upon and furnish supporting documents wherever required. Any worksheets, records or documents relied upon in preparing the response should be preserved and made available for further examination/verification, if required.
7. Kindly note that while submitting the response to the Questionnaire, you may have to demonstrate prevalence of market condition related to manufacture, production and sale of subject good in the domestic market and in export to India and other countries. For this purpose, you may provide sufficient information to establish the following:
 - a. The decision in regard to price, cost, input including raw material, cost of technology and labour, output, sales and investigation, are made in response to market signal reflecting supply and demand and without significant state interference and that the cost of major inputs substantially reflect market value.
 - b. The production costs and financial situation does not suffer from any distortion.
 - c. That you are subject to bankruptcy and property law which guarantees legal certainty and stability for the operation of the firms.
 - d. That the exchange rate conversions are carried out at the market rate.
8. **The Authority may separately issue a supplementary/additional questionnaire specifically for the purposes of the present anti-circumvention investigation. In such event, the producer/exporter shall also be required to duly complete and file its response to such supplementary/additional questionnaire within the time limit specified by the Authority.**
9. Since the present proceeding concerns alleged circumvention of an existing anti-dumping duty, you are specifically requested to provide complete information, wherever applicable, regarding:
 - i. the nature of your business activities and whether your company acts as a manufacturer, producer, processor, compounder, trader and/or exporter of the PUI;
 - ii. your corporate structure, shareholders, directors, related parties and all related entities involved in the manufacture, sourcing, processing, sale or export of the PUI;
 - iii. details of manufacturing/processing/compounding facilities, production process, installed capacity, actual production and relevant raw materials/inputs;
 - iv. supplier-wise and country-wise details of procurement/import of CPVC resin, CPVC compound and other relevant inputs, including the name and address of each supplier and the country of origin and country of export of such goods;
 - v. transaction-wise exports of the PUI to India during the period under examination, including quantity, value, product description, customer/importer, declared country of origin and country of export;
 - vi. purchase orders, supplier invoices, import declarations, export declarations, bills of lading, certificates of origin, customs documents, sales invoices, payment records and other documents establishing the source, movement and origin of the goods;
 - vii. where any processing, manufacture or compounding is undertaken, complete input-output/material reconciliation, production and consumption records and details of the processing/value addition undertaken;
 - viii. details of any material change in sourcing, suppliers, production, exporters, customers, sales channels or trade flows during the period under examination; and
 - ix. the commercial and economic reasons for such sourcing arrangements, trade practices, pattern of trade or channels of sale, together with supporting evidence.
10. You are also requested to provide complete information regarding all entities involved in the supply chain of the PUI exported to India. Where your company does not itself undertake any of the relevant functions, the name, address, relationship and role of the entity performing such function should be clearly identified.
11. The period of investigation ("POI") for the present investigation is from **1st April, 2025 to 31st March, 2026 (12 months)**. The period considered for examination also includes **2022-23, 2023-24, 2024-25 and the POI**, as specified in the Initiation Notification.
12. Where exports to India involve related producers, exporters, traders, processors or other related corporate entities, complete information regarding such entities and their role in the manufacture, procurement, processing, sale and export of the PUI should also be furnished.

13. Where the product exported to India differs in any material respect from the product manufactured, procured, processed or sold by your company in the domestic market or to third countries, the nature of such difference and the processing, modification or other operation undertaken should be clearly explained and supported by documentary evidence.
14. All financial information should ordinarily be reported in the currency in which it is maintained in the normal course of business. Where conversion into US Dollars is made, the exchange rate and methodology used should be clearly indicated.
15. If your company does not itself perform all the relevant functions concerning the PUI, please provide the names and addresses of the entities which:
 - i. manufacture or produce the PUI;
 - ii. supply the PUI or relevant raw material/input to your company;
 - iii. process or compound the PUI;
 - iv. sell/export the PUI to India; and
 - v. perform any intermediary trading, logistics or other function relevant to the exports to India.
16. The information furnished is subject to examination and verification. You are therefore requested to preserve all underlying books, records, working papers, source documents and electronic records relied upon in preparing the response and make the same available to the Authority, if required.
17. The **Confidential Version (CV) and Non-Confidential Version (NCV)** of the Questionnaire Response and all other submissions must be uploaded in the respective designated sections of the **SETU Portal within 37 days from the date on which the non-confidential version of the application filed by the domestic industry is circulated by the Authority through the SETU Portal or transmitted to the appropriate diplomatic representatives of the exporting countries, as applicable, in terms of Rule 6(4) read with Rule 26(5) of the Rules.**
18. The response/submissions should **not be filed by email**.
19. In case you wish to appoint a person/firm to represent your interests before the Authority, a proper authorisation in favour of such person/firm should be filed through the SETU Portal.
20. If an interested party refuses access to or otherwise does not provide necessary information within the prescribed period, or significantly impedes the investigation, the Authority may record its findings on the basis of the **facts available on record**, in terms of **Rule 6(8) read with Rule 26(5) of the Rules**.
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25. In terms of **Rule 6(6) read with Rule 26(5) of the Rules**, the Designated Authority may allow an interested party or its representative to present information relevant to the investigation orally. Such oral information shall be taken into consideration only when it is subsequently reproduced in writing and placed on record in the prescribed manner.
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28. You may contact this Office should you require any clarification and/or assistance in furnishing the information in the prescribed manner.
29. Your cooperation in providing complete, accurate and verifiable information within the prescribed time would assist the Authority in conducting the present investigation in a fair and time-bound manner.

30. All other relevant information is available on DGTR's website at <https://dgtr.gov.in/> and the SETU Portal at <https://setu.dgtr.gov.in/>.

31. Interested parties are advised to keep a regular watch on the official website of the Directorate General of Trade Remedies and the SETU Portal for any updated information, notices, questionnaire requirements, corrigenda or other developments concerning the present investigation.

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5. The producers/exporters and other interested parties known to the Authority to be concerned with the above-mentioned investigation are being requested separately to furnish the relevant information. However, it is possible that the particulars available with the Authority may not cover all producers/exporters or other interested parties concerned with the Product Under Investigation. It is, therefore, requested that the present investigation may kindly be brought to the notice of all concerned producers/exporters and other interested parties in China PR.

6. The producers/exporters having an interest in export of the Product Under Investigation to India may be advised to file their response to the **Exporter Questionnaire**, to the extent applicable to the present anti-circumvention investigation, together with the specific information sought by the Authority. The Exporter Questionnaire may be accessed from the link provided in the Reference below.

7. The purpose of the Questionnaire and the information sought by the Authority is to gather information required for completion of the present anti-circumvention investigation. The producers/exporters should provide clear and precise responses, indicate the sources of information relied upon and furnish supporting documents wherever required.

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SETU CASE ID. AD/AC/006/2026

Dated: 24th September, 2026

To

Embassy of the Republic of Korea
9 Chandragupta Marg, Chanakyapuri Extension,
New Delhi – 110 021, India

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1. The undersigned is directed to inform that the Designated Authority has initiated an **anti-circumvention investigation concerning alleged circumvention through Malaysia, Japan and Thailand of the anti-dumping duty imposed on imports of “Chlorinated Polyvinyl Chloride (CPVC) Resin – whether or not further processed into compound”** originating in or exported from China PR and Korea RP, vide Initiation Notification No. 7/29/2026-DGTR dated 16th September, 2026.
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Dated: 24th September, 2026

To

High Commission of Malaysia
Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Malaysia
50-M, Satya Marg, Chanakyapuri
New Delhi - 110021, India

Subject: Initiation of an anti-circumvention investigation concerning the anti-dumping duty imposed on imports of CPVC – whether or not further processed into compound from China PR and Korea RP, with alleged circumvention through Malaysia, Japan and Thailand-reg.

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SETU CASE ID. AD/AC/006/2026

Dated: 24th September, 2026

To

Importers/Users of the subject goods of subject country

Subject: Initiation of an anti-circumvention investigation concerning the anti-dumping duty imposed on imports of CPVC – whether or not further processed into compound from China PR and Korea RP, with

Madam/Sir,

1. The undersigned is directed to inform that the Designated Authority has initiated an **anti-circumvention investigation** concerning the anti-dumping duty imposed on imports of “Chlorinated Polyvinyl Chloride (CPVC) Resin – whether or not further processed into compound” originating in or exported from China PR and Korea RP, with alleged circumvention through Malaysia, Japan and Thailand, vide Initiation Notification No. **7/29/2026-DGTR dated 16th September, 2026**. The investigation has been initiated under **Section 9A(1A) of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975 read with Rules 25 and 26 of the Customs Tariff (Identification, Assessment and Collection of Anti-Dumping Duty on Dumped Articles and for Determination of Injury) Rules, 1995**, to determine the existence and effect of the alleged circumvention of the anti-dumping duty in force.
2. A copy of the Initiation Notification is available at:
<https://www.dgtr.gov.in/en/anti-dumping-cases/anti-dumping-investigation-concerning-imports-chlorinated-polyvinyl-chloride?blink=9216#9216>
3. The Authority has also issued a **Corrigendum dated 17th September, 2026**, recommending to the Central Government, in terms of Rule 26(4A) of the Rules, provisional assessment of imports of the Product Under Investigation covered by the present investigation and obtaining of an appropriate guarantee from the importers till a decision under Rule 27(3) of the Rules is taken by the Central Government.
4. The period of investigation (“POI”) for the present investigation is from **1st April, 2025 to 31st March, 2026 (12 months)**. The period considered for examination also includes **2022-23, 2023-24, 2024-25 and the POI**, as specified in the Initiation Notification.
5. It is understood that you are an importer/user concerned with the Product Under Investigation. You may, therefore, be interested in participating in the investigation. The Authority provides you an opportunity to place relevant information on record and assist the Authority in arriving at a fair determination. You are accordingly requested to file the applicable **Importer Questionnaire/User Questionnaire**, as indicated below, **to the extent relevant to the present anti-circumvention investigation**, together with the information specified in this communication.
6. Since the present proceeding concerns alleged circumvention of an existing anti-dumping duty, you are specifically requested to provide, wherever applicable, complete information and supporting documents regarding:
 - i. the name and address of the producer, exporter, supplier and trader from whom the Product Under Investigation was purchased/imported;
 - ii. the country of origin and country of export declared in respect of the goods;
 - iii. transaction-wise imports during the period under examination, including quantity, value, product description and relevant customs details;
 - iv. purchase orders/contracts, commercial invoices, bills of entry, bills of lading, certificates of origin, packing lists and payment/remittance documents;
 - v. information available with you regarding the actual manufacturer/producer and source of the goods imported into India;
 - vi. details of any change in the source of procurement, producer/exporter, supplier or channel of supply during the period under examination;
 - vii. any other information or documents relevant to examination of the alleged circumvention.
7. The purpose of the Questionnaire and the information sought above is to gather information required for completion of the present investigation. It is important that your company provides clear and precise responses, indicating the sources of information relied upon and substantiating the information, wherever required, with supporting documents. Any worksheets or documents relied upon in preparing the response which, for any reason, cannot be attached should be preserved and made available for further examination/verification, if required.
8. **The Authority may separately issue a supplementary/additional questionnaire specifically for the purposes of the present anti-circumvention investigation. In such event, the importer/user shall also be required to duly complete and file its response to such supplementary/additional questionnaire within the time limit specified by the Authority.**

9. The response must be in English. Any supplementary information or document in a language other than English or Hindi should be accompanied by a correct English or Hindi translation. The response should be certified by the Chief Executive/authorised responsible officer of the company as accurate and complete and presenting a true and fair view of the information and data to the best of his/her knowledge and belief.
10. The information furnished shall be subject to examination and verification. You are therefore requested to convey your willingness to offer yourself for verification by the Authority, if required, and to preserve all underlying records, books of account, worksheets and supporting documents relied upon in preparing the response.
11. In case you wish to appoint a person/firm to represent your interests before the Authority, you may issue a proper authorisation in favour of such person/firm and file the same through the SETU Portal.
12. If the requisite information is not furnished within the prescribed time, or if an interested party refuses access to or otherwise does not provide necessary information, or significantly impedes the investigation, the Authority may record its findings on the basis of the **facts available**, in terms of **Rule 6(8) read with Rule 26(5) of the Rules**.
13. **Confidential Information:** An interested party supplying information must ensure that the information supplied is appropriately marked either “**Confidential**” or “**Non-Confidential**”. Confidential information must be accompanied by a meaningful non-confidential summary sufficient to permit a reasonable understanding of the substance of the information furnished on a confidential basis. Where information is claimed to be incapable of summarisation, a statement giving sufficient and adequate reasons as to why summarisation is not possible must be furnished in accordance with Rule 7 of the Rules and the applicable Trade Notices issued by the Authority.
14. The **Confidential Version (CV) and Non-Confidential Version (NCV)** of the Questionnaire Response and other submissions must be uploaded in the respective designated sections of the **SETU Portal within 37 days from the date on which the non-confidential version of the application filed by the domestic industry is circulated by the Authority through the SETU Portal**, in accordance with the timeline prescribed in the Initiation Notification. **The response/submissions should not be filed by email.**
15. Interested parties may offer comments on the confidentiality claims made in the non-confidential version of documents within **7 days from the date of circulation of such non-confidential version**, in accordance with the Initiation Notification and applicable Trade Notices.
16. In terms of **Rule 6(6) read with Rule 26(5) of the Rules**, the Designated Authority may allow an interested party or its representative to present information relevant to the investigation orally. However, such oral information shall be taken into consideration only when it is subsequently reproduced in writing and placed on record in the prescribed manner.
17. All submissions, including data, annexures and worksheets forming part of the Questionnaire Response, must be filed in searchable electronic format, i.e. **MS Word/searchable PDF for narrative submissions and MS Excel for data files with properly linked calculations**, as applicable and in accordance with the relevant Trade Notices.
18. The unit of measurement in the present investigation is **Metric Ton (MT)**. Information should therefore be furnished in MT. Where information is maintained or furnished in any other unit, the same should be converted into MT and the conversion methodology should be clearly explained.
19. All interested parties are required to register themselves on the **SETU Portal (<https://setu.dgtr.gov.in/>)** in order to participate in the investigation. In case of any difficulty in registration, DGTR’s SETU Helpdesk may be contacted through the details available at <https://setu.dgtr.gov.in/help-desk>. All communications, Questionnaire Responses and submissions must be filed through the SETU Portal under the registered name of the interested party and the corresponding Case ID mentioned above.
20. You may contact this Office should you require any clarification and/or assistance in furnishing the information in the prescribed manner.
21. Your cooperation in providing complete and verifiable information within the prescribed time would assist the Authority in conducting the present investigation in a fair and time-bound manner.
22. Interested parties are advised to keep a regular watch on the official website of the Directorate General of Trade Remedies at www.dgtr.gov.in and the **SETU Portal (<https://setu.dgtr.gov.in/>)** for any updated

information, questionnaire formats, notices, corrigendum and other developments concerning the present investigation.

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Reference:

- 1. **Initiation Notification**
https://dgtr.gov.in/sites/default/files/2026-09/Initiation_CPVC_English_0.pdf
- 2. **Corrigendum dated 17.09.2026 regarding provisional assessment**
https://dgtr.gov.in/sites/default/files/2026-09/CPVC_Corrigendum_English%20%281%29.pdf
- 3. **Importer Questionnaire**
<https://www.dgtr.gov.in/en/anti-dumping-guidelines/importer-questionnaire>
- 4. **User Questionnaire**
<https://www.dgtr.gov.in/en/anti-dumping-guidelines/streamlining-anti-dumping-investigations-process-anti-dumping-questionnaire>
- 5. **Economic Interest Questionnaire** *(attached with this letter)*
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FIEO, FICCI, ASSOCHAM, Excise Law Times

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4. All concerned associations/organisations are requested to **disseminate the Initiation Notification and the Corrigendum amongst their members and other concerned stakeholders**, particularly

producers/exporters, importers/users and other parties concerned with the Product Under Investigation, for their information and participation in the investigation, as considered appropriate.

5. Interested parties intending to participate in the investigation are required to **register themselves on the SETU Portal (<https://setu.dgtr.gov.in/>)** and file their responses/submissions through the SETU Portal in accordance with the timelines and requirements prescribed in the Initiation Notification. Interested parties are also advised to keep a regular watch on the official website of DGTR and the SETU Portal for any updated information, notices, questionnaire requirements, corrigendum or other developments concerning the present investigation.

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