



MINISTRY OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY, MALAYSIA

## **NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

**SM 01/2020**

### **GLOBAL SAFEGUARD INVESTIGATION CONCERNING IMPORTS OF CERAMIC FLOOR AND WALL TILES INTO MALAYSIA**

1. The global Safeguard investigation concerning imports of ceramic floor and wall tiles into Malaysia was announced and initiated by the Government of Malaysia with effect from 13 September 2020, by a notice published in His Majesty's Government *Gazette* P.U.(B) 462/2020. The Government of Malaysia has decided to initiate a safeguard investigation for a preliminary determination be made in accordance with subsection 20(1) of the Safeguards Act 2006 [Act 657].

2. Pursuant to Section 18 of the Act and subregulation 21(3) of the Safeguards Regulations 2007, it is hereby notified that the Investigating Authority has scheduled a Public Hearing for the **global Safeguard investigation on imports of ceramic floor and wall tiles into Malaysia on Tuesday, 15 December 2020 at 10.00 am (MST)**. In view of the prevailing COVID-19 pandemic and the Conditional Movement Control Order in certain states in Malaysia, the Public Hearing will be held through Video Conference.

3. Registered interested parties to the Safeguard investigation are invited to participate in the Public Hearing by completing the following form that can be accessible through:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdt8gRhAH0JkXG7Ppl0v790vISQ\\_UNX3eFhqV1uZ08y1DxAw/viewform?usp=sf\\_link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdt8gRhAH0JkXG7Ppl0v790vISQ_UNX3eFhqV1uZ08y1DxAw/viewform?usp=sf_link)

In this regard, interested parties who are expected to participate in the Public Hearing shall submit to the Investigating Authority the:

- i) registration for Public Hearing participation by **Tuesday, 8 December 2020**;  
and
- ii) written submission of the oral presentation (confidential and non-confidential versions) by **Thursday, 10 December 2020**.

All submissions and further inquiries may be directed to the Director of Trade Practices via email at [alltps@miti.gov.my](mailto:alltps@miti.gov.my). The details of the video conferencing will be sent to the participating interested parties along with the receipt of participation confirmation.

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