

**File No. 7/15/2020-DGTR**  
Government of India  
Ministry of Commerce & Industry  
Department of Commerce  
Directorate General of Trade Remedies

Date: 13.10.2020

**NOTICE FOR ORAL HEARING**

**Subject: Oral Hearing in Sunset Review investigation concerning imports of “Carbon Black used in Rubber Applications” originating in or exported from China PR and Russia initiated on 20.5.2020 (Case No. (ADD-SSR-10/2020).**

The referenced subject Anti-Dumping investigation was initiated on 20.05.2020 under the Custom Tariff (Identification, Assessment and collection of Duty or Additional Duty on Dumped Articles and for determination & Injury) Rules 1995.

2. In pursuance of the aforesaid provision, and the prevailing Covid- 19 pandemic, the Designated Authority (DA) has scheduled oral hearing in the cited matter through Digital Video Conference (DVC)-NIC-Webex meeting on 23<sup>rd</sup> October, 2020 at 15:00 Hrs (Indian Standard Time).

3. The technical details for participation in the DVC are attached at annexure. Any interested party may participate in the oral hearing in case they wish to present such information relevant to the investigation.

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To  
All Interested Parties

## Annexure

**Technical Details for participation in the DVC pertaining to Oral Hearing in the Sunset Review investigation concerning imports of “Carbon Black used in Rubber Applications” originating in or exported from China PR and Russia initiated on 20.05.2020(Case No. (ADD-SSR-10/2020) -reg. on 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2020 at 15:00 Hrs.**

1. The Digital Video Conference (DVC) has been organised keeping in view the Covid-19 situation as is also mentioned in the Trade Notice 01/2020 dated 10.04.2020 uploaded on the DGTR's website as per the following link: <http://www.dgtr.gov.in/sites/default/files/Trade%20Notice%20Covid%2019.pdf> and other subsequent trade notice dated 06.10.2020 extending the validity till 31st December, 2020 ( [http://www.dgtr.gov.in/sites/default/files/trade%20notice\\_0.pdf](http://www.dgtr.gov.in/sites/default/files/trade%20notice_0.pdf) ).
2. To keep the participation manageable through digital mode, the number of participants of any interested party is restricted to two including the legal representative/coordinator. However, in case where an interested party may require additional persons to participate, the Authority may permit one additional participant for which request should be sent at least 24 hours in advance.
3. Any interested party may participate in the Video conference through the following mode of the NIC-WEBEX meeting link: NIC-WEBEX Web link: DGTR would be providing web link, to enable the interested parties to participate through NIC-WEBEX meeting mode. The interested party should confirm its participation at **24 hours in advance**. The interested parties would need to click on the link provided to join the video conference.
4. An interested party should provide name of the organisation/company, mobile No., and landline No. (With country/state code) and email of the participating legal representative/coordinator at the email address [adg13-dgtr@gov.in](mailto:adg13-dgtr@gov.in) and [dd17-dgtr@gov.in](mailto:dd17-dgtr@gov.in).
5. To participate in the video conferencing through NIC-WEBEX, please download the application 'webex' for joining the video conference through mobile/desktop. In case of any difficulty to join the video conference through 'NIC-WEBEX', copy and paste link on Internet Explorer/Chrome to join the video conference. Participants are advised to use headphones to minimise background noise. For any technical assistance, participants may contact the technical coordinator Mr. Abhishek Kumar Sanu, Mobile. No. +91- 9958847010.
6. The Directorate would share the web link with the coordinator/legal representative of the interested party prior to the oral hearing who may share it further with their other permitted participants.

7. Since oral submissions are to be subsequently reproduced in writing by each interested party after the oral hearing, the interested parties are requested to be brief and restrict their oral submissions to key aspects only.

8. In case any participants joining the DVC, is unable to complete his/her submission for any technical reason, he/she may file written submission which will be taken on record. Further, all written submissions will be shared amongst all participating interested parties as per the usual practice so as to enable all interested parties to file rejoinders. The time schedule for written submissions and rejoinders will be informed during the oral hearing.

9. The concerned Embassies/Country representative offices in India are requested to encourage/facilitate participation of the interested parties from their country in the oral hearing through DVC.

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