

During the month of May, 2020 Trade Defence Wing (TDW) was engaged in the following Countervailing Duty/ Anti-subsidy investigations initiated by WTO Member countries:

- I. During the month of May 2020, following submissions were made before the Investigating Agencies of our trading partners:
 - a. On 04th May 2020 TDW has filed the GOI responses before USDOC on the Questionnaire issued on Forged Fluid End Blocks (C-533-894) exported from India.
- II. On 15th May 2020, TDW through Embassy of India, Mexico City has participated I Public Hearing conducted by Mexican Authority on review of CVD orders on Metaprolol Tartrate exported from India.
- III. During the month of May 2020, following CVD and ADD investigations are initiated by WTO member countries against Indian exports:
 1. CVD Investigation
 - i. On 14th May 2020 USDOC has initiated an Administrative Review of CVD orders on Polyester Staple Fibre (C-533-876) exported from India.
 - ii. On 15th May 2020, USDOC has initiated an Administrative Review of CVD orders on Cold Drawn Mechanical Tubing (C-533-874) exported from India.
 2. ADD Investigation:
 - i) On 30th April, 2020 Argentina has initiated an ADD investigation on Protective Gloves exported from India.
- II. During the month of May 2020, following findings are issued by WTO member countries against Indian exports:
 - i. On May 26, 2020 China PR has decided to terminate the CVD investigation initiated on 7-phenylacetamido-3-chloromethyl-3-cephem-4-carboxylic acidpmethoxybenzyl ester originating in India.
 - ii. On 27th May 2020, Canada Border Service Agency (CBSA), Canada has issued the findings on the re-investigation of Normal Value and Export Price in Oil Country Tubular Goods (OCTG) exported from India. In this investigation, the petitioners has alleged that there is Particular Market Situation available in India for OCTG. TDW has defended this allegation and in the findings, CBSA has accepted the arguments given by TDW and determined that there is no Particular Market Situation in India on OCTG