



**UNITED STATES – COUNTERVAILING MEASURES ON CERTAIN  
HOT-ROLLED CARBON STEEL FLAT PRODUCTS FROM INDIA**

**RECOURSE TO ARTICLE 21.5 OF THE DSU BY INDIA**

**CONSTITUTION OF THE PANEL**

*Note by the Secretariat*

1. At its meeting on 27 April 2018, the Dispute Settlement Body (DSB) referred this dispute, if possible, to the original Panel in accordance with Article 21.5 of the Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes (DSU) to examine the matter referred to the DSB by India in document WT/DS436/18.

2. The Panel's terms of reference are the following:

To examine, in the light of the relevant provisions of the covered agreements cited by the parties to the dispute, the matter referred to the DSB by India in document WT/DS436/18 and to make such findings as will assist the DSB in making the recommendations or in giving the rulings provided for in those agreements.

3. In accordance with Article 21.5 of the DSU, the Panel was composed on 25 May 2018 as follows:

Chairman: Mr Hugh McPhail  
Members: Mr Anthony Abad  
Mr Hanspeter Tschaeni

4. China, Egypt, the European Union, Japan, and the Russian Federation have reserved their rights to participate in the Panel proceedings as third parties.

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