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**INDIA – CERTAIN MEASURES RELATING TO SOLAR CELLS  
AND SOLAR MODULES**

**COMMUNICATION FROM THE PANEL**

The following communication, dated 25 February, was received from the Chairperson of the Panel with the request that it be circulated to the Dispute Settlement Body.

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In a communication dated 24 March 2015 (WT/DS456/7), the Panel informed the Dispute Settlement Body that it expected to issue its final report to the parties by late August 2015, in accordance with the timetable adopted after consultation with the parties. The Panel issued its final report to the parties on 28 August 2015. Public circulation of the report was originally scheduled for late December 2015. The parties requested on several occasions that circulation of the report be delayed due to continuing discussions relating to the dispute, with the most recent request for delay until 24 February 2016. In accordance with the parties' request, circulation was delayed until 24 February 2016.

I would be grateful if you would circulate this letter to the Members of the DSB.

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