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**EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES – DEFINITIVE ANTI-DUMPING MEASURES
ON CERTAIN IRON OR STEEL FASTENERS FROM CHINA**

Status Report by the European Union

Addendum

The following communication, dated 11 October 2012, from the delegation of the European Union to the Chairperson of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated pursuant to Article 21.6 of the DSU.

Status Report Regarding Implementation of the
DSB Recommendations and Rulings in the Dispute
*European Communities – Definitive Anti-Dumping Measures
on Certain Iron or Steel Fasteners from China*
(WT/DS397)

The European Union refers to the recommendations and rulings in the dispute *European Communities - Definitive Anti-Dumping Measures on Certain Iron or Steel Fasteners from China* (WT/DS397). The European Union hereby informs the Dispute Settlement Body that it has adopted the measures necessary to comply with those recommendations before the expiry of the reasonable period of time agreed with China. In particular:

i) Regulation (EU) No 765/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 13 June 2012 amending Council Regulation (EC) No 1225/2009 on protection against dumped imports from countries not members of the European Community ("Basic Anti-dumping Regulation"), published in the Official Journal of the European Union on 3 September 2012 (OJ L 237, 3.9.2012, p. 1). This Regulation fully implements the recommendations and rulings with regard to Article 9(5) "as such" of the Basic Anti-dumping Regulation.

ii) Council Implementing Regulation (EU) No 924/2012 of 4 October 2012 amending Regulation (EC) No 91/2009 imposing a definitive anti-dumping duty on imports of certain iron or steel fasteners originating in the People's Republic of China, published in the Official Journal of the European Union on 10 October 2012 (OJ L 275, 10.10.2012, p. 1). This Regulation fully implements the recommendations and rulings with regard to the relevant anti-dumping measures on fasteners from China.

The adoption of the measures listed above ensures the full implementation of the DSB recommendations and rulings of the DSB in this dispute.
