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STATUS REPORT REGARDING IMPLEMENTATION OF THE DSB RECOMMENDATIONS AND RULINGS BY INDONESIA

Addendum

The following communication, dated 16 July 2020, from the delegation of Indonesia to the Chairperson of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated pursuant to Article 21.6 of the DSU.

Indonesia submits this report pursuant to Article 21.6 of the Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes (DSU).

Indonesia would like to reiterate its commitment to implementing the recommendations and rulings of the DSB in these disputes. This commitment has been demonstrated by carrying out necessary adjustments to the relevant MoA and MoT regulations. These adjustments have also been regularly reported to this Body. Indonesia notes continued concerns, especially on specific measures raised by New Zealand and the United States in previous DSB meetings.

Regarding measure 18, as reported in the previous meetings, the draft amendment of the relevant laws has been sent by the Government to the Parliament. Ongoing discussion between the Government and the Parliament has been taking place, despite the implementation of large-scale social restrictions due to pandemic of Covid-19.

Indonesia will continue to engage with New Zealand and the United States regarding matters related to the recommendations and rulings of the DSB.