



## Register as an exporter to the case

### Safeguard measures on certain steel products

#### Case: TF0006

Period of Investigation (POI):	2013 - 2017
Most Recent Period (MRP):	1 January 2018 to 30 June 2020
Deadline for response:	15 October 2020
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Completed on behalf of:	Marcegaglia Plates SpA

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## Section A – Your company's interest in the case

To register your company's interest in this case, please complete the text boxes below. You should use this form if you are an exporter of the goods subject to review. For a definition of goods subject to review, please refer to the Notice of Initiation.

1. Please describe the role of your company in relation to the goods subject to review, like goods or directly competitive goods:

*Marcegaglia Plates is an Italian producer of hot-rolled (quarto) plates with its quarto rolling mill in San Giorgio di Nogaro (Province of Udine, Italy).*

*The goods manufactured by Marcegaglia Plates fall within Product Category 7 - Non Alloy and Other Alloy Quarto Plates and are classified under CN codes 7208 51 20, 7208 51 91, 7208 51 98, 7208 52 91, 7208 90 20, 7208 90 80, 7210 90 30, 7225 40 12, 7225 40 40 and 7225 40 60.*

*Marcegaglia Plates exports around 60% of its yearly production*

2. Please describe your interest in this case:

*Marcegaglia Plates plays an important role in supplying UK importers and users of hot-rolled plates. It thus wishes to be registered as an interested party in this case.*

*Marcegaglia Plates' interest in this case lies in the possibility to continue to export free of duty and without being limited by tariff-rate quotas to the UK part of its production and to maintain the market share gained over the years.*



## Section B – Additional information

Use the box below to provide any other relevant information which you think would be useful to help our review.

This may include:

- other parties which you think should be invited to register an interest in the case;
- scope of the review, including product categories and/or custom codes you think should be added or removed, and reasons why; or
- anything else you consider relevant.

*The UK market for quarto plates has historically relied on heavy imports from EU countries and the rest of the world. In fact, the UK domestic quarto plates industry does not have sufficient capacity to meet the demand of users in the UK.*

*The recent developments with regard to the UK quarto plates industry (closures, idling procedures and change of properties) have highlighted the importance of imports of heavy plates into the UK in order to meet the domestic demand both in terms of quantity and product range.*

*In view of the above, Marcegaglia Plates calls for the termination of the safeguard measures applied to Product Category 7. In the alternative, Marcegaglia Plates requests that the volume of the tariff-rate quotas applicable to Product Category 7 should be increased to reflect the needs of users in the UK, which largely rely on imports.*