

## **TRANSITION REVIEW No.TD0001**

Anti-dumping duties on certain welded tubes and pipes, of iron or non-alloy steel originating in the Republic of Belarus, the People's Republic of China and the Russian Federation.

## Note to the file

The Secretary of State for International Trade (the Secretary of State) received a communication from UK Steel and TATA outlining difficulties they are experiencing in participating fully in the transition review due to the global impact of COVID-19. UK Steel and TATA clarified that, given the operational challenges they were facing, an extension of no less three months would allow them to make a material contribution to the transition review.

Having considered the position, the Secretary of State has determined that granting an extension would not significantly impede the progress of the transition review. A three-month extension has been agreed and the new deadline is 27<sup>th</sup> July 2020.

## **Further information**

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