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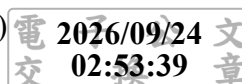
主旨：有關馬達加斯加通知世界貿易組織（WTO）針對進口「糙米、半碾或全碾稻米及碎米」（Husked rice, semi-milled or wholly milled rice, whether or not polished or glazed, and broken rice）產品展開防衛措施調查事，請查照。

說明：

- 一、依據WTO秘書處本（115）年9月22日公布之9月2日第G/SG/N/6/MDG/20號通知文件（如附件）辦理。
- 二、馬達加斯加通知WTO防衛委員會，因有表面證據顯示，旨揭產品於113年至114年之進口量增加205.7%，進口量佔國內產量之比例亦由17%攀升至近50%，而國內產業在同期間之產量、市佔率及產能利用率皆下跌，馬國爰決定對旨揭產品展開防衛調查，以釐清進口增加與國內產業損害間之因果關係。
- 三、欲登記為利害關係人者須於調查公告發布之日起30日內向馬國調查機關登記並提交書面意見，問卷則須於收件後30日內填妥寄回。另馬國調查機關可依利害關係人申請或依職權舉行聽證會。

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**NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 12.1(A) OF THE AGREEMENT ON SAFEGUARDS ON
INITIATION OF AN INVESTIGATION AND THE REASONS FOR IT**

MADAGASCAR

Husked rice, semi-milled or wholly milled rice, whether or not polished or glazed, and broken rice

The following communication, dated and received on 2 September 2026, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Madagascar.

Pursuant to Article 12.1(a) of the WTO Agreement on Safeguards, Madagascar hereby notifies the Committee on Safeguards of the initiation of a safeguard investigation in respect of imports of husked rice, semi-milled or wholly milled rice, whether or not polished or glazed, and broken rice.

1. Specify the date when the investigation was initiated

31 August 2026.

A notice concerning the initiation of the investigation was made available to the public on the website of the National Authority for Trade Remedies (ANMCC) www.anmcc.org.*

2. Provide the precise description of the product involved

Husked rice, semi-milled or wholly milled rice, whether or not polished or glazed, and broken rice.

HS code(s): 1006.20, 1006.30, 1006.3010, 1006.3090, 1006.4000.

3. Provide the reasons for the initiation of investigation, for example:

- (i) Was the investigation initiated pursuant to a petition from the domestic industry?**
- (ii) Evidence on the basis of which the investigation was initiated.**
- (iii) Evidence, if any, of critical circumstances where delay would cause damage which it would be difficult to repair.**

The information available at the time of initiation indicates, *prima facie*, a recent, sudden, and substantial increase in imports of the product concerned. Imports increased from 262,002 tonnes in 2024 to 800,812 tonnes in 2025, representing an increase of 205.7% in one year. Expressed as a proportion of domestic industry production, imports increased from approximately 17% to nearly 50% over the same period.

This increase coincided with a deterioration in several economic indicators for the domestic industry. Between 2023 and 2025, production and sales declined by 25.6% and 25.4%, respectively, while

* A copy of the notice of initiation has also been submitted electronically and is available to government representatives. To consult this document, please contact Ms Richards (anne.richards@wto.org) of the Rules Division.

the domestic industry's market share fell from 84% to 67% and its production capacity utilization rate declined from 35% to 24%.

In 2025, the sharp increase in imports and their market share thus coincided with the continued deterioration in several indicators of the domestic industry. At the stage of initiation, these elements provide sufficient grounds for initiating an investigation to determine whether there has been an increase in imports, serious injury or a threat of serious injury, and a causal link, while examining other factors that may have contributed to the injury.

4. Provide a point of contact for the investigation and identify the preferred means for corresponding.

The point of contact would be available to respond to enquiries relating to the procedures applicable to the investigation.

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5. Provide the deadlines and procedures for importers, exporters and other interested parties to present evidence and their views, including

- (i) deadlines and procedures for Members and exporters to identify themselves as interested parties, if so required, to participate in the investigation, and**
- (ii) the date of an intended public hearing as provided for in Article 3.1. Note: At the time of the initiation, if the authority has not decided whether or not to hold such a hearing, or if the date of the hearing is undetermined, Members should indicate under this item how such information would be publicized. Members are not obliged to submit another notification simply due to the fact that the proposed date has subsequently been changed.**

Any interested person has thirty (30) days from the publication of the notice of initiation to make themselves known to the ANMCC and submit comments. The completed questionnaires must be returned within thirty (30) working days of receipt.

The ANMCC may hold public hearings at the request of interested parties or on its own initiative. Any request for an extension must be duly justified and submitted before the expiry of the relevant time limit. In the absence of a response, or in the event of incorrect or incomplete information, determinations may be made on the basis of the best information available.
