

Minister Wilson also noted that the government has taken a number of initiatives in support of the Canadian steel industry. Most recently, on June 17, Minister Wilson and the Honourable Don Mazankowski announced measures to respond to the Canadian steel industry's concerns about the impact of imports on the Canadian steel market. The ministers announced the establishment of a government/industry Import Surveillance Committee, and an independent study of the differences between U.S. and Canadian trade remedy laws.

The DOC also announced today final determinations of subsidy against imports of the same products from 13 countries. Canada was not included in the countervailing duty investigations initiated by the DOC last summer at the request of U.S. industry.

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