



Canadian International
Trade Tribunal

Tribunal canadien du
commerce extérieur

The Tribunal is taking the following measures given the current COVID-19 situation, effective immediately.

The Tribunal remains open for business but asks that parties and the public refrain from visiting its premises without prior notice.

The Tribunal's electronic filing system is fully operational. The electronic filing of all case documents is mandated by the Tribunal's Rules.

All scheduled in-person appeal hearings (case files beginning with AP, EP, EA) are cancelled up to Monday, June 15, 2020, inclusively. The Tribunal will communicate with all affected parties to reschedule hearings and notably to offer them to proceed by way of file hearing or videoconference. All scheduled filing deadlines are maintained; however, the Tribunal understands that parties may need to seek extensions; these will be dealt with on a case-by-case basis.

Procurement review cases will continue to follow their course, and scheduled filing deadlines are also maintained; the Tribunal will deal with any requests for extension of filing deadlines on a case-by-case basis, within the constraints of statutory deadlines.

Anti-dumping, countervail, and safeguard matters continue to follow their course and scheduled filing deadlines are maintained. Any requests for extension of filing deadlines will be considered by the Tribunal on a case-by-case basis, as the circumstances permit, and within the constraints of statutory deadlines. Hearings in trade remedy proceedings scheduled for June 2020 are not expected to be held in person. The Tribunal will provide further directions and information regarding the affected proceedings in due course.

The Tribunal has no power to modify deadlines that are set out in statute.

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