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**INDIA - MEASURES CONCERNING TRADE IN THE AUTOMOTIVE
AND RENEWABLE ENERGY TECHNOLOGY SECTORS**

CONSTITUTION OF THE PANEL ESTABLISHED AT THE REQUEST OF CHINA

NOTE BY THE SECRETARIAT

1. At its meeting on 24 February 2026, the Dispute Settlement Body (DSB) established a panel pursuant to the request of China in document WT/DS642/2, in accordance with Article 6 of the Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes (DSU).¹

2. The Panel's terms of reference are the following:

To examine, in the light of the relevant provisions of the covered agreements cited by the parties to the dispute, the matter referred to the DSB by China in document WT/DS642/2 and to make such findings as will assist the DSB in making the recommendations or in giving the rulings provided for in those agreements.

3. Further to the agreement of the parties on the three panelists to serve in this dispute, the Panel was composed on 28 May 2026 as follows:

Chairperson: Ms Andrea Marie DAWES (née BROWN)

Members: Mr Welber Oliveira BARRAL
Ms Cherise VALLES

4. Australia, Canada, Colombia, the European Union, Indonesia, Japan, the Republic of Korea, Norway, the Russian Federation, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Thailand, Türkiye, the United Kingdom, and the United States have reserved their rights to participate in the Panel proceedings as third parties.

¹ See WT/DSB/M/510.