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## United States and China Reach a Trade Deal

Dear Valued Customer,

President Trump tweeted today that the United States (U.S.) and China reached a “very large Phase One Deal”. The Office of the U.S. Trade Representative (USTR) issued a press release confirming an agreement between the U.S. and China. Due to terms of the agreement, changes to Section 301 Safeguard tariffs are to be made:

- 15% duties to be effective on List 4B December 15, 2019 will not be assessed
- Duties of 15% effective on List 4A September 1, 2019 will be reduced to 7.5%

The 25% safeguard tariffs will remain on List 1, 2, and 3 products for now.

Additional information can be found in the USTR’s press release [here](#).

Thank you for being our Valued Customer. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact your C.H. Robinson representative.

Sincerely,  
C.H. Robinson

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