

20 April 2023

NOTICE TO RELEVANT STAKEHOLDERS

Dear Sir/Ma'am:

This refers to the draft regulations distributed through the World Trade Organization – Technical Barriers to Trade (WTO-TBT) website (www.epingalert.org) from 18 to 14 April 2023.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the notified draft technical regulations from Brazil and United States:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/B RA/1481	Brazil	Date of Distribution: 12 April 2023 Deadline for Comments: Not Applicable	Biodiesel	Resolution ANP No. 920 establishes the specification of biodiesel and the obligations regarding quality control to be met by economic agents that market the product in Brazilian territory
G/TBT/N/U SA/1983	United States	Date of Distribution: 13 April 2023 Deadline for Comments: 12 June 2023	Petroleum equivalent fuel economy calculation	The U.S. Department of Energy ("DOE") proposes to revise its regulations regarding procedures for calculating a value for the petroleum-equivalent fuel economy of electric vehicles (or "EVs") for use in the Corporate Average Fuel Economy (CAFE) program administered by the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT). This Notice of proposed rulemaking ("NOPR") also grants a petition for rulemaking submitted by the Natural Resources Defense Council (NRDC) and Sierra Club and responds to comments submitted on that petition (identified by Docket Number EERE-2021-VT-0033).

To access the notification form, right click the document symbol to open the hyperlink. Should you have any queries on this matter or request for full text of draft regulation in English, please do not hesitate to email us at BPS@dti.gov.ph copy bps.smd@dti.gov.ph.

Thank you.

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