

30 June 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 17 to 23 June 2023.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the three (3) notified draft technical regulations from three (3) WTO Members:

Document	Notifying	Relevant Dates	Products	Summary
Symbol G/TBT/N/EGY/ 156/Add.4	Member Egypt	Date of Distribution: June 19, 2023 Deadline for Comments: Not indicated	Covered Safety of toys: migration of certain elements	Products covered: Other audio, video and audiovisual equipment (ICS: 33.160.99)This addendum concerns the notification of the draft of the Egyptian Standard ES 7993"energy efficiency label for television and displays"(37 pages, in English).It should be noted that the Ministerial Decree No. 102/2019 (2 pages, in Arabic) which was formerly notified in G/TBT/N/EGY/156/Add.3 dated 15 May 2019 mandated among others
<u>G/TBT/N/GEO/</u> 124	Georgia	Date of Distribution: June 20, 2023 Deadline for Comments: August 19, 2023	Radio equipment	the earlier version of this Egyptian Standard. Define requirement on radio equipment for placing on market and putting into service. The present technical regulation was elaborated according to Directive 2014/53/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 April 2014.
<u>G/TBT/N/NZL/</u> 126	New Zealand	Date of Distribution: June 21, 2023	Electronic displays	The notified consultation document presents policy options to: Increase the Minimum

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[•] World Trade Organization (WTO) Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT)

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⁻ National Notification Authority (NNA)

Deadline for	Energy Performance
Comments:	Standards (MEPS) and
August 20, 2023	update the Mandatory
	Energy Performance
	Labelling (MEPL)
	requirements for
	televisions and computer
	monitors. Introduce
	MEPS and MEPL
	requirements for digital
	signage displays.

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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