

23 June 2022

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.tbts.wto.org) from 11 to 17 June 2022.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the four (4) notified draft technical regulations from two (3) WTO Member Countries:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/BRA/1333/Corr.1	Brazil	Date of Distribution: 13 June 2022 Deadline for Comments: Not Applicable	Software as a medical device - Corrigendum	The following communication, dated 10 June 2022, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Brazil.
G/TBT/N/CHL/598	Chile	Date of Distribution: 17 June 2022 Deadline for Comments: 16 August 2022	HIV detection devices	Exempt Decree No. 41/2022 of the Ministry of Health allows incorporation to the sanitary control established in Chile for devices for HIV detection that indicates, governed according to the provisions of the Supreme Decree N° 825 of 1998, of the Ministry of Health, approving the Regulation of control of products and items for medical use, which results in various activities aimed at verify that they comply with certain technical specifications to guarantee its quality and adequate performance, which are indicated in the Decree that is notified
G/TBT/N/PHL/186/Add.4	Philippines	Date of Distribution: 17 June 2022 Deadline for Comments: Not Applicable	Medical devices - Addendum	The following communication, dated 17 June 2022, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the Philippines

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G/TBT/N/PHL/290	Philippines	Date of Distribution: 15 June 2022 Deadline for Comments: 17 June 2022	World Health Organization (WHO) prequalified pharmaceutical products and vaccines	The proposed issuance aims to provide the implementing guidelines of the collaborative procedure for accelerated registration of WHO-prequalified pharmaceutical products and vaccines to guide the concerned stakeholders
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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 Mrs. Catherine Antonio-Paguinto (CatherineAntonio@dti.gov.ph) and Ms. Jasmin E. Metre (JasminMetre@dti.gov.ph).

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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