

29 July 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.tbims.wto.org](http://www.tbims.wto.org)) from 16 to 22 July 2022.

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

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/LT/U/47</a>	Lithuania	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 21 July 2022  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 20 September 2022	Tetrahydrocannabinol (THC)	The Draft order aims to establish safe, non-hazardous for human and animal health maximum permitted levels of tetrahydrocannabinol (hereinafter - THC) in specific hemp products or categories thereof, intended for final consumption, in accordance with Article 4 (4) of the Law on Hemp of the Republic of Lithuania
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/U/GA/1654</a>	Uganda	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 21 July 2022  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 20 September 2022	Biofertilizers	This Draft Uganda Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for biofertilizers
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/IS/R/1266</a>	Israel	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 20 July 2022  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 19 September 2022	Titanium dioxide	A new amendment to the list of allowed food additives detailed in the First Annex of Public Health Regulations (Food) (Food Additives). This amendment removes E171 (Titanium dioxide) from the list and prohibits its use in food

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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