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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 23 to 29 July 2022.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the seven (7) notified draft technical regulations from three (3) WTO Member Countries:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/B/HR/635	Kingdom of Bahrain	Date of Distribution: 25 July 2022 Deadline for Comments: 23 September 2022	Almeassel tobacco	All almeassel tobacco products Imported to Kingdom of Bahrain must have the digital stamps placed in the packaging
G/TBT/N/B/RA/682/Ad d.3	Brazil	Date of Distribution: 25 July 2022 Deadline for Comments: Not Indicated	Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding - Addendum	Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply – MAPA issued Ordinance SDA No. 605, 23 June 2022, that extends the deadline established in the art. 4 of Normative Instruction No. 14, 15 July 2016, until 31 May 2022
G/TBT/N/B/RA/739/Ad d.2	Brazil	Date of Distribution: 28 July 2022 Deadline for Comments: Not Indicated	Vegetables "in nature" - Addendum	Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply – MAPA issued Ordinance No. 458, 21 July 2022 that amends MAPA Normative Instruction No. 69, 6 November 2018, establishing technical regulation defining minimum requirements for identity and quality of 'in nature' vegetables
G/TBT/N/B/RA/949/Ad d.2	Brazil	Date of Distribution: 28 July 2022 Deadline for Comments: Not Indicated	Gelatin, fish gelatin and hydrolyzed gelatin, collagen, skin, shavings and scrapes for gelatin and collagen	Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply – MAPA issued SDA Ordinance No. 626, 22 July 2022 that extends the deadline for compliance with the arts. 6th and 15th

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			production - Addendum	of Ordinance SDA No. 384, of August 25, 2021, which approves the standards of identity and quality for gelatin, hydrolyzed gelatin and edible collagen.
G/TBT/N/BRA/949/Add.2/Corr.1	Brazil	Date of Distribution: 29 July 2022 Deadline for Comments: Not Indicated	Gelatin, fish gelatin and hydrolyzed gelatin, collagen, skin, shavings and scrapes for gelatin and collagen production - Corrigendum	This correction aims to inform the link to access the text of the notification G/TBT/N/BRA/949/Add.2.
G/TBT/N/BRA/1414	Brazil	Date of Distribution: 28 July 2022 Deadline for Comments: 23 September 2022	Veterinary products	MAPA/SDA Ordinance No. 624 opens a 75-day period for public consultation of draft Decree that approves the regulation of registration, employment and supervision of products for veterinary use.
G/TBT/N/SWE/144	Sweden	Date of Distribution: 25 July 2022 Deadline for Comments: 23 September 2022	Tobacco-free nicotine products	The ordinance on amending the Ordinance on tobacco-free nicotine products (2022:1263) proposes supplementary provisions to the Act on tobacco free nicotine products (2022:1257) concerning the various requirements on manufacturers, importers and retailers that offer tobacco-free nicotine products to consumers

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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