

09 December 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.epingalert.org) from 19 to 25 November 2022.

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

Document	Notifying	Relevant	Products	Summary
Symbol	Member	Dates	Covered	
<u>G/TBT/N/KW</u> <u>T/608</u>	State of Kuwait	Date of Distribution: 25 November 2022 Deadline for Comments: 23 January 2023	Electric clothes washing machines with a capacity up to 25 kg	This Kuwait Technical Regulation is concerned with performance and energy labeling requirements for electric clothes washing machines with a capacity up to 25 kg.
G/TBT/N/UKR /238	Ukraine	Date of Distribution: 23 November 2022 Deadline for Comments: 21 January 2023	Household refrigerating appliances	The draft Order of the Ministry of Energy of Ukraine "On Approval of the Technical Regulation on Energy Labelling of Refrigerating Appliances" is developed in order to regulate the requirements for energy labelling of refrigerating appliances in accordance with the updated EU legislation, as well as to provide consumers with information on the level of efficiency of energy consumption by refrigerating appliances and additional
<u>G/TBT/N/UKR</u> / <u>239</u>	Ukraine	Date of Distribution: 23 November 2022 Deadline for Comments: 21 January 2023	Household washing machines and household washer-dryers	The draft Order of the Ministry of Energy of Ukraine "On Approval of the Technical Regulation on Energy Labelling of Refrigerating Appliances" is developed in order to regulate the requirements for energy labelling of refrigerating appliances in accordance with the updated EU legislation, as

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				well as to provide consumers with information on the level of efficiency of energy consumption by refrigerating appliances and additional information that will enable consumers to choose the most energy efficient products.
<u>G/TBT/N/USA</u> / <u>1873/Add.1/</u> <u>Corr.1</u>	United States	Date of Distribution: 24 November 2022 Deadline for Comments: Not Indicated	Energy labelling rule - Corrigendum	The Federal Trade Commission ("Commission") published a document in the Federal Register of 12 October 2022, concerning the Energy Labeling Rule. Soon after publication, Commission staff learned that the document contained an incorrect number. The Commission is issuing this correction to reflect the corrected number.

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 <u>BPS@dti.gov.ph</u> copy <u>bps.smd@dti.gov.ph</u>.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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