

21 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](http://www.epingalert.org)) from 03 to 09 December 2022.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the two (2) notified draft technical regulations from United States:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/USA/1194/Rev.1</a>	United States	<p><b>Date of Distribution:</b> 06 December 2022</p> <p><b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 31 January 2023</p>	Dedicated-purpose pool pumps - Revision	Notice of proposed rulemaking and announcement of public meeting - The U.S. Department of Energy ("DOE") proposes to amend the test procedures for dedicated-purpose pool pumps ("DPPPs") to incorporate by reference the latest version of the relevant industry standards, to codify DOE's current enforcement policy regarding the scope of the DPPP test procedure pertaining to DPPPs that cannot be appropriately tested by the current DOE test procedure, to align DOE's DPPP definitions with DOE's corresponding DPPP motor definitions, and to remove an obsolete DOE DPPP test procedure appendix. DOE is seeking comment from interested parties on the proposal.
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/USA/1951</a>	United States	<p><b>Date of Distribution:</b> 07 December 2022</p> <p><b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 06 February 2023</p>	Circulator pumps	The Energy Policy and Conservation Act, as amended ("EPCA"), prescribes energy conservation standards for various consumer products and certain commercial and industrial equipment, including circulator pumps. In

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				this notice of proposed rulemaking ("NOPR"), DOE proposes energy conservation standards for circulator pumps, and also announces a public meeting to receive comment on these proposed standards and associated analyses and results. The public meeting will be held via webinar on Thursday, 19 January 2023.
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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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