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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.epingalert.org) from 15 to 21 October 2022.

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

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/HKG/53	Hong Kong	Date of Distribution: 20 October 2022 Deadline for Comments: 04 November 2022	Air compressors and hand held percussive breakers	To tighten the noise emission standards for hand held percussive breakers above 10kg through legislative amendments. The proposed standards for hand held percussive breakers have made reference to overseas standards recognized internationally, and taken local situation into account.
G/TBT/N/HKG/54	Hong Kong	Date of Distribution: 17 October 2022 Deadline for Comments: 15 December 2022	Portable air compressors, used for the purpose of any construction work, capable of supplying air above 500 kPa	To tighten the noise emission standards for portable air compressors, used for the purpose of any construction work, capable of supplying air above 500 kPa pressure through legislative amendments. The proposed standards for portable air compressors have made reference to overseas standards recognized internationally, and taken local situation into account.

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 bps.smd@dti.gov.ph.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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