

09 November 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 22 to 28 October 2022.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the four (4) notified draft technical regulations from Burundi and Ukraine:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/BDI/276	Burundi	Date of Distribution: 25 October 2022 Deadline for Comments: 23 December 2022	Base oil	This Draft East Africa Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for base oils composed of hydrocarbons and intended for use in formulating products including automotive and industrial lubricants. This standard does not cover base oils containing detectable levels of esters, animal fats, vegetable oils, or other materials used as, or blended into, lubricants.
G/TBT/N/BDI/277	Burundi	Date of Distribution: 25 October 2022 Deadline for Comments: 23 December 2022	Heavy fuel oils	This Draft East Africa Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for heavy fuel oils intended for oil-fired furnaces and boilers for industrial use
G/TBT/N/BDI/278	Burundi	Date of Distribution: 25 October 2022 Deadline for Comments: 23 December 2022	Liquefied petroleum (LPG)	This Draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, sampling, and test methods for liquefied petroleum gases (LPG) intended for use as domestic, commercial, and industrial heating and engine fuels. This standard covers LPG consisting of commercial propane, commercial butane, and commercial propane butane (PB) mixture.

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G/TBT/N/UKR/233	Ukraine	<p>Date of Distribution: 27 October 2022</p> <p>Deadline for Comments: 25 December 2022</p>	Liquefied gas for road transport, household and industrial use	The Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine of 29 July 2020 No. 667 (as amended) approved the Technical regulation on the requirements for liquefied gas for road transport, household and industrial use. This Technical regulation establishes requirements for liquefied gas used in vehicles with engines specially designed or converted to run on liquefied gas, and liquefied gas used as fuel for domestic and industrial purposes, which are placed on the market of Ukraine. The date of entry into force of the Resolution was determined as November 5, 2022.
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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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