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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 12 to 18 November 2022.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the notified draft technical regulations from New Zealand:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/NZL/116	New Zealand	<p>Date of Distribution: 14 November 2022</p> <p>Deadline for Comments: 11 February 2023</p>	Fluorinated gases	The attached consultation document outlines New Zealand's proposals to reduce emissions from Fluorinated gases and refrigerants. This includes proposals for a mandatory product stewardship scheme for refrigerants, and stepped prohibitions on both the import and sale of goods containing hydrofluorocarbon (HFC) refrigerants (referred to as pre-charged equipment).

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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