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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 19 to 25 November 2022.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the notified draft technical regulation from Canada:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/CAN/683	Canada	<p>Date of Distribution: 21 November 2022</p> <p>Deadline for Comments: 19 January 2023</p>	Construction and equipment of new vessels 24 metres or more in length	Transport Canada is proposing to update and consolidate requirements for the construction and equipment of new vessels 24 metres or more in length (excluding fishing vessels and pleasure craft as these vessels are governed by separate sets of regulations under the Canada Shipping Act, 2001 (CSA 2001)) into the new Vessel Construction and Equipment Regulations (the proposed Regulations). The proposed Regulations would also consolidate crew accommodation construction requirements for Canadian vessels that are required to be registered under Part 2 of the CSA 2001. The proposed Regulations would simplify the regulatory framework, while ensuring Canadian requirements for these vessels are clear and consistent with international requirements, modern standards, and industry best practices.

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Thank you.

Sincerely,



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