

10 October 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 24 to 30 September 2022.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the seven (7) notified draft technical regulations from four (4) WTO Members:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/BE/L/46</a>	Belgium	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 28 September 2022  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 26 November 2022	5G networks	This draft Royal Decree gives effect to article 105, § 8 of the Belgian Act of the 13th of June 2005 on electronic communications. It imposes the necessary rules on MNOs, full MVNOs and certain companies having a private 5G network to ensure that they carry out within the European Union the activities that are absolutely necessary for the operation, security and continuity of their network
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/BE/L/47</a>	Belgium	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 28 September 2022  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 26 November 2022	5G network deployment	This draft Royal Decree lays down the necessary details to implement the system of ministerial authorisation as introduced by Article 105 of the Belgian Act of the 13th of June 2005 on electronic communications. It establishes the restrictions on the use of active 5G network elements manufactured by high-risk manufacturers of such elements, and on the use of service providers to manage and monitor their 5G network elements
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/BR/A/1450</a>	Brazil	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 27 September 2022	TV smart box	Public Consultation Proposal for technical requirements for conformity assessment of TV Smart Box

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		<b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 20 November 2022		
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/JPN/638/Add.1</a>	Japan	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 30 September 2022  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> Not Indicated	Radio station for cable TV transmission line complementation - Addendum	As announced in G/TBT/N/JPN/638 dated 12 November, 2019, the revisions entered into force on 30 March, 2020. The texts of the amendments in Japanese are available on the following website of the Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications.
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/JPN/695/Add.1</a>	Japan	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 30 September 2022  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> Not Indicated	Ku-band non-geostationary satellite communications systems by satellite constellation around 500km altitude - Addendum	As announced in G/TBT/N/JPN/695 dated 30 March, 2021, the revisions entered into force on 20 August, 2021. The texts of the amendments in Japanese are available on the following website of the Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications.
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/USA/1925</a>	United States	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 28 September 2022  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 24 October 2022	Digital low power television and television translator stations	Proposed rules - In this document, the Federal Communications Commission (Commission or FCC) seeks comment on adjustments to certain (regulations) to reflect the current operating environment, including the termination of analog operations in the low power television (LPTV)/translator service as of 13 July 2021.
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/USA/1925/Add.1</a>	United States	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 30 September 2022  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 07 November 2022	Digital low power television and television translator stations - Addendum	In this document, the Federal Communications Commission (Commission or FCC) seeks comment on adjustments to certain (regulations) to reflect the current operating environment, including the termination of analog operations in the low power television (LPTV)/translator service as of 13 July 2021. This notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM) seeks

				comment on certain amendments, including proposing to adopt rules previously applicable to analog operations for digital operations, updating geographic coordinates to the current North American Datum (NAD) standard, modifying station identification requirements, requiring LPTV stations to transmit with a virtual channel that avoids conflicts with other stations, updating the process for filing applications with the Commission, and making certain technical modifications.
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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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