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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 07 to 13 January 2023.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the notified draft technical regulation from The Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/TPK/M/505/Add.1	The Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu	Date of Distribution: 13 January 2023 Deadline for Comments: Not Indicated	Cement - Addendum	With a view to enhancing the quality of cements, the Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection (BSMI) adopted the updated version of CNS 15286 "Blended hydraulic cements," to its current version, published in 2022, as the inspection standard. The main change of CNS 15286 is that Type IL-Portland-limestone cement and Type IT-Ternary blended cement are added in the classification of blended hydraulic cements. Portland-limestone cement shall be hydraulic cement in which its limestone content is more than 5% but less than or equal to 15% by mass of the blended cement.

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.

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