

27 April 2023

**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 15 to 21 April 2023.

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

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
<a href="#">G/TBT/NE U/967</a>	European Union	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 20 April 2023  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 18 July 2023	Non-road mobile machinery circulating on public roads	The proposal for a Regulation ('proposal') lays down technical requirements, administrative requirements and procedures, for the EU type-approval and placing on the market, for the mobile machinery within the scope of the proposal. In addition, the proposal lays down rules and procedures for the market surveillance of such non-road mobile machinery. In accordance with the provisions of the proposal, the detailed technical requirements, including test procedures, test methods, etc., will be specified via Commission Delegated acts. The proposal allows the manufacturers of nonroad mobile machinery to choose, for a transitional period (8 years from the applicability of the Regulation) to comply with the relevant national requirements for road circulation of such machinery but, in this case, they will not benefit from the free movement principle.
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/U KR/251</a>	Ukraine	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 19 April 2023  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 17 June 2023	Waste management system	The Law is aimed at improving the waste management system, determining the legal, organizational, economic and control mechanisms for ensuring comprehensive protection of human health and the environment by implementing

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				measures to prevent or reduce waste generation, mitigate the negative impacts from waste management, and facilitate its preparation for reuse and recovery as secondary raw materials and energy resources. The Law introduces into national legislation the fundamental principles and provisions of European legislation in the field of waste management, in particular, the introduction of a waste management hierarchy and basic requirements for extended producer responsibility, and introduces a system of long-term waste management planning at the national, regional and local levels, regional and local levels.
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/US/225/Ad d.4</a>	United States	<p><b>Date of Distribution:</b> 21 April 2023</p> <p><b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 20 June 2023</p>	Electric motors and generators - Addendum	<p>The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (Commission or CPSC) has preliminarily determined that there is an unreasonable risk of injury and death associated with acute carbon monoxide (CO) poisoning from portable generators. To address this hazard, the Commission proposes a rule under the Consumer Product Safety Act (CPSA) that limits CO emissions from portable generators and requires generators to shut off when specific emissions levels are reached.</p> <p>The Commission is providing an opportunity for interested parties to present comments on this supplemental notice of proposed rulemaking (SNPR).</p>
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/US/1855/Ad d.1/Corr.1</a>	United States	<p><b>Date of Distribution:</b> 21 April 2023</p> <p><b>Deadline for Comments:</b> Not Indicated</p>	Testing provisions for air emission sources - Corrigendum	<p>The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is correcting a final rule that was published in the Federal Register on 29 March 2023, that will be effective on 30 May 2023. The final rule corrected and updated regulations for source testing of emissions. This correction does</p>

				not change any final action taken by the EPA on 29 March 2023.
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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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