

26 May 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 13 to 19 May 2023.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the three (3) notified draft technical regulations from Dominican Republic, Republic of Korea, and Mexico:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/ DOM/236</a>	Dominican Republic	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 17 May 2023  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 15 July 2023	Clinical, surgical and diagnostic services	Prevention of deceptive practices and protection of consumer; Protection of human health or safety; Environmental protection; Quality requirements
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/ KOR/114</a> <a href="#">2</a>	Republic of Korea	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 15 May 2023  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 03 June 2023	External spray patches and dermatologic ointments containing methyl salicylate among quasi-drugs	The Ministry of Food and Drug Safety (MFDS) is amending the "Standard Manufacturing Practice of Quasi-Drugs" as follows: - Amendment of precautions in use for external spray patches and dermatologic ointments containing methyl salicylate among quasi-drugs, etc.
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/ MEX/407/ Add.1</a>	Mexico	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 15 May 2023	Medicines and related medical equipment - Addendum	Please be advised that a reply has been published to the comments received during the public consultation process on

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		<b>Deadline for Comments:</b> Not Indicated		draft Mexican Official Standard PROY-NOM-010-SSA2-2018: Prevention and control of infection from the Human Immunodeficiency Virus, published on 2 May 2018.
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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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