

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) from 13 to 19 May 2023.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the two (2) notified draft technical regulations from Chile and New Zealand:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/C/HL/638	Chile	<p>Date of Distribution: 17 May 2023</p> <p>Deadline for Comments: 15 July 2023</p>	Electric propulsion vehicles	<p>It has been considered necessary to amend Decree No. 145, of 2017, of the Ministry of Transport and Telecommunications, which "Establishes requirements technical, constructive and safety for electric vehicles indicated", in the sense of:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Incorporate the GB/T 20234 - 2015 Connection set for conductive charging of electric vehicles standard GB/T 34657-2 – 2017 Interoperability test specifications of electric vehicle conductive charging -- Part 2: Vehicle. 2. Set as mandatory the adapter of the charging cable, for vehicles that have with standard-compliant AC load coupling systems GB/T 20234 - 2015 Connection set for conductive charging of electric vehicles, aspects that were contained and observed in consultation G/TBT/N/CHL/537 of 2020.
G/TBT/N/N/ZL/124	New Zealand	<p>Date of Distribution: 15 May 2023</p> <p>Deadline for Comments: 13 July 2023</p>	Light vehicles, heavy vehicles, motorcycles / mopeds, and used disability vehicles : vehicle	<p>The New Zealand Government is proposing to phase-in new emissions standards for the following groups of vehicles (when they are imported into the country): light vehicles, heavy vehicles, motorcycles/mopeds, and used disability vehicles. The emissions standards would be phased-in over five years.</p>

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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