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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 11 to 17 November 2023.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the notified draft technical regulation from European Union:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/EU/1 032	European Union	Date of Distribution: 14 November 2023  Deadline for Comments: 12 January 2024	Plants produced by certain new genomic techniques (NGTs) and their food and feed	On 5 July 2023, the European Commission adopted a legislative proposal for a regulation on plants produced by certain new genomic techniques (NGTs) and their food and feed. The proposal is part of a package of proposals to ensure resilient and sustainable use of the EU's natural resources.

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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