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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 19 to 25 August 2023.

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

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/C HN/1743	China	Date of Distribution: 25 August 2023 Deadline for Comments: 23 October 2023	Agricultural machinery	This document specifies the general safety requirements, risk assessment, technical specifications of agricultural machinery. This document applies to technical inspections of products to ensure the safety of agricultural machinery operators and other operators.
G/TBT/N/U KR/267	Ukraine	Date of Distribution: 22 August 2023 Deadline for Comments: 20 October 2023	Seeds and/or planting material	The draft Resolution is aimed at ensuring timely and high quality certification of seeds and planting material, reducing the burden on business entities, ensuring the supply of quality seeds and planting material to the market, ensuring the fulfilment of Ukraine's obligations under EU acquis to improve the conformity assessment procedure for seeds and planting material.

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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