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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 16 to 22 December 2023.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the notified draft technical regulations from The Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu and United States:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/TPKM/535	The Separate Customs Territory of Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen and Matsu	Date of Distribution: 19 December 2023 Deadline for Comments: 18 February 2024	Requirements on energy efficiency standard, efficiency labeling, and inspection for low-voltage three-phase squirrel-cage induction motors	Aiming to enhance the efficiency of energy use, the Energy Administration proposes to amend the minimum energy performance standards, energy efficiency rating labelling requirements for low-voltage three-phase squirrel-cage induction motors (including as a component of specified equipment).
G/TBT/N/USA/873/Rev.2	United States	Date of Distribution: 18 December 2023 Deadline for Comments: 13 February 2024	Commercial and industrial electric motors - Revision	The Energy Policy and Conservation Act, as amended ("EPCA"), prescribes energy conservation standards for various consumer products and certain commercial and industrial equipment, including electric motors. In this notice of proposed rulemaking ("NOPR"), DOE proposes new energy conservation standards for a subset of electric motors, expanded scope electric motors, expressed in terms of average full-load efficiency, and also announces a public meeting to receive comment on these

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				proposed standards and associated analyses and results.
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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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