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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](http://www.epingalert.org)) from 28 October to 03 November 2023.

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

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/F/RA/233</a>	France	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 31 October 2023  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 29 December 2023	Electrical and electronic equipment subject to a sustainability index calculation and display	The Sustainability Index consists of one out of every ten scores, intended to be displayed at the time of purchase to inform the consumer about the longevity of the products electrical and electronic. The purpose of this index is to replace the French repairability, taking into account the reliability and scalability criteria of the produce.

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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