

24 August 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 12 to 18 August 2023.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the three (3) notified draft technical regulations from Brazil and United States:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/B/RA/1215/Corr.2	Brazil	Date of Distribution: 15 August 2023 Deadline for Comments: Not Indicated	Pacifier - Corrigendum	Rectification of Inmetro Ordinance no. 301, of July 12, 2021, published in the Official Gazette of July 16, 2021, section 1, pages 31 to 33, consolidation of conformity assessment requirements for pacifiers.
G/TBT/N/USA/1901/Add.1	United States	Date of Distribution: 15 August 2023 Deadline for Comments: Not Indicated	Crib bumpers - Addendum	The Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) is issuing this final rule to codify the ban of crib bumpers pursuant to the Safe Sleep for Babies Act of 2021, which requires that crib bumpers, regardless of the date of manufacture, shall be considered a banned hazardous product under the Consumer Product Safety Act. This rule is effective on 13 September 2023.
G/TBT/N/USA/1902/Add.1	United States	Date of Distribution: 17 August 2023 Deadline for Comments: Not Indicated	Inclined sleepers for infants - Addendum	The Consumer Product Safety Commission is issuing this final rule to codify in its regulations the ban of inclined sleepers for infants pursuant to the Safe Sleep for Babies Act of 2021, which requires that inclined sleepers for infants, regardless of the date of manufacture, shall be considered a banned hazardous product under the Consumer Product Safety Act.

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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