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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 23 to 29 September 2023.

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

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/C HN/1762	China	Date of Distribution: 29 September 2023  Deadline for Comments: Not Applicable	Liquefied petroleum steel gas cylinders	This document specifies the requirements for symbols and instructions, types, materials, design, manufacture, test methods and inspection rules, marking, packaging, coating, storage, transportation and ex-factory documents for liquefied petroleum gas cylinders (hereinafter referred to as "gas cylinders"). This document applies to steel welded gas cylinders designed and manufactured for a nominal working pressure of 2.1MPa and a nominal water capacity up to 150L at normal ambient temperature (- 40 °C ~ 60 °C), and can be repeatedly filled with liquefied petroleum gas (LPG) in accordance with GB 11174.
<u>G/TBT/N/C</u> <u>HN/1763</u>	China	Date of Distribution: 29 September 2023  Deadline for Comments: Not Applicable	Liquefied petroleum cylinder valve	This document specifies the terms and definitions, model establishment, structure type and basic dimensions, technical requirements, inspection and test methods, inspection rules, marking, packaging, storage and transportation of valves for liquefied petroleum gas cylinders (hereinafter referred to as valves). This document applies to valves for liquefied petroleum gas cylinders with service temperature of -40 °C to + 60 °C, nominal working pressure of not more than 2.5MPa and the medium conforming to GB 11174. This document does not apply to valves for automotive LPG cylinders.

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