

16 February 2024

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 03 to 09 February 2024.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the three (3) notified draft technical regulations from Republic of Korea and Uganda:

Document Symbol	Notifying	Relevant	Products	Summary
<u>G/TBT/N/K</u> <u>OR/1198</u> G/TBT/N/U	Member Republic of Korea	Dates Date of Distribution: 06 February 2024 Deadline for Comments: 05 April 2024	Covered Cosmetic products	The "Regulation on the Labelling of Precautions for Use of Cosmetics and Ingredients as Allergens" is being amended by the Ministry of Food and Drug Safety (MFDS) as follows: A. For the vulvar cleansing agents and the eye lash permanent wave, with a content volume of less than 50 millilitres or grams, all labelling items regulated by Cosmetics law should be written on the product packaging for the customer's safety. B. As the eye lash permanent wave is classified as cosmetic products, the relevant category and precautionary notes are newly established in Annex I. The aim of this addendum is to
<u>GA/1513/A</u> <u>dd.2</u>		Distribution: 09 February 2024 Deadline for Comments: Not Indicated	applied mosquito repellents : bracelets, wristbands and patches - Addendum	inform WTO Members that the Draft Uganda Standard; US 2296- 5:2021, Skin applied mosquito repellents — Specification — Part 5: Bracelets, wristbands and patches, First Edition notified in G/TBT/N/UGA/1513/Add.1 entered into force on 1 December 2023. The Uganda Standard, US 2296- 5:2022, Skin applied mosquito repellents — Specification — Part 5: Bracelets, wristbands and patches, First Edition, can be purchased online through the link: https://webstore.unbs.go.ug/
<u>G/TBT/N/U</u> <u>GA/1542/A</u> <u>dd.2</u>	Uganda	Date of Distribution: 09 February 2024	Skin applied mosquito repellents :	The aim of this addendum is to inform WTO Members that the Draft Uganda Standard; US 2296- 6:2022, Skin applied mosquito

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		Standard, US 2296-6:2022, Skin applied mosquito repellents — Specification —Part 6: Petroleum jelly, first edition, can be purchased online through the link: https://webstore.unbs.go.ug/

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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