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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 20 to 26 January 2024.

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

Document	Notifying	Relevant Dates	Products	Summary
Symbol	Member		Covered	
<u>G/TBT/N/PH</u> <u>L/323</u>	Philippines	Date of Distribution: 26 January 2024 Deadline for Comments: 24 February 2024	Health products	The regulatory landscape of health products has changes significantly that the initially issued Guidelines on Product Recall needs to be revised. This Circular is hereby promulgated to create an updated framework for the recall of products in pursuit of public health and safety.
<u>G/TBT/N/ME</u> <u>X/484/Add.1</u>	Mexico	Date of Distribution: 26 January 2024 Deadline for Comments: Not Indicated	Hazardous Substances and Materials (Dangerous Goods) - Addendum	The purpose of this addendum is to announce the publication of the final version of Mexican Official Standard NOM- 002-SCT-SEMAR- ARTF/2023: List of hazardous substances and materials (hazardous goods) in the Official Journal.

## **BUREAU OF PHILIPPINE STANDARDS**

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<u>G/TBT/N/US</u> <u>A/2088/Add.1</u>	United States	Date of Distribution: 25 January 2024 Deadline for Comments: Not Indicated	Plastic pollution - Addendum	CalRecycle will host a questions and answers session on February 1, 2024 (see public notice) on the draft regulatory text for the implementation of SB 54 (Allen, Chapter 75, Statutes of 2022). During this
		Deadline for		
				regulatory text for
				the implementation
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				During this session.
				CalRecycle will
				present an
				overview of SB 54,
				an overview of the
				rulemaking
				process, an
				overview of the
				complete draft
				regulatory text, and will endeavor to
				answer clarifying
				questions about
				the draft regulatory
				text.

To access the notification form, right click the document symbol to open the hyperlink. Should you have any queries on this matter or request for full text of draft regulation in English, please do not hesitate to email us at <u>BPS@dti.gov.ph</u> copy <u>bps.smd@dti.gov.ph</u>.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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