

24 January 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 13 to 19 January 2024.

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

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/NU/KR/282	Ukraine	<p>Date of Distribution: 15 January 2024</p> <p>Deadline for Comments: 14 March 2024</p>	Medicines, active pharmaceutical ingredients	<p>The draft Order provides for amendments to the Annexes to the Medicines Quality Certification Procedure for International Trade and Confirmation for Exported Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients, approved by the Order of the Ministry of Health of Ukraine No. 1310 of 25 July 2022 (notified in document G/TBT/N/UKR/216, G/TBT/N/UKR/216/Add.1). These amendments are aimed at implementing into the national legislation the model certificate of a pharmaceutical product (CPP) recommended by WHO Expert Committee on Specifications for Pharmaceutical Preparations (WHO Technical Report Series 1033, WHO 2021), which, in particular, contains information on International Nonproprietary Name (INN), brand name of the pharmaceutical product as it is declared in the marketing authorization certificate and used within the territory of the exporting country and, if possible, the brand name of the pharmaceutical product in the importing country. Adoption of the amendments will ensure the right to receive high-quality, effective and safe medicines through the cooperation with other countries in the framework of mutual supply</p>

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				of medicines; improve and simplify the procedure for certifying of the quality of medicines for international trade and confirming active pharmaceutical ingredients that are exported.
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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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