

07 March 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 24 February to 01 March 2024.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the notified draft technical regulations from three (3) WTO Members:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/B RA/1526	Brazil	Date of Distribution: 01 March 2024 Deadline for Comments: 05 May 2024	Interactive screen product for educational use	Public Consultation to approve the technical requirements for assessing the conformity of the type of interactive screen product for educational use, as per the annex to this act.
<u>G/TBT/N/C</u> <u>AN/717</u>	Canada	Date of Distribution: 29 February 2024 Deadline for Comments: 07 Mary 2024	Personal communications service equipment operating in the bands 1850 - 1915 Mhz and 1930 - 1995 Mhz	Notice is hereby given by the Ministry of Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada has amended the following standard: RSS-133, issue 7, Personal Communications Service Equipment Operating in the Bands 1850-1915 MHz and 1930-1995 MHz, sets out the certification requirements for Personal Communications Service (PCS) equipment operating in the bands 1850- 1915 MHz and 1930-1995 MHz.
<u>G/TBT/N/U</u> <u>SA/1727/R</u> <u>ev.2</u>	United States	Date of Distribution: 27 February 2024 Deadline for Comments: 26 April 2024	Broadband and mobile services, wireless tele communications - Revision	In this document, the Federal Communications Commission (Commission) explores additional steps it could take and rules it could modify to provide more utility for very low power (VLP) unlicensed devices. Specifically, the Commission seeks comment on permitting higher power VLP devices under a two-tiered system where those higher powered devices would be

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	permitted to operate only in locations where the potential for causing harmful interference to incumbent operations remains insignificant. The Commission's decision provides a balance between accommodating these new and novel devices to deliver innovative applications to the American public now and taking a judicious approach toward modifying the rules to provide even more robust use at most locations. The Commission also seeks comment on VLP device requirements and limits for operation in the U-NII-6 (6.425-6.525 GHz) and U- NII-8 (6.875-7.125 GHz) bands.
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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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