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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 13 to 19 July 2024.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the notified draft technical regulations from Belgium, Brazil, Canada and Ecuador:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/B/EL/48/Add.1	Belgium	Date of Distribution: 18 July 2024 Deadline for Comments: Not indicated	E-cigarettes-Addendum	Royal Decree amending the Royal Decree of 28 October 2016 on the manufacture and placing on the market of electronic cigarettes Notified measure adopted - date: 3 May 2024 Notified measure published - date: 16 July 2024
G/TBT/N/B/RA/1553/Corr.1	Brazil	Date of Distribution: 16 July 2024 Deadline for Comments: Not indicated	Procedures for registration, control and inspection of animal semen sexing laboratories - Corrigendum	Rectification of SDA/MAPA Ordinance No. 1139, 4 July 2024, published in the Official Gazette of the Union on 8 July 2024, Edition 129, Section 1, page 5, which establishes procedures for laboratory registration, control and inspection animal semen sexing. The text is available only in Portuguese and can be downloaded at:
G/TBT/N/C/AN/675/Add.2	Canada	Date of Distribution: 15 July 2024 Deadline for Comments: Not indicated	Tobacco product packages - Addendum	The Regulations strengthen the Tobacco Products Appearance, Packaging and Labelling Regulations (TPAPLR), which came into force on August 1, 2023, by clarifying requirements related to the placement of health-related messages on a secondary package that is a carton. The Regulations introduce minor technical amendments to provisions related to the placement of health warnings (HW) and toxicity information (TI) on secondary packages that are a carton to ensure they fully support the objectives of the TPAPLR.
G/TBT/N/E/CU/503/Add.4	Ecuador	Date of Distribution: 15 July 2024 Deadline for Comments: Not indicated	Chemical and biological pesticides - Addendum	This information can be provided by including a website address, a PDF attachment, or other information on where the text of the final measure/change to the measure/interpretative guidance can be obtained. G/TBT/N/ECU/503/Add.4 - 2 - By means of this Addendum No. 4, the Republic of Ecuador advises that the

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				partial amendment to the Substitute Sanitary Technical Regulation for the issuance of sanitary certificates for, and the control and surveillance of pesticides for domestic, industrial and public health use has been issued pursuant to Resolution No. ARCSA-DE-2024-014-DASP of 5 July 2024 by the National Agency for Sanitary Regulation, Control and Surveillance (ARCSA, Doctor Leopoldo Izquieta Pérez).
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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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