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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 18 to 24 May 2024.

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

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/IS/R/1344	Israel	Date of Distribution: 22 May 2024 Deadline for Comments: 21 July 2024	Bathing aids for child care	The requirements of the existing Israel Standard, SI 17022, dealing with standalone bathing aids intended to be used in a bathtub, shall be declared mandatory. This declaration aligns with the mandatory standardization objective to protect public health. This standard adopts the European Standard EN 17022: November 2018 with a few necessary national deviations that appear in the standard's Hebrew section.
G/TBT/N/IS/R/1345	Israel	Date of Distribution: 22 May 2024 Deadline for Comments: 21 July 2024	Bathtubs, stands and non-standalone bathing aids for child care	The requirements of the existing Israel Standard, SI 17072, dealing with bathtubs, stands and non-standalone bathing aids for child care, shall be declared mandatory. This declaration aligns with the mandatory standardization objective to protect public health. This standard adopts the European Standard EN 17072: December 2018 with a few necessary national deviations that appear in the standard's Hebrew section.
G/TBT/N/IS/R/1346	Israel	Date of Distribution: 22 May 2024 Deadline for Comments: 21 July 2024	Cribs	Revision of the Mandatory Standards SI 682 parts 3 and 4, dealing with cribs, to be replaced with SI 11130. This proposed standard revision adopts the European Standard EN 1130:2019/AC: December 2020, with a few changes that appear in the standard's Hebrew section. The major differences between the old version and this new revised draft standard are as follows: Combines SI 682 parts 3 and 4 into one new standard; Changed the standard's structure to include a new risk-based approach; Adds and updates the test methods; Adds new requirements and

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				test methods for hanging and attaching cribs;Adds new requirements regarding the chemical and thermal risk factors;Adds a rationale in Annex A.Both the old and the new revised standards will apply from entry into force of this revision for a transition period of 6 months. During this time, products may be tested according to the old or the new revised standard.
G/TBT/N/ISR/1347	Israel	Date of Distribution: 22 May 2024 Deadline for Comments: 21 July 2024	Household and similar electrical appliances : tumble dryers	Revision of the Mandatory Standard SI 900 part 2.11, dealing with tumble dryers, to be replaced with SI 60335 part 2.11. This proposed standard revision adopts the International Standard IEC 60335-2-11 – Edition 8.0: 2019-04, with a few changes that appear in the standard's Hebrew section. The major difference between the old version and this new revised draft standard is the removal of the national paragraph 203 dealing with the noise level.Both the old and the new revised standards will apply from entry into force of this revision for a transition period of 12 months. During this time, products may be tested according to the old or the new revised standard.
G/TBT/N/ISR/1343	Israel	Date of Distribution: 21 May 2024 Deadline for Comments: 20 July 2024	Power-operated lifting platforms	Revision of the Mandatory Standard SI 2252 part 2, dealing with power-operated lifting platforms for persons with impaired mobility. This proposed standard revision adopts the International Standard ISO 9386-2 – First edition: 2000-11-01, with a few changes that appear in the standard's Hebrew section. The major differences between the old version and this new revised draft standard are as follows:Edits the national deviations appear in the standard's Hebrew part;Amend the national normative references that appear in Section 2.Both the old and the new revised standards will apply from entry into force of this revision for 12 months. During this time, products may be tested according to the old or the new revised standard.

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Sincerely,

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