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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 27 April to 03 May 2024.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the notified draft technical regulations from Ukraine and China.

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
<u>G/TBT/N/U</u> <u>KR/295</u>	Ukraine	Date of Distribution: 2 May 2024 Deadline for Comments: 1 July 2024	Certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment	The draft Resolution provides for amendments to Annexes 3 and 4 to the Technical Regulation on the Restriction of the Use of Certain Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment, approved by Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine No. 139 of 10.03.2017, by extending the validity of certain exemptions to the restrictions and supplementing the said Annexes with new exemptions.
<u>G/TBT/N/C</u> <u>HN/1847</u>	China	Date of Distribution: 29 April 2024 Deadline for Comments: 28 June 2024	Optical radiation of consumer laser pointers	This document specifies the optical radiation safety requirements for consumer laser pointer products, mainly including safety requirements, measurement and evaluation, marking and description.

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 BPS@dti.gov.ph copy bps.smd@dti.gov.ph.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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