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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 11 to 17 May 2024.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the notified draft technical regulations from Japan and United States:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/J/PN/811	Japan	Date of Distribution: 17 May 2024 Deadline for Comments: Not indicated	Radio equipment regulations	Partial revision of the Ordinance for Enforcement of the Radio Act, the Ordinance on Radio Equipment, and the Ordinance for Technical Standards Conformity Certification of Specified Radio Equipment to add technical requirements for fifth generation mobile communication systems in the 4.9 GHz band.
G/TBT/N/U/SA/2120	United States	Date of Distribution: 14 May 2024 Deadline for Comments: 12 July 2024	Wireless emergency alert system	Proposed rule - In this document, the Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau (Bureau) seeks comment on specific mechanisms to implement multilingual Wireless Emergency Alerts (WEA), as directed by the Federal Communications Commission. The Bureau proposes to require commercial mobile service providers participating in WEA (Participating CMS Providers) to support a set of pre-translated WEA messages in English, the 13 most commonly spoken languages in the United States, and American Sign Language (ASL), that would be pre-installed and stored on mobile devices.

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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