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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 02 to 08 November 2024.

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

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/URY/97	Uruguay	Date of Distribution: 8 November 2024 Deadline for Comments: Not indicated	Personal hygiene products, cosmetics and perfumes	The classification of personal hygiene products, cosmetics and perfumes is updated in order to prioritize regulatory actions on those products that, due to the public for which they are intended, their area of application, their particular formulation status or their purpose of use, require a higher degree of health surveillance. The new regulations will apply in the territory of the MERCOSUR States Parties, to trade between them and to extra-zone imports.
G/TBT/N/CHN/1938	China	Date of Distribution: 4 November 2024 Deadline for Comments: 3 January 2025	Oral care and cleansing products	<p>This document specifies terms and definitions, requirements, test methods, inspection rules, decision rules, marking, transportation and storage of oral care and cleansing products.</p> <p>This document applies to oral care and cleansing products, including toothpaste, tooth powder, oral rinses, tooth strips, tooth whitening gel, denture cleanser and other daily products used for human teeth, oral mucosa or denture.</p>

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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