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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 21 to 27 September 2024.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the notified draft technical regulations from: Australia, Burundi, Kenya, Rwanda, Tanzania, Uganda, and European Union

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/ AUS/175	Australia	Date of Distribution: 27 September 2024 Deadline for Comments: 25 October 2024	Industrial chemicals	The Industrial Chemicals Environmental Management Standard (IChEMS) has been developed by all Australian governments to efficiently and effectively manage the risks of industrial chemicals to the environment, while providing consistent requirements for businesses across Australia.
G/TBT/N/ BDI/509	Burundi, Kenya, Rwanda, Tanzania, Uganda	Date of Distribution: 26 September 2024 Deadline for Comments: 25 November 2024	Body and face powder	This Draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for body and face powders which cover talcum powders, toilet powders, deodorant powders and dusting powders, for adult use only. This draft standard does not cover powders with therapeutic claims.
G/TBT/N/ BDI/510	Burundi, Kenya, Rwanda, Tanzania, Uganda	Date of Distribution: 26 September 2024 Deadline for Comments: 25 November 2024	Deodorants and antiperspirants	This Draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for deodorants and antiperspirants.
G/TBT/N/ EU/1086	European Union	Date of Distribution: 25 September 2024 Deadline for Comments: 24 November 2024	Hazardous substances	The purpose of this draft proposal for an adaptation to technical progress of Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (the CLP Regulation) is to amend Table 3 of Part 3 of Annex VI to the CLP Regulation, by introducing new and revised entries for the harmonised classification and labelling of 32 substances or substance groups.

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.

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Thank you.

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