

# WTO TBT NOTIFICATIONS BULLETIN

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This publication seeks to provide cohesive information in a weekly basis on the foreign notifications of the WTO members under the TBT agreement on their proposed technical regulations and conformity assessment procedures.

Philippine exporters and relevant stakeholders are invited to review the proposed regulations. Comments that will be received by the BPS will be transmitted to the governments concerned for their consideration.

## IN THIS WEEK'S ISSUE

Notifications from eight (8) WTO Members from Asia, Europe, Africa, North and South America.

We would like to hear from you. For any questions, suggestions or requests for full text of notified regulations, please contact us at [bps@dti.gov.ph](mailto:bps@dti.gov.ph)

We are glad to be of service to you!

You can expect that, at BPS, we aim HIGH!

## LIST OF WTO TBT NOTIFICATIONS (05-11 SEPTEMBER 2015)

Country	Date Notified	TBT Notification Symbol	Product Coverage / Title	Final Date for Comments
CZECH REPUBLIC	07/09/2015	<a href="#">G/TBT/N/CZE/174/Corr.1</a>	Diaphragm sensors for measuring transmission media flow  <i>Corrigendum on notification G/TBT/N/CZE/174 Item 11</i>	—
	07/09/2015	<a href="#">G/TBT/N/CZE/183/Corr.1</a>	Miscellaneous products  <i>Corrigendum on notification G/TBT/N/CZE/183 Item 11</i>	—
FINLAND	07/09/2015	<a href="#">G/TBT/N/FIN/50</a>	Tobacco products  <i>Draft Government proposal to Parliament for a Tobacco Act and Acts amending certain related acts</i>	26 November 2016
LITHUANIA	07/09/2015	<a href="#">G/TBT/N/LTU/26</a>	Construction products  <i>Draft Order of the Minister of the Environment on the approval of the Technical Construction Regulation STR 1.01.04:2015 "Assessment, verification of constancy of performance of construction products for which there are no harmonized technical specifications and declaration of performance of such products. Designation of testing laboratories and certification bodies. National Technical Assessments and designation and notification of Technical Assessment Bodies"</i>	60 days after circulation by WTO Secretariat

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MEXICO	09/09/2015	<a href="#">G/TBT/N/MEX/84/Add.4</a>	Textile products (Addendum not yet available in English)	—
UGANDA	08/09/2015	<a href="#">G/TBT/N/UGA/504</a>	Carbon paper  <i>Standard DUS DEAS 857:2015, Carbon paper - Specification</i>	60 days from notification
	08/09/2015	<a href="#">G/TBT/N/UGA/505</a>	Base carbon paper  <i>Standard DUS DEAS 858:2015, Base Carbon paper - Specification</i>	60 days from notification
UKRAINE	07/09/2015	<a href="#">G/TBT/N/UKR/102</a>	Equipment able to create electro-magnetic interference or may be influenced by such interference  <i>The Draft Resolution of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine "On approval of the Technical Regulation of electromagnetic compatibility of equipment"</i>	60 days from notification
	07/09/2015	<a href="#">G/TBT/N/UKR/103</a>	Electrical equipment used at rated voltage  <i>The Draft Technical Regulation sets substantial requirements with which electrical equipment should be in conformity, responsibilities of the producers, authorized representatives, importers and distributors of electrical equipment, conformity assessment procedures and also conduction of state market supervision.</i>	60 days from notification
UNITED STATES	07/09/2015	<a href="#">G/TBT/N/USA/997/Add.1</a>	Chemical substances  <i>Significant New Use Rule on Substituted Cyclosiloxane; Removal Final Rule</i>	—
	07/09/2015	<a href="#">G/TBT/N/USA/1029</a>	Residential garage door operators  <i>Safety Standard for Automatic Residential Garage Door Operators</i>	16 November 2015
VIET NAM	07/09/2015	<a href="#">G/TBT/N/VNM/13/Rev.1</a>	Textile products  <i>Revision on Draft Circular Regulating Formaldehyde Contents and Aromatic Amines Contents Which are Released from Azo Colourants in Textile Products</i>	60 days from the date of notification