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# TBT Notifications Monthly Report November 2017





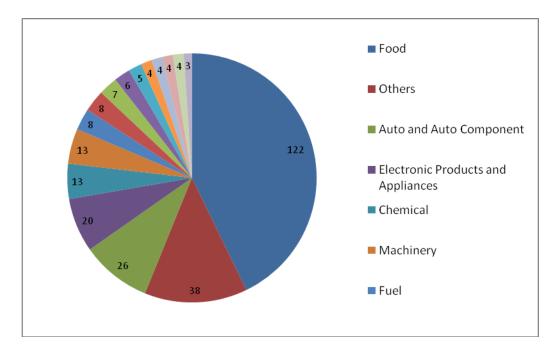
### TBT MONTHLY REPORT (NOVEMBER 2017): AT A GLANCE

#### **Details Pertaining to TBT Notifications Issued By WTO Member Countries**

The total numbers of TBT Notifications issued by the various WTO-Member Countries in November 2017 were 288. Out of which, India has issued three notifications. Hence, 285 notifications were studied in November 2017. Out of 285 notifications, 42 notifications were the addendum of draft regulations notified earlier in the WTO.

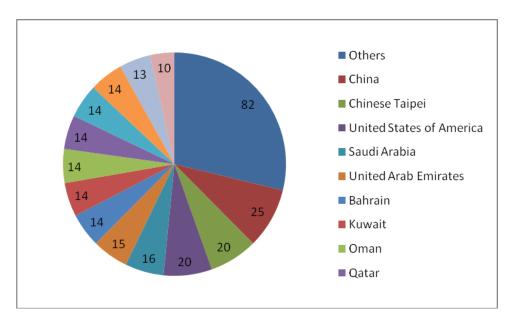
#### **Details Pertaining to TBT Notifications Relevant To India**

**Product-wise Information:** Out of the total 285 Notifications, 122 related to food, 26 related to auto and auto component, 20 were related to electronic products and appliances, 13 related to chemical products, 13 related to machinery, 8 related to fuel, 8 related to pharmaceutical products, 7 related to toys, 6 related to medical device, 5 related to textile products, 4 related to communication equipment, 4 related to construction, 4 related to cosmetics, 4 related to iron & steel, 3 related to pesticide and 38 notifications were related to other products.





**Country-wise Information:** Out of the total 285 notifications, China issued 25 notifications, followed by Chinese Taipei, United States of America, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates, Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Uganda, Yemen, Israel and Mexico with 20, 20, 16, 15, 14, 14, 14, 14, 14, 14, 14, 14, 13 and 10 Notifications, respectively. The remaining 82 Notifications were from other WTO Member countries.





## **TBT Notifications Relevant to India**

This section covers details of notifications which are relevant to India and where a letter has forwarded to all relevant and interested stakeholders seeking their comments on the notification. Stakeholders include individual exporters, organizations, associations and government departments representing the product mentioned in these notifications.

In November 2017, there were 285 notifications issued by WTO member countries which were relevant to India. Letters have already been sent to their respective stakeholders; however, the responses from the stakeholders are awaited. We are regularly following up on these notifications.

Out of 285 notifications, preliminary analysis suggests that in case of 48 notifications India may submit a response seeking either clarifications or seeking market access from the notifying members. These 48 notifications are highlighted yellow in the below table.

Please find below the details of these notifications:

Sl.	Notification	Date	Members	Products	Notification Details
No.	Number				
1	G/TBT/N/ARE/385#G/	01/11/2017	United Arab	Food Supplements	The Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality
	TBT/N/BHR/498#G/T		Emirates		Organization have issued these notifications
	BT/N/KWT/380#G/TB				concerning the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia/The
	T/N/OMN/324#G/TB				Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the
	T/N/QAT/497#G/TBT/				Gulf draft Technical Regulation for "Food
					Supplements".
	N/SAU/1017#G/TBT/				This draft technical regulation applies to food
	N/YEM/100				supplements marketed as food products and
					presented as such which marketed to the final



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3	G/TBT/N/ARE/385#G/ TBT/N/BHR/498#G/T BT/N/KWT/380#G/TB T/N/OMN/324#G/TB T/N/QAT/497#G/TBT/ N/SAU/1017#G/TBT/ N/YEM/100	01/11/2017	Kuwait, the State of	Food Supplements	The Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization have issued these notifications concerning the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia/The Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf draft Technical Regulation for "Food Supplements". This draft technical regulation applies to food supplements marketed as food products and presented as such which marketed to the final consumer.
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	N/SAU/1017#G/TBT/ N/YEM/100				This draft technical regulation applies to food supplements marketed as food products and presented as such which marketed to the final consumer.
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7	G/TBT/N/ARE/385#G/ TBT/N/BHR/498#G/T BT/N/KWT/380#G/TB T/N/OMN/324#G/TB	01/11/2017	Yemen	Food Supplements	The Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization have issued these notifications concerning the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia/The Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf draft Technical Regulation for "Food



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					<ul> <li>FKF</li> <li>SML (specific migration limit) mg/kg</li> </ul>
					<ul> <li>Restrictions and specifications</li> </ul>
					Notes on verification of compliance
12	G/TBT/N/ARE/386#G/	01/11/2017	Qatar	Plastic package	The Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality
	TBT/N/BHR/499#G/T				Organization have issued these notifications
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	T/N/OMN/325#G/TB				Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the
					Gulf draft Technical Regulation for "General
	T/N/QAT/498#G/TBT/				Requirements for Plastic Food Packages".
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					macromolecule obtained from microbial



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21	G/TBT/N/ARE/387#G/	01/11/2017	Yemen	Non Alcoholic Malt Beverage	The Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization have issued this notification



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29	G/TBT/N/BRA/606/A dd.1	01/11/2017	Brazil	disposable personal hygiene products	The Brazilian Health Surveillance Agency (ANVISA) has issued these notifications concerning approval of draft technical regulation no 67, August 21 2014, providing the regularization of disposable personal hygiene products, which comprise brushes and rods for oral hygiene, dental tapes, disposable sanitary napkins, menstruating collectors and flexible rods. As per the regulation, the disposable products are exempt from registration and their commercialization in the national territory of



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					Brazil. Thus, prior information by means of notification must be made to Anvisa for commercializing a product exempted from registration. The advertising of the regularization of disposable products in ensured by means of disclosure in the electronic portal on Anvisa and the end of the online protocol procedure will be given. It is mandated that, the product holder must communicate to Anvisa the changes made to the product, by means of an electronic procedure, keeping the information duly updated.
30	G/TBT/N/CHL/340/Ad d.1	01/11/2017	Chile	Cement mortar tiles ;	The Ministry of Housing and Urban Development, Chile has issued this notification concerning adoption of Chilean standard NCh 187: 2010 on test methods applicable to cement mortar tiles establishing the official register of laboratories for the technical control of construction quality, and approving the regulations governing registration. This standard establishes the test procedures applicable to cement mortar tiles manufactured in accordance with Chilean standard NCh 183. The test procedures concerned relate to the following characteristics: Size Straightness of edges Flatness of visible face



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					<ul> <li>Modulus of rupture and breaking strength</li> <li>Abrasive wear resistance</li> <li>Impact resistance</li> </ul>
31	G/TBT/N/USA/1097/ Add.3	01/11/2017	United States of America	Fire prevention code	The Department of Financial Services, Division of State Fire Marshal, State of Florida, USA has issued this notification concerning Florida fire prevention code- standards of the national fire protection association.
32	G/TBT/N/USA/1193/ Add.1	01/11/2017	United States of America	Exhaust emissions	The California Environmental Protection Agency, USA has issued this notification concerning adoption and amendment of earlier proposed regulation providing a) certification flexibility for innovative heavy-duty engines, and b) California certification and installation procedures for medium- and heavy-duty vehicle hybrid conversion systems.
33	G/TBT/N/USA/1311	01/11/2017	United States of America	Gastroenterology-Urology devices	The Food and Drug Administration (FDA), Health and Human Services, USA has issued these notifications concerning clinical chemistry and clinical toxicology, gastroenterology
34	G/TBT/N/USA/1312	01/11/2017	United States of America	Organophosphate test system	medical devices, classification if the high intensity ultrasound system for prostate tissue ablation, classification of the organophosphate test system.
35	G/TBT/N/USA/1313	01/11/2017	United States of	Medical device to detect and identify microbial pathogen nucleic acids in	The FDA is classifying the device to detect and identify microbial pathogen nucleic acids in cerebrospinal fluid into class II (special



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			America	cerebrospinal fluid	controls). The special controls that will apply to the device type are identified in this order and will be part of the codified language for the device to detect and identify microbial pathogen nucleic acids in cerebrospinal fluid's classification. The agency is of the view that, classifying the device into class II (special controls) will provide a reasonable assurance of safety and effectiveness of the device, in order to enhance patients' access to beneficial innovative devices, in part by reducing regulatory burdens.
36	G/TBT/N/USA/705/A dd.3	01/11/2017	United States of America	Heavy Vehicles (ICS:43.040, 43.080)	This regulation concerns the final rule for federal motor vehicle safety standards (FMVSS), in which the petitioner, truck and engine manufacturers association (EMA) requested that NHTSA amend the test conditions for the agency's performance test by allowing a larger lane width for long wheelbase truck tractors. The agency has decided to grant the petition because there is sufficient evidence to indicate that a larger lane width is needed for testing of long wheelbase truck tractors.
37	G/TBT/N/USA/947/A dd.2	01/11/2017	United States of America	Children's articles containing specified phthalates	The Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC), USA has issued this notification concerning final rule for the prohibition of children's toys and childcare articles containing specified phthalates. The US CPSC issues this final rule prohibiting



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					children's toys and child care articles that contain concentrations of more than 0.1 % of diisononyl phthalate (DINP), diisobutyl phthalate (DIBP), di-n-pentyl phthalate (DPENP), di-n-hexyl phthalate (DHEXP), and dicyclohexyl phthalate (DCHP).
38	G/TBT/N/BRA/606/A dd.2	02/11/2017	Brazil	disposable personal hygiene products	The Brazilian Health Surveillance Agency (ANVISA) has issued these notifications concerning approval of draft technical regulation no 67, August 21 2014, providing the regularization of disposable personal hygiene products, which comprise brushes and rods for oral hygiene, dental tapes, disposable sanitary napkins, menstruating collectors and flexible rods.
39	G/TBT/N/BRA/645/A dd.1	02/11/2017	Brazil	Water with salt added	This technical regulation concerns the procedures of good practices to industrialization, distribution and marketing of water with salt added and its verification list. The general provisions of the resolution requires that the added water of salts must be industrialized, distributed and marketed in order to avoid microbiological, chemical or physical contamination. Any establishments undertaking the industrialization, distribution or marketing of the water addition of salts must present hygienic-sanitary conditions that are in accordance with this resolution. The added water of salts must meet the microbiological



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					requirement of absence of E.coli in 100 ml. Records must be maintained for the checking and replacement of the filter elements, and the internal sanitation of the reservoir of the added water of salts. The addition of carbon dioxide in the water added with salts must be in accordance with the requirements specified by the Food Chemical Codex (FCC). The laboratory tests for the control and monitoring of quality of the collected water, drinking water and salt water added should be held in their own or third party laboratory.
40	G/TBT/N/BRA/755	02/11/2017	Brazil	HS 7007 - Safety glass, of tempered or laminated glass.	This ordinance establishes the mandatory requirements for security glass and the criteria for applying inscriptions, pictograms, and films in the glazed areas of motor vehicles. Some of the significant requirements stated in
					<ol> <li>Self- propelled vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers shall be exported from the factory with the parts thereof fitted with safety glass conforming to the terms of this Directive.</li> <li>For use in public roads in the national territory, the use of safety of all vehicles to be admitted and safety glass tempered, uniformly prestressed, or laminated, in other glazed parts.</li> <li>The light transmission shall not be less</li> </ol>



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					<ul> <li>than 75% for the colorless windscreen and 70% for colored windscreens and other glass vehicle.</li> <li>4. The security glasses referred to in this resolution, provided in Brazil, shall be in indelible marking in an easy-to-view location containing at least the manufacturer's mark of the glass and the symbol of conformity with the Brazilian legislation, defined by the national metrology, standardization and industrial quality (INMETRO).</li> <li>5. It is at the discretion of national traffic council (DENATRAN) to admit, exclusively for the purpose of providing compliance with the requirements of this resolution, the results of tests performed by equivalent procedures carried out abroad.</li> <li>6. The results of tests admitted by bodies recognized by the commission of the European community and the USA should be in accordance with the procedures adopted by these bodies.</li> <li>7. The identification of the conformity of security shall be given alternatively or cumulatively by means of indelible marking containing the manufacturer's mark and the symbol of conformity of the commission or of the community capital letter 'E' accompanied by a numeric index, representing the country of issue of the certificate.</li> </ul>



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					<ul> <li>8. The installer's mark and the light transformation index in each set glass-films located in the areas indispensable for drivability shall be engraved indelibly in the film by means of a seal, and shall be visible on the outer sides of the glass.</li> <li>9. Outside the glazing areas indispensable to the vehicle's maneuverability, the application of inscriptions, pictograms or decorative panels of any kind shall be permitted provided the vehicle has left and right external rear-view mirrors and that the same conditions of transparency for the glass.</li> <li>10. The requirement applies also to glasses intended for replacement.</li> </ul>
41	G/TBT/N/BWA/75	02/11/2017	Botswana	Cables	<ul> <li>This regulation covers requirements for packaging and marking, for single-core and multicore extruded solid dielectric insulated cables of rated operating voltage in the range 300/500 V to 1 900/3 300 V, for use in fixed installations, as covered by BOS 589-2 and SANs 1507-3 to SANS 1507-6.</li> <li>The specific requirements are given for a number of types of cables in common use. They are as follows: <ul> <li>Single-core and multicore cables, armoured and unarmoured</li> <li>Multicore flat cables with and without an earth continuity conductor</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



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					<ul> <li>Multicore round cables with aluminium/PVC laminate and an earth continuity conductor</li> <li>Cables with concentric conductors</li> <li>Cables with split concentric neutral and earth conductors</li> <li>Panel/cubicle cables, excluding flexible cables and cords</li> <li>Insulated earth conductors</li> <li>This specification also covers cables that reduce the overall risk associated with fires.</li> <li>The standard requires that the packing of the cables shall be on drums or reels or in coils. The external surface of each finished cable shall bear detailed information along with the marking details and prescribed colour of stripe. If the wood of the drum or reel has been treated, a capital letter "T" would be indicated.</li> </ul>
42	G/TBT/N/BWA/76	02/11/2017	Botswana	Home economics in general (ICS:97.020)	This safety standard applies to electronic apparatus designed to be fed from the mains, from a supply apparatus, from batteries or from remote power feeding and intended for reception, generation, recording or reproduction of audio, video and associated signals. It also applies to apparatus designed to be used exclusively. This standard primarily concerns apparatus intended for household and similar general use but which may also be used in places for public



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					assembly such as schools, theatres, places of worship and the workplace. This standard concerns only safety aspects of the above apparatus.
43	G/TBT/N/BWA/77	02/11/2017	Botswana	Electric Irons	The Ministry of Investment Trade and Industry, Botswana has issued this notification concerning BOS IEC 60335-2-3: 2012/AMD1: 2015, part 2-3, safety requirements for electric irons, household and similar electric appliances. This standard deals with the safety of electric dry irons and steam irons, including those with a separate water reservoir or boiler for household and similar purposes
44	G/TBT/N/CHE/227	02/11/2017	Switzerland	Genetically modified (GM) plants, plant material, seeds and animals	<ul> <li>The Federal Office for the Environment has issued this notification concerning draft amendments to the Federal Law of 21 March 2003 relating to the Non-human Gene Technology.</li> <li>The main proposed amendments to the environment monitoring are as follows: <ol> <li>The Confederation shall establish a Monitoring system to detect any undesirable release of GMOs into environment</li> <li>Any violation of this law shall draw the following penal and administrative provisions: <ol> <li>Prohibition</li> <li>Withdrawal of authorization</li> <li>Financial penalty</li> <li>Confiscation and destruction</li> </ol> </li> </ol></li></ul>



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					There shall be no authorization till December 2021 for the release for agricultural, horticultural or forestry purposes of any genetically modified planting materials or genetically modified animals.
45	G/TBT/N/CHL/342/Ad d.1	02/11/2017	Chile	Concrete blocks for use in construction. ;	The Ministry of Housing and Urban Development, Chile has issued these notifications concerning approval of Chilean standard on general requirements and establishing the official register of laboratories for the technical control of construction quality. This standard establishes the requirements to be met by concrete blocks for use in construction. It classifies the blocks by weight, in accordance with density of the concrete, and defines three types of blocks: normal weight, medium weight and lightweight. Regarding the test methods for the concrete blocks, specifications have been established for size, compression-resistance, absorption, block weight (density), moisture content, linear drying shrinkage and capillarity. The standard applies to concrete blocks made from cement, water and mineral aggregates, with or without the inclusion of other materials. The blocks, for use in construction, may have smooth or textured sides and may or may not have been waterproofed.



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46	G/TBT/N/ISR/862/Ad d.1	02/11/2017	Israel	Drinking water treatment systems: reverse osmosis systems	Israel is replacing the Israel standard (SI) for reverse osmosis drinking water treatment with the NSF/ANSI 58: Reverse osmosis drinking water treatment systems. This new adopted system establishes the minimum requirements for the certification of point-of-use (POU) reverse osmosis systems designed to reduce contaminants that may be present in public or private drinking water. The scope of NSF/ANSI 58 includes material safety, structural integrity, total dissolved solids (TDS) reduction and other optional contaminant reduction claims. The most common optional claims addressed by this standard include cyst reduction, hexavalent and trivalent chromium reduction, arsenic reduction, nitrate/nitrite reduction, cadmium and lead reduction.
47	G/TBT/N/ISR/971	02/11/2017	Israel	Minced meat and minced meat products	The Israel WTO-TBT Enquiry Point has issued this notification concerning SI 1188-Minced meat, minced meat products, food containing minced meat and food with minced meat. The regulation concerns the revision of partially Mandatory Standard SI 1188, dealing with minced meat and minced meat products. All standard's sections will be mandatory, after the entry into force of this new draft.
48	G/TBT/N/VNM/108	02/11/2017	Viet Nam	13.340 - Protective equipment;	This draft technical regulation stipulates requirements on occupational safety for eye protective equipment used to prevent



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					dangerous and harmful elements causing eye damages and impaired vision to protect the eyes of workers. The regulation has provided definitions and terminologies related to the product mentioned, and also specified types and size. The regulation however does not regulate the maintenance of safety from harmful agents from nuclear radiation, X-rays, laser beams and low-temperature. This national technical regulation applies to organizations and individuals who manufacture, import, supply and use eye protective equipment, competent state agencies and other relevant organizations and individuals.
49	G/TBT/N/VNM/109	02/11/2017	Viet Nam	7009 - Glass mirrors, whether or not framed, including rear-view mirrors.;	This draft technical regulation regulates technical requirements and technical safety quality test of mirrors for automobiles type M,N, as defined in TCVN 8656. It applies to the facilities manufacturing and importing mirrors for automobiles and agencies, organizations and individuals involved in the testing, inspection and certification for the quality and safety of mirrors for automobiles. The Vietnam Register is responsible for implementing and guiding the implementation of this standard in quality inspection and technical safety for vehicles and/ or mirrors of production, assembly and import.



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50	G/TBT/N/VNM/110	02/11/2017	Viet Nam	43.020 - Road vehicles in general;	The Vietnamese Ministry of Transport has issued this notification concerning technical requirements and quality of structure in motor vehicles to prevent fire risk and installation of fuel tanks in motor vehicles. The draft refers to passenger cars, cargo automobiles, trailers and semi-trailers fitted with liquid fuel tanks. The Vietnamese authorities have referred UNECE 34 (revision 3) "uniform provisions concerning the approval of vehicles with regard to the prevention of fire risks". UNECE-34 talks about installation of fuel tanks for liquid fuels in vehicles, where India is also a signatory.
51	G/TBT/N/VNM/111	02/11/2017	Viet Nam	43.020 - Road vehicles in general;	The Vietnamese Ministry of Transport has issued this notification concerning the technical requirements on the burning behavior of materials used in the interior structure of certain categories of motor vehicles such as passenger cars with a total mass of more than 5 tons. This technical regulation regulates the test of the burning behavior of materials used in the interior structure of certain motor vehicles. The Vietnamese authorities have referred to UNECE no 118 that concerns the adoption of uniform technical prescriptions for wheeled vehicles, equipment and parts which can be fitted and/or be used on wheeled vehicles and the conditions for reciprocal recognition of



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					approvals granted on the basis of these prescriptions.
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54	G/TBT/N/ARE/389#G/ TBT/N/BHR/502#G/T	03/11/2017	Kuwait, the	GENERAL PRINCIPLES FOR THE ADDITIONOF ESSENTIAL NUTRIENTS TO	The Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization have issued these notifications concerning the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia/The



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61	G/TBT/N/ARE/390#G/ TBT/N/BHR/503#G/T BT/N/KWT/385#G/TB	03/11/2017	Kuwait, the State of	Salted Fish and Dried Salted Fish, (ICS: 67.120)	The Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization have issued these notifications concerning the Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf- Draft Technical Regulation for



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80	G/TBT/N/CHL/341/Ad d.1	03/11/2017	Chile	<i>Concrete blocks for use in construction.</i>	The Ministry of Housing and Urban Development, Chile has issued these notifications concerning approval of Chilean standard on general requirements and establishing the official register of laboratories for the technical control of construction quality.
81	G/TBT/N/CHN/1221	03/11/2017	China	Drugs HS:30 - ICS: 11.120.10	The China Food and Drug Administration have issued this notification concerning administrative Measures for Drug Standards. These measures are formulated to standardize the formulation, revision and release, as well as strengthen the implementation and supervision of drug standards. These measures consist of ten parts in accordance with the standard management workflow, i.e. general principles, programming, formulation and revision, approval and promulgation, implementation, review, information management and disclosure, supervision, local drug standards and supplementary rules. State Food and Drug Agency (FDA) is the nodal agency for national drug standards. The drug- testing agency of the State Food and Drug Administration is responsible for the national drug calibration of standards and other work. All drugs in China must be made as per Chinese Pharmacopoeia.



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82	G/TBT/N/CHN/1222	03/11/2017	China	Consumer Products (not including those products that are regulated by specific laws and regulations, such as food, drugs, pesticides, tobacco products, urban rail vehicles, railway locomotives, civil aircraft, civil vessels, automobile products, special equipment, coal,etc.)	This administrative rule specifies the scope, liability subject and responsibilities of government authority and technical department of defective consumer products recall. It also stipulates the information management, defects investigation, operation and management of recall, legal liabilities of related bodies. It aims to further improve the administrative system of defective consumer products recall. 'Defects', here implies to those caused by design, manufacture, warning and other reasons, the batch, type of consumer goods that do not meet the national and industry standard. The responsibility of recalling the defective consumer lies with the producers. They shall establish a traceability system for consumer products that can pass product labeling and production sales records and other information to determine the scope of recall of consumer products.
83	G/TBT/N/JPN/571	03/11/2017	Japan	Substances with probable effects on the central nervous system	The Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare (MHLW) has issued this notification concerning designation of "Shitei Yakubutsu" based on the provision of the act on Securing Quality, Efficacy and Safety of Pharmaceuticals, Medical Devices, Regenerative and Cellular Therapy Products, Gene Therapy Products, and Cosmetics (hereafter called the Act).



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84	G/TBT/N/MEX/302/A dd.3	03/11/2017	Mexico	Alcoholic beverages (Heading 22; International Classification for Standards (ICS) code 67.160.10) ;	The Ministry of the Economy has issued this notification concerning the comments period for the Mexican Official Standard NOM-199-SCFI- 2017, Alcoholic Beverages-Designation, Physiological Specifications, commercial Information and Test Methods. This standard contains the denomination of alcoholic beverages and establishes the physiochemical specifications, commercial information and test methods that should be applied to determine its compliance. It applies to all alcoholic beverages marketed in national territory, whether produced or packaged in Mexico or imported into the country. For the purpose of this standard, the fermented alcoholic beverage is defined as the product mainly resulting from alcoholic fermentation of raw materials. Further, specification if made for beer, ale, pulque, sake, sidra (cider), wine, distilled alcoholic beverages given are Tequila, Vodka, Whiskey, Brandy, Cognac.
85	G/TBT/N/MEX/377	03/11/2017	Mexico	Special waste handling hydrocarbon sector	This emergency regulation establishes the criteria for classifying waste from special handling and determining which are subject to the management plan, the list of them as well as the elements and procedures for developing management plans for hazardous waste management and special hydrocarbon sector.



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					It classifies waste as the solid urban residue generated in any activity of the hydrocarbons sector in a quantity equal to greater than 10 tons per year and that requires specific handling for its valorization and exploitation. It applies throughout the national territory and is mandatory for large generators of hazardous waste from the activities of the hydrocarbons sector mentioned in the law of the national agency for industrial safety and environment protection of the hydrocarbons sector (ASEA).
86	G/TBT/N/PRY/103	03/11/2017	Paraguay	Registration of active substances	The National Service of Quality and Plant and Seed Health (SENAVE) has issued this concerning draft Resolution "Whereby Resolution no 446/06 is modified in relation to the export category, new guidelines for the registration of technical grade active substances in this category are established, and a system of internal control is implemented". Department of Agrochemical and Agricultural Inputs, Directorate of Operations and Direction of Information and Communication Technology will be responsible for the implementation of the Internal Control System. This draft resolution establishes new guidelines for the registration of active substances in the export category. An internal control system is also established with the objective to determine the traceability between the active substance



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					technical grade and the formulated product. The document is available only in Spanish language. In our understanding, the regulation states that all pesticides, chemical or biological, that are intended to synthesize, import, formulate, marketed in the country are required to register with the SENAVE. The applicant must provide details on identity of the product, toxicological information, eco-informations for the issuance of export registration.
87	G/TBT/N/SGP/40	03/11/2017	Singapore	Infant formula under HS Codes 19011099, 19019019, 19011020, 19011030	The Agri-Food and Veterinary Authority of Singapore has issued this notification concerning proposed changes to the existing Food Regulations. The proposed revision mainly concerns the labeling details covered under paragraph 6 of the regulation. It states that the infant formula must include the mandatory statements: • "Breast milk is best for infants" • "The infant formula should be should be used on the advice of a doctor or healthcare practitioner". • The use of health claims in the infant formula is prohibited as per which the labels and advertisements must not contain claims which directly or indirectly compare the infant formula or a component, ingredient, constituent or other feature of the infant formula to breast



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					milk.
88	G/TBT/N/ARE/378/Re v.1#G/TBT/N/BHR/49 2/Rev.1#G/TBT/N/K WT/374/Rev.1#G/TBT /N/OMN/318/Rev.1# G/TBT/N/QAT/491/R ev.1#G/TBT/N/SAU/1 011/Rev.1#G/TBT/N/ YEM/94/Rev.1	06/11/2017	United Arab Emirates	Road vehicles in general (ICS:43.020)	The Qatar General Organization for Standardization has issued this notification concerning Gulf technical regulation on "uniform provisions concerning the approval of vehicles with regard to their tyre pressure monitoring systems." This rule will be applicable to those vehicles which use type pressure monitoring system. As per the draft, for approval, the vehicle manufacturer or his duly accredited representative has to submit the application of vehicle type approval, with regard to TPMS. Upon approval of the vehicle, an approval number shall be assigned to each vehicle type approved.
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	YEM/94/Rev.1				representative has to submit the application of vehicle type approval, with regard to TPMS. Upon approval of the vehicle, an approval number shall be assigned to each vehicle type approved.
90	G/TBT/N/ARE/378/Re v.1#G/TBT/N/BHR/49 2/Rev.1#G/TBT/N/K WT/374/Rev.1#G/TBT /N/OMN/318/Rev.1# G/TBT/N/QAT/491/R ev.1#G/TBT/N/SAU/1 011/Rev.1#G/TBT/N/ YEM/94/Rev.1	06/11/2017	Kuwait, the State of	Road vehicles in general (ICS : 43.020)	The Qatar General Organization for Standardization has issued this notification concerning Gulf technical regulation on "uniform provisions concerning the approval of vehicles with regard to their tyre pressure monitoring systems." This rule will be applicable to those vehicles which use type pressure monitoring system. As per the draft, for approval, the vehicle manufacturer or his duly accredited representative has to submit the application of vehicle type approval, with regard to TPMS. Upon approval of the vehicle, an approval number shall be assigned to each vehicle type approved.
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	011/Rev.1#G/TBT/N/ YEM/94/Rev.1				manufacturer or his duly accredited representative has to submit the application of vehicle type approval, with regard to TPMS. Upon approval of the vehicle, an approval number shall be assigned to each vehicle type approved.
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	N/SAU/1025#G/TBT/ N/YEM/108				obtained by mixing natural sugars or mixture from it, with edible vegetable oils, and then mixing with tehina (sesame).
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102	G/TBT/N/ARM/83	06/11/2017	Armenia	Goods (products) subject to sanitary and epidemiological control (surveillance)	The Ministry of Economic Development and Investments of the Republic of Armenia has established this notification concerning the adoption of amended acts of the Eurasian Economic Union (EAEU) on the labeling of medical devices and establishing the procedure for assessing the biological effect of medical devices when conducting their registration and examination.
103	G/TBT/N/CAN/534	06/11/2017	Canada	Drug products containing controlled substances (ICS 11.120)	This has reference to the TBT notification G/TBT/N/CAN/534 dated 6th November 2017 issued by Health Canada on drug products containing controlled substances. It is applicable on medicinal products that can affect mental processes. This regulatory proposal aims to provide a long-term solution to address three problematic areas that are currently only addressed using temporary measures. The proposed amendment states the following:



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					<ul> <li>i. The destruction of unserviceable stock containing certain controlled substances by pharmacists, practitioners and persons in charge of hospitals. Here, the proposed amendments would update the Benzodiazepines and Other Targeted Substances (BOTSR) destruction provisions and add equivalent provisions to the NCR and the Food and Drug Regulations (FDR-G) to ensure consistency across the regulations.</li> <li>ii. Add new provisions to BOTSR, the NCR and FDR-G to authorize individuals to return prescription drugs containing controlled substance to a pharmacy for destruction in order to reduce problematic uses and the diversion of unserviceable drugs.</li> <li>iii. Update the provisions contained within BOTSR, NCR and FDR-G to remove the need for exemption for the individuals entering or leaving Canada with controlled substances for personal medical use.</li> </ul>
104	G/TBT/N/KOR/735	06/11/2017	Korea	Lithium Battery	The Korean Agency for Technology and Standards has issued this notification concerning amendment to the technical regulation for the safety of lithium battery. Korea has adopted IEC 62133 standard for lithium battery. However, it has stated additional test methods for an over-charging test (cell), vibration (battery pack), and



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					mechanical shock (battery shock) for the lithium batteries used in smartphones, notebooks and tablet PCs.
105	G/TBT/N/MEX/378	06/11/2017	Mexico	75.200 - Petroleum products and natural gas handling equipment;	The National Agency of Mexico for Industrial Safety and Environmental Protection of the Hydrocarbons has issued this notification concerning administration of the integrity of the collection, transport and distribution of pipelines of hydrocarbons, petroleum and petrochemicals. This standard establishes the requirements that must be met for the administration of the integrity of the pipeline, segment or section of collection, transportation and distribution of hydrocarbons, petroleum and petrochemicals, during their life cycle, with the purpose of maintaining industrial safety, operational safety and protection of the environment.
106	G/TBT/N/USA/1020/ Add.3	06/11/2017	United States of America	Wireless devices	The FCC amends its equipment authorization regulations by adopting its proposal to replace two of the existing equipment authorization procedures- declaration of conformity (DoC) and verification, with a single process as "supplier's declaration of conformity" (SDoC). Verification and DoC are both self-approval processes under which the party responsible for the compliance of the radiofrequency devices has been required to take the necessary steps of testing or analysis to ensure that the equipment



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					complies with the appropriate technical standards. Under SDoC, the responsible party for equipment will test equipment for compliance to specified standards or requirements and a supply statement with the product. The commission adopted its proposal to require all SDoC devices to be marketed with a compliance statement. It found that such statement will offer assurance that equipment has been determined to be compliant for use in the United States according to the Commission's technical regulations.
107	G/TBT/N/USA/1314	06/11/2017	United States of America	Food labeling	The Food and Drug Administration (FDA), Health and Human Services have issued this notification concerning health claims of soy protein and heart diseases. In 1999, the FDA authorized the health claim for soy protein and risk of coronary heart disease. In December 2007, the FDA announced its intention of reevaluation of the claim to the public because of the emergence of new studies indicating varied and differences (inconclusive) evidences. Currently, it is revoking the claim as the Significant Scientific Agreement (SSA) among experts does not provide the required justification for authorizing a health claim. FDA undertook "Evidence based Review System for



108     G/TBT/N/CAN/535     07/11/2017     Canada     Magnetic toys for children (may include     With t	entific Evaluation of Health Claims". he growing health concerns related to is used in children's toys, Canada has
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therapeutics or cosmetics)) (ICS: 97.020, 97.140, 97.190 and 97.200) aims tr on the adverti to poss within (CCPSA The pr restrict magnet require • compon have a (50 kG; • as soal test, in and a fi	ap with this amendment in the existing ion on children's toys. This amendment o include Health Canada's consideration e prohibition of manufacture, import, sement or sale of certain magnetic toys e a danger to human health or safety the Canada Consumer Product Safety Act .). oposed amendments are mainly in the tion on the size and strength and cic component of the toys, and test ements stated as follows: Any magnetic toy or magnetic nent in the small parts cylinder must magnetic flux index less than 0.5 T2 mm2 2 mm2) It should also meet series of tests such the sing test, drop test, torque test, tension topact test for magnets. gulation however does not apply to the ng magnetic components:



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					<ul> <li>operation of motors, relays, speakers and other electrical or electronic components in a magnetic toy, provided that the magnetic properties are not part of the play or learning pattern of the toy</li> <li>Part of a kit intended for carrying out educational experiments involving both magnetism and electricity and intended for a child of at least 8 years of age.</li> </ul>
109	G/TBT/N/MEX/379	07/11/2017	Mexico	Land storage facilities for petroleum and petroleum	The National Agency of Mexico for Industrial Safety and Environment Protection has issued this notification concerning specifications and technical criteria for industrial safety, operational safety and environmental protection for land storage facilities for petroleum and petroleum products. It covers the design, construction, pre-start, operation, maintenance, closure and dismantling of terrestrial oil and petroleum oil storage, except for liquefied petroleum gas. This regulation applies throughout the national territory and the areas over which the nation exercises its sovereignty and jurisdiction, to perform the stages of design, construction, pre- start, operation, maintenance, closing and dismantling land storage facilities, which must have areas for the reception, storage and delivery of petroleum products and oil, as well as additives, oxygenating components and



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					biofuels, linked to the process of mixing or preparing gasolines
110	G/TBT/N/BRA/756	08/11/2017	Brazil	Medical Devices	This resolution provides for inspection programs and administrative procedures to grant of good manufacturing practices (GMP) certificate to manufacturers of medical devices located outside the Brazilian territory and Mercosur. In order to assess compliance with the good manufacturing practices by means of inspection programs, the guidelines established by this resolution may extend to Brazilian manufacturers, as well as the manufacturers located in the other Mercosur countries.
111	G/TBT/N/CHN/1223	08/11/2017	China	Drugs ICS: 11.120.10 HS : 30	The measure is titled as 'Notice on Adjusting the Acceptance of Drug Registration'. From now on, all the procedures shall now be handled by CFDA, instead of the former mode in which the application shall be accepted by provincial Food and Drug Administration, and be appraised and approved by CFDA. The application for drug registration to the CFDA must be in accordance with relevant 'laws and regulations'. The notice has provided the mailing address –postal. With regard to applications concerning on-site inspections, the reporting centre shall submit the application. After the receipt of the application, the concerned agency would undertake a review of the application and issue further directions



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					accordingly within 5 working days.
112	G/TBT/N/ISR/972	08/11/2017	Israel	441820 Doors and their frames and thresholds; 730830 Doors, windows and their frames and thresholds for doors;	The Israel WTO-TBT Enquiry Point has issued this notification concerning mandatory standard dealing with swinging fire doors. This regulation mainly proposes change in the 'door closer' section of the swinging fire doors.
113	G/TBT/N/PHL/201	09/11/2017	Philippines	03.120.20 - Product and company certification. Conformity assessment; 67.040 - Food products in general;	The Department of Agriculture- Bureau of Agriculture and fisheries Standards has issued this notification concerning revised guidelines for the Official Accreditation or Organic Certifying Bodies (OCB). This circular intends to provide guidelines to the OCB concerning its accreditation. In other words, the regulation listed in this Circular must be met by the Certifying Bodies (CB) seeking accreditation with the BAFS. The CBs must be registered with the Securities & Exchange Commission (SEC) in Philippines. It proposes for the establishment of one satellite office in Luzon, Visayas or Mindanao. The OCBs must have an established Certification programme as per Certification Scheme. Although, ISO/IEC 17065 is listed as optional, the agency categorically mentions that it could be an added advantage for marketing. The circular further contains details about the general procedures for official accreditation of OCB, decision-



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					making and granting of official accreditation, suspension of official accreditation, denial of accreditation on an application by CB.
114	G/TBT/N/UGA/779	09/11/2017	Uganda	3307 - Pre-shave, shaving or after- shave preparations, personal deodorants, bath preparations, depilatories and other perfumery, cosmetic or toilet preparations, not elsewhere specified or included; prepared room deodorizers, whether or not perfumed or having disinfectant properties.;	The Uganda National Bureau of Standards (UNBS) has issued this notification concerning standards for deodorants and antiperspirants (pre-shave, shaving or after-shave preparations, personal deodorants, bath preparations, depilatories and other perfumery, cosmetic or toilet preparations, not elsewhere specified or included; prepared room deodorizers, whether or not perfumed or having disinfectant properties). This draft standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for deodorants and antiperspirants. This standard does not apply to the medicated deodorants and antiperspirants, which claim therapeutic value.
115	G/TBT/N/UGA/780	09/11/2017	Uganda	33 - Essential oils and resinoids; perfumery, cosmetic or toilet preparations;	The Uganda National Bureau of Standards (UNBS) has issued this notification concerning standards for body oil (essential oils and resinoids, perfumery, cosmetic or toilet preparations cosmetics, toiletries). This draft standard specifies the requirements, method of sampling and test for body oils based on refined vegetable oils or vegetable oils blends, mineral oils or mixture of the vegetable oils and mineral oils meant for application on the skin. It does not cover skin creams, lotions, hair oils and pure



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					essential oils; and body oils for which therapeutic claims are made.
116	G/TBT/N/UGA/781	09/11/2017	Uganda	Gaming equipment	The Uganda National Bureau of Standards (UNBS) has issued this notification concerning standards for gaming equipment- casinos. This draft standard provides the constructional and operational requirements for gaming devices (GD) that reside on, or are operated on (or both), the gaming floor of a casino. Equipment covered by the requirements of this standard includes gaming machines, jackpot controllers and displays and machine consoles.
117	G/TBT/N/UGA/782	09/11/2017	Uganda	Gaming equipment.	The Uganda National Bureau of Standards (UNBS) has issued this notification concerning standards for gaming equipment- payout machines. This draft standard specifies the general hardware and software requirements and the list of significant events for gaming equipment to be used in venues holding site licenses for limited payout machines. This draft standard applies among others to all types of gaming machines registered under the Lotteries and Gaming Act, 2016, including workplaces that are outdoors, mobile or remote as specified in the scope of the Lotteries and Gaming Act, 2016.
118	G/TBT/N/ARG/193/A	13/11/2017	Argentina	Motor vehicles	The Ministry of the Environment and Sustainable Development, Argentina has issued this notification concerning the modification of



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	dd.4				the certification of exhaust emission of motor vehicles. The certification requires that vehicle that is manufactured in the country or imported, in order to be released to public transit, must comply with the conditions of active and passive safety, emission of pollutants and other requirements. In order to be released to public transit, all vehicles, coupled and semi-coupled manufactured in the country or imported must have the respective license for the model configuration (LCM), for such purposes, the aforementioned vehicles must comply with the limits on polluting emissions, noise and parasitic radiation.
119	G/TBT/N/ARG/325/A dd.1	13/11/2017	Argentina	Wine products	The National Institute of Vitiviniculture has issued this notification concerning the approval of resolution on labeling of imported wine products in bulk or divided. The regulation requires that the labeling on the product should contain the details on country of origin for imported products that are imported in bulk. In case of bottles and glass carboys, the said name shall be indicated on all the fixed elements that make up the labeling, and in the case of the carton, polycoat carton containers and bag- in- box, it should be printed on the two most visible



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					and larger sides of the container.
120	G/TBT/N/ARG/328	13/11/2017	Argentina	Washing Machine	The National Director of Consumer Protection, Argentina has issued this notification concerning "updating of certification and labeling of energy efficiency of domestic electric clothes washers". The objective of this decree is to accelerate and optimize the process of labeling of electrical energy consuming equipment. Its scope covers the certification of the information provided in the label and record of performance or energy efficiency, noise emission and associated characteristics. It viewed considering to establish a compulsory certification scheme referred to energy efficiency labeling on electric washing machines. The scheme requires that the national manufacturers and importers of the washing machines electricity achieved by the same, must certify compliance through a product certification by brand of conformity granted by a recognized certification body, with trials exclusively made in a recognized laboratory, being able to include only one product model per certificate issued.
121	G/TBT/N/CHL/422	13/11/2017	Chile	Chemical Substances	The Ministry of Health, Chile has issued this notification concerning regulation on classification, labeling and notification of chemical substances and mixtures.



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					The regulation proposes for the regulation of classification, labeling and notification of chemical substances and mixtures, which establishes the criteria, classification procedures and requirements for labeling, safety data sheet and notification of chemical substances and mixtures. These established requirements should be met by manufacturers and importers, in order to protect human health and the environment. Manufacturers of importers of chemical substances or mixtures shall determine if these are classified as dangerous for the health of people and/ or the environment. To facilitate classification, an official list of substances classification will be available. The list will be the minimum reference for classification, however, when manufacturers or importers wish to apply other less restrictive classifications to those indicated in the list.
122	G/TBT/N/ITA/31	13/11/2017	Italy	Internet access services; software and digital content. Communication terminal devices.	The Ministry for Economic Development has issued this notification concerning draft law laying down measures concerning the provision of Internet services for the protection of competition and freedom of access for users.
123	G/TBT/N/JAM/70	13/11/2017	Jamaica	Disinfectants ICS # 11.080.20	The Bureau of Standards, Jamaica has issued this notification concerning specification for general purpose disinfectant. This document applies to disinfectant



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					containing phenolic, quaternary ammonium or other type of germicide which is intended primarily for general cleaning and disinfecting of floors, walls and other hard surfaces. It is intended for use where destruction of bacteria is important.
124	G/TBT/N/USA/1284/ Add.2	13/11/2017	United States of America	Outboard engines	The Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, USA has issued this notification on final rule on the update of outboard engine weight test requirements. The coast guard established flotation requirements for weight table (table 4) used to assist the boat manufacturer in determining the amount of flotation to be included in a boat's design and construction. However, in 1984, it was found that the size and weight of outboard engines contained in table 4 no longer accurately represents the weights of outboard engines available on the market. This rulemaking adopts the current American boat and Yacht council (ABYC) S-30 to replace table 4 of 33 CFR. ABYC is a non-profit organization that develops voluntary safety standards for the design, construction, maintenance, and repair of recreational boats. The ABYC S- 30 reflects the current state of marine outboard engine weights.
125	G/TBT/N/USA/1304/	13/11/2017	United	Radioactive materials	The Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC), USA has issued this notification concerning



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	Add.1		States of America		extension of comment period for naturally occurring and accelerator-produced radioactive materials. The petitioner requested to amend its existing regulations in appendix B to part 30 of title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations (10 CFR), to specifically add the radionuclides and their corresponding activities to the list of "quantities of licensed material requiring labeling". As per the requirements in 10 CFR 30.35, each applicant for a specific license authorizing the possession and use of unsealed byproduct material of half-life greater than 120 days shall submit a decommissioning funding plan.
126	G/TBT/N/USA/1305/ Add.1	13/11/2017	United States of America	School buses	The Department of Transportation, Division of Traffic Safety, State of Illinois, USA has issued this notification concerning the withdrawal of the earlier issued notice on the standards for construction of school buses. Previously, USA proposed to establish requirements for incorporation by reference, certification by manufacturer, body and chassis requirements in the manufacturing of school buses. However, the agency is now withdrawing the proposal in order to allow the public to comment on the substantive changes to the rulemaking. The rulemaking will be refiled at a later date.



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127	G/TBT/N/USA/1315	13/11/2017	United States of America	Toys and child care articles containing phthalates.	The Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC), USA has issued this notification concerning prohibition of specific phthalates contained in children's toys. Section 108 of the consumer product safety improvement act of 2008 (CPSIA) established requirements concerning concentration limits for specified phthalates in children's toys and child-care articles. In this regard, the commission is publishing final rule that changes some of the statutory phthalate restrictions currently in place pursuant to section of this regulation. The changes are as follows: i. The commission's phthalates rule makes permanent the interim prohibition on children's toys that can be placed in a child's mouth and child care articles that contain concentrations of more than 0.1 percent of diisononyl phthalate (DINP). ii. The phthalates rule extends this prohibition to cover all children's toys and child care articles containing concentrations of more than 0.1 percent of DINP. iii. The phthalates rule also lifts the interim prohibitions on children's toys that can be placed in a child's mouth and child care articles that contain concentrations of more than 0.1 percent of DINP. iii. The phthalates rule also lifts the interim prohibitions on children's toys that can be placed in a child's mouth and child care articles that contain concentrations of more than 0.1 percent of Domestic Industry-n-octyl phthalate (DNOP) or diisodecyl phthalate (DIDP).



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					iv. In addition, the phthalate rule prohibits children's toys and child care articles that contain concentrations of more than 0.1 percent of diisobutyl phthalate (DIBP), Di-n-pentyl phthalate (DPENP), Di-n-hexyl phthalate (DHEXP), and dicyclohexyl phthalate (DCHP).
128	G/TBT/N/USA/1316	13/11/2017	United States of America	Rotorcraft	The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), USA has issued this notification concerning proposed amendments in the certification standards for normal and transport category helicopters. The agency states that the proposed changes/ amendments are being made due to extensive application of advancing technologies to rotorcraft. The existing airworthiness standards are inadequate because they do not address increasing design completely. The main changes proposed are in the following areas: i. Powerplant instruments ii. Normal category rotorcraft equipment iv. Automatic flight guidance and control system v. Instrument systems vi. Electrical systems vii. Instrument marking viii. Control marking ix. Typographical and standard correcting



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129	G/TBT/N/EU/524	14-Nov-17	European union	Marine Equipment (including inter alia life-saving appliances, pollution prevention equipment, fire protection equipment, navigation equipment, radio communication equipment).	The European Commission has issued this notification concerning laying down technical criteria for electronic tags for marine equipment. This regulation lays down the design, performance, affixing and use of the electronic tags, which can be applied on voluntary basis by economic operators producing marine equipment. The main content of the regulation are as follows: i. Manufacturers of marine equipment may use the tags containing data matrix code ii. It should be displayed visibly, legibly and indelibly iii. Tags may also contain information of production site number, product code, lot or batch number and or additional information designed by manufacturer as per ISO/IEC 15434: 2006 iv. Electronic tag is actually a supplement to "wheel mark".
130	G/TBT/N/MDA/34	14-Nov-17	Moldova	Cableway installations (elevators)	The Ministry of Economy and Infrastructure of the Republic of Moldova has issued this notification concerning the government decision on approval of the technical regulation on cableway installations designed to carry persons. This decision establishes the safety



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					requirements, conformity assessment procedures (CAP) that confirm compliance with the safety requirements, the activities to be undertaken in the framework of market surveillance where the installations concerned do not comply with the established requirements or pose a risk to users.
131	G/TBT/N/CHN/1224	15/11/2017	China	Smelt Slag HS: 2618, 2619 ICS: 13.030.50	The Standardization Administration of China (SAC) has issued these notifications concerning environmental protection control standard for
132	G/TBT/N/CHN/1225	15/11/2017	China	Waste and scrap of paper or paperboard HS:4707 ICS: 13.030.50	imported solid wastes- smelt slag, paper or paperboard, wood and wood articles, scrap of iron and steel, nonferrous metal, electric
133	G/TBT/N/CHN/1226	15/11/2017	China	Wood and Wood Articles Wastes HS: 4401, 4501; ICS: 13.030.50	motors, wires and cables, metal and electrical appliances scraps, vessels and floating structures, plastics, automobiles. This standard specifies the environmental
134	G/TBT/N/CHN/1227	15/11/2017	China	Waste and scrap of iron and steel HS: 7204; ICS: 13.030.50.	protection control requirements for import of product wastes. The main content of these revisions appears as below:
135	G/TBT/N/CHN/1228	15/11/2017	China	Waste Nonferrous Metal HS: 7112, 7404, 7503, 7602, 7902, 8002, 8103, 8101, 8104, 8106, 8108, 8109, 8112, 8113; ICS: 13.030.50.	<ul> <li>Increased the requirement of external radiation penetration of imported waste products</li> <li>Adjusted hazardous waste control requirements</li> </ul>
136	G/TBT/N/CHN/1229	15/11/2017	China	Waste Electric Motors HS: 7404; ICS: 13.030.50.	<ul> <li>Tightened control requirements for general inclusions</li> <li>Revised inspection requirements</li> </ul>



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137	G/TBT/N/CHN/1230	15/11/2017	China	Waste wires and cables HS: 7404, 7602; ICS: 13.030.50.	
138	G/TBT/N/CHN/1231	15/11/2017	China	Metal and Electrical Appliance Scraps HS: 7204, 7404, 7602; ICS: 13.030.50.	
139	G/TBT/N/CHN/1232	15/11/2017	China	Vessels and Other Floating Structures for Breaking up HS: 8908; ICS: 13.030.50.	
140	G/TBT/N/CHN/1233	15/11/2017	China	Waste and scrap of plastics HS: 3915; ICS: 13.030.50.	
141	G/TBT/N/CHN/1234	15/11/2017	China	Compressed Piece of Scrap Automobile HS: 7204; ICS: 13.030.50.	
142	G/TBT/N/ISR/946/Ad d.1	15/11/2017	Israel	Foodstuffs (HS: Section I to IV - Chapters 1 to 24; ICS: 67.040)	This has reference to TBT notification G/TBT/N/ISR/946/Add.1 dated 15th November 2017 issued by Israel WTO-TBT Enquiry Point concerning foodstuffs. The regulation concerns the sugar-labeling requirement for all type of sugars, including added sugars. This requirement is based on the European legislation and provides definitions for carbohydrates, sugars, sugar alcohol starch and dietary fiber. It concerns information accessibility relating to



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					the food's nutritional values and to provide it both comprehensively and graphically to the consumers.
143	G/TBT/N/MWI/16	15/11/2017	Malawi	High protein cereal based foods	This letter is in reference to TBT notification G/TBT/N/MWI/16 dated 15th November 2017 issued by Malawi Bureau of Standards concerning specification of requirements and methods of sampling and test for high protein cereal based foods for infants and young children. The regulation states pasta, rusks, biscuits, cereal flours, legume flour used for infants and young children must be prepared from cereal products such as wheat, rice, barley, oats, rye, maize, millet, sorghum and buckwheat. They may also contain legumes like soya beans, beans, groundnuts, pigeon peas, cowpeas etc., and starchy foods such as cassava, potatoes, yam or their products in smaller proportion. Food additives may be used as per MS 237. This Malawi standard has considered food additives only those that are listed as safe in JEFCA/Codex.
144	G/TBT/N/EU/525	16/11/2017	European union	Propineb (pesticide active substance)	The approval for use of Propineb in the EU expires on January 2018. However, an application requesting renewal was submitted. The EU Member state had found the application to be complete. Hence, a renewal assessment report was prepared and submitted to the



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					EFSA- European Food Safety Authority in 2015. In November 2016, the EFSA reported to the European Commission that the assessment cannot be conducted due to lack of technical data. It is to be noted that the EFSA had mentioned that metabolite of Propineb showed endocrine disrupting properties. The applicant was given a chance to comment. After the submission of applicant's response, the EFSA still found that the concerns could not be eliminated. Hence, the status of active substance is not renewed.
145	G/TBT/N/SAU/1026	16/11/2017	Saudi Arabia, Kingdom of	Efficiency classes of line operated AC motors	The Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization (SASO) has issued this notification concerning efficiency classes of line operated AC motors. The Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization (SASO) and the Saudi Energy Efficiency Center (SEEC) through the Saudi Energy Efficiency Program (SEEP) prepared this standard for efficiency classes of single-speed, three-phase, cage induction motors, and this standard will apply as a mandatory Saudi standard.
146	G/TBT/N/ARE/394#G/ TBT/N/BHR/507#G/T BT/N/KWT/389#G/TB T/N/OMN/333#G/TB	17/11/2017	United Arab Emirates	Putting Calories on Food Establishments Menu's Selling Away- From-Home Foods.	This technical regulation is concerned with calorie requirements in the menu of food establishments that provide food to the consumer outside the home.



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148	G/TBT/N/ARE/394#G/ TBT/N/BHR/507#G/T BT/N/KWT/389#G/TB T/N/OMN/333#G/TB T/N/QAT/506#G/TBT/ N/SAU/1027#G/TBT/ N/YEM/109	17/11/2017	Kuwait, the State of	Putting Calories on Food Establishments Menu's Selling Away- From-Home Foods	This technical regulation is concerned with calorie requirements in the menu of food establishments that provide food to the consumer outside the home.
149	G/TBT/N/ARE/394#G/ TBT/N/BHR/507#G/T BT/N/KWT/389#G/TB T/N/OMN/333#G/TB T/N/QAT/506#G/TBT/	17/11/2017	Oman	Putting Calories on Food Establishments Menu's Selling Away- From-Home Foods	This technical regulation is concerned with calorie requirements in the menu of food establishments that provide food to the consumer outside the home.



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151	G/TBT/N/ARE/394#G/ TBT/N/BHR/507#G/T BT/N/KWT/389#G/TB T/N/OMN/333#G/TB T/N/QAT/506#G/TBT/ N/SAU/1027#G/TBT/ N/YEM/109	17/11/2017	Saudi Arabia, Kingdom of	Putting Calories on Food Establishments Menu's Selling Away- From-Home Foods	This technical regulation is concerned with calorie requirements in the menu of food establishments that provide food to the consumer outside the home.
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153	G/TBT/N/EU/526	17/11/2017	European union	Food	The draft amendment lays down inter alia compositional and labelling rules for infant formula and follow-on formula. It specifically provides for follow-on formula manufactured from cow's milk or goat's milk protein to contain at least 1.8 g protein/100 kcal. However, a FBO had submitted an application to the Commission for the product – from cow's milk with 1.61 g/100 kcal.
154	G/TBT/N/JPN/551/Ad d.3	17/11/2017	Japan	Processed foods which are produced and sold in Japan.	The Consumer Affairs Agency has issued this notification on processed foods which are domestically produced and sold in Japan. The notified document is 'amendment of the Food Labelling Standards concerning the place of origin labelling of ingredients of processed foods. As per the existing rules, for certain processed food products, Japan imposes the place of origin of agricultural, livestock or fishery ingredient constituting 50% or more by weight. Through this proposal, all the processed products that are domestically produced and sold must contain the same. However, this is not applicable on imported processed foods. Only the country of origin is required and not the information on ingredients.



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155	G/TBT/N/KEN/594	17/11/2017	Kenya	67.020 - Processes in the food industry;	The document mandates the good manufacturing practice by the food business operators (FBOs). The records must be maintained. The FBOs must establish internal quality system. The FBOs, on receiving all premixes/fortificants must ensure material safety datasheet and certificate of analysis including micronutrient profile or shelf life. Records must be maintained till shelf life. FBOs must follow 'First in First out' Principle. Expired products must be disposed and disposal records must be maintained for a period of 6 months. It mandates the maintenance of production log. The facility must have flow diagrams, process steps and control measures as per HACCP and ISO standards.
156	G/TBT/N/KEN/595	17/11/2017	Kenya	Woven Apparels	The Kenya Bureau of Standards has issued this notification concerning the Kenyan standard for specifying requirements three varieties of woven interlinings made from either sewn interlinings with cotton, synthetic or blended interlinings and fusible interlinings with cotton, synthetic or blended woven fabric at the base.
157	G/TBT/N/KEN/596	17/11/2017	Kenya	Woven Apparels	The Kenya Bureau of Standards has issued this notification concerning constructional details and other requirements for woven linings made from any textile fibre or mixtures of fibres for apparel purposes.



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158	G/TBT/N/KEN/597	17/11/2017	Kenya	11.040.40 - Implants for surgery, prosthetics and orthotics;	The Kenya Bureau of Standards has issued this TBT notification concerning the Kenyan standard for specifying requirements for spinal orthoses used by clients or patients with spinal problems or conditions.
159	G/TBT/N/KEN/598	17/11/2017	Kenya	59.140.35 - Leather products;	The Kenya Bureau of Standards has issued this notification concerning the fabric specification for fashion handbags made from fabric of any textile fiber or mixture of fibers formed by weaving, felted wool or knitted.
160	G/TBT/N/KEN/599	17/11/2017	Kenya	13.060.20 - Drinking water;	<ul> <li>This standard applies to flavoured drinking water with extracts of herbs, fruits or extracts parts of plant origin and permitted flavours.</li> <li>The regulation has mentioned two types of flavored water- <ul> <li>Carbonated sweetened, carbonated non sweetened</li> <li>Non carbonate sweetened, non-carbonated non sweetened</li> </ul> </li> <li>The source of water shall be approved by the relevant water regulatory authorities. Flavours/ extracts should be processed under the GMP conditions, and procured with certificate analysis. It should contain batch number, date of manufacture and expiry and storage conditions.</li> </ul>



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					They shall comply with the requirements of Food and Drugs Chemicals Substances Act, Kenya.
161	G/TBT/N/KEN/600	17/11/2017	Kenya	61.020 - Clothes;	<ul> <li>The Kenya Bureau of Standards has issued this notification concerning the Kenyan standard specification for infants outwear garments.</li> <li>The brief of the regulation is given below: <ol> <li>The hood and neck area on children's upper outerwear shall be free from drawstrings in sizes 2 years through 10 years. Alternative closures such as snaps, button, and Velcro shall be used. Drawstrings at the waist or bottom of upper outerwear in sizes 2 years to 10 shall not exceed 75mm in length outside drawstring channel. Drawstrings that are one continuous string must be bar tacked or stitched through to prevent the drawstring from being pulled through its channel</li> <li>If fully rectangular drawstrings are used, they shall completely and automatically retract into the garment after being adjusted and released</li> </ol> </li> </ul>
162	G/TBT/N/KOR/736	17/11/2017	Korea	Telecommunications equipment and electrical appliances	The South Korean National Radio Research Agency (RRA) has issued this Notification on revision of conformity assessment for broadcasting communications equipment. As per the notification, the Korean authorities have



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					proposed amending the process and documentation requirements of conformity assessment procedure for import of broadcasting communication equipments.
163	G/TBT/N/KOR/737	17/11/2017	Korea	Livestock Products	South Korea mandates the mentioning of meat content in labels of processed animal products including ham, sausage and other products based on animal meat. Such mandatory requirement is proposed in revision of the "Livestock Products Labeling Standards for Foods".
164	G/TBT/N/THA/503	17/11/2017	Thailand	83.160.10 - Road vehicle tyres;	The Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI), Ministry of Industry has issued this notification concerning draft Thai industrial standard for rolling sound emission adhesion on wet surfaces and rolling resistance. The Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI) has proposed to enforce TIS 2721-2559 (2016) Rolling Sound Emission Adhesion on Wet Surfaces and Rolling Resistance as a mandatory standard. The standard covers the sound emissions, adhesion performance on wet surfaces and rolling resistance and also applies to new pneumatic tyres for motor vehicles, commercial vehicles and their trailers designed primarily for vehicles of categories C1, C2 and C3 in accordance with UN Regulation.



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165	G/TBT/N/USA/1118/ Add.4	17/11/2017	United States of America	Organic livestock and poultry	<ul> <li>The Agricultural Marketing Service of USDA has issued this notification on National Organic Program (NOP) concerning Organic Livestock and Poultry Practices.</li> <li>The agency is amending the organic livestock and poultry production requirements by adding new provisions for livestock handling and transport for slaughter and avian living conditions and expanding and clarifying requirements covering livestock care and production practices and mammalian living conditions.</li> <li>It concerns the treatment of livestock and poultry, performing physical alterations to avoid stress, stocking densities, outdoor spaces, transportation and certification.</li> </ul>
166	G/TBT/N/USA/1317	17/11/2017	United States of America	Dishwashers, furnaces, room air conditioners, and pool heaters	The Commission publishes proposed revisions to the comparability range and energy cost information for dishwashers, furnaces, pool heaters, and room air conditioners. These comparability ranges (i.e., scales) show the highest and lowest energy costs or energy efficiency ratings of models similar to the labeled product. The Commission derives these ranges from annual date submitted by manufacturers. In addition, the Commission is updating the average energy cost figures manufacturers must use to calculate a model's estimated energy cost



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167	G/TBT/N/ARE/395	20/11/2017	United Arab Emirates	All products are being traded in the local market, the following products are excluded from the provisions of the law: 1. Medicines and veterinary, vaccines, Serums, and the like. 2. Goods to be classified as antiques. 3. Used products that need to be repaired, rehabilitated or modified during the period prior to their placement in the market	for the label based on national average cost figures published by DOE. Manufacturers must begin using this new information on product labels within 90 days after publication of a final rule in this proceeding. The provisions of this Federal Law for product safety and its executive regulation shall apply to all products that are being traded in the local market, including freeze zones and the like. The law, however, excludes the following products from the provisions: • Medicines and veterinary, vaccines, serums, and the like • Goods to be classified as antiques • Used products that need to be repaired, rehabilitated or modified during the period prior to their placement in the market
168	G/TBT/N/ISR/973	20/11/2017	Israel	Playground equipment and surfacing	First amendment to the Mandatory Standard SI 1498 part 7, dealing with the installation, inspection, maintenance and operation of playground equipment and surfacing. This amendment changes the requirements of paragraph 6.2 dealing with the main annual
169	G/TBT/N/ISR/974	20/11/2017	Israel	Bread	inspection. The agency states that it is revising the partially mandatory Israel standard on bread. Both the old and the new revised standard will apply



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					after one (1) year from the date of publication in official gazette. During this time product may be tested according to the old or new revised standard.
170	G/TBT/N/ISR/975	20/11/2017	Israel	Playground equipment	The Israel WTO-TBT Enquiry point has issued these notifications concerning part 7 and 8 of the Israel Standard on guidance on installation, inspection, maintenance and operation of playground equipment and surfacing.
171	G/TBT/N/USA/1318	20/11/2017	United States of America	Oranges	This rule changes the minimum size requirements for oranges from 28/16 inches to 24/16 inches in diameter. The authority is of the view that this rule will maximize shipments by allowing more oranges to be shipped to the market and help reduce the losses sustained by the Florida citrus growing area.
172	G/TBT/N/USA/1319	20/11/2017	United States of America	Glider vehicle emissions	The regulation is proposing to repeal the emission standards and other requirements for heavy-duty glider vehicles. Glider engines, and glider kits based on a proposed interpretation of the Clean Air Act (CAA) under which glider vehicles would be found not to constitute "new motor vehicles" within meaning of CAA 216 (3), glider engines would be found not to constitute "new motor vehicle engines" within the meaning of CAA section 216 (3).
173	G/TBT/N/USA/1320	20/11/2017	United States of	Animal feed	FDA is amending Food Additives regulations used in feed and drinking water of animals to



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			America		permit the safe use of formic acid and ammonium formate. This action is in response to the BASF corp.'s petition to allow formic acid and aluminum formate to limit formic acid and formate salts from all added salts. FDA states that formic acid and formate salts shall not exceed 1.2 percent of complete feed when multiple sources of formic acid and its salts are used in combination.
174	G/TBT/N/USA/497/A dd.6	20/11/2017	United States of America	Respirators (HS Chapter 9020) (ICS 13.100, 13.340)	The proposed regulation concerned to establish total inward leakage (TIL) requirements for half-mask air-purifying particulate respirators approved by the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH). As per the proposed regulation, the TIL has to provide effective respiratory protection to intended users against toxic dusts, mists, fumes, fibres, and biological and infectious aerosols (such as influenza A (H5N1)), severe acute respiratory syndrome (SARS) coronavirus, and mycobacterium tuberculosis).
175	G/TBT/N/CHL/423	21/11/2017	Chile	Smooth steel bars	Chile seeks to ensure that the steel bars imported to and marketed in Chile meets the prevailing requirements. In this regard, it is amending its Decree on general specifications for the use of smooth steel bars in reinforced concrete works. The main amendments are as follows:



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					<ul> <li>The import of steel bars for reinforced concrete must have "Certificate of Conformity" issued by the products certification body that is accredited by the National Institute of Normalization (INN), and "Official Test Reports", controlled by a Laboratory of Technical Quality Control of the Ministry of Housing and Urban Development.</li> <li>The importers should also have to submit an affidavit for every contract by authorized laboratory, indicating that the steel bars for reinforced concrete will be subject to analysis and certification under contract for the provision of product certification services. The certificate included in the contract must reflect the exact amount of consignment.</li> <li>The laboratories of Construction Quality Technical Control are required to maintain their records of certificates granted on conformity, corresponding tests reports, in physical or digital file for at least 10 years.</li> </ul>
176	G/TBT/N/ISR/976	21/11/2017	Israel	Children's jewelry (HS: Chapter 71)	As per the regulation, the part contained in the Israeli Standard on the safety requirements and health aspects of jewelry to be worn by children upto 12 years old is declared as mandatory. It adopts the requirements and test methods in the American Standard ASTM F2923, with few changes that appears in the Standard's Hebrew section.



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177	G/TBT/N/ISR/977	21/11/2017	Israel	Roasted Coffee	<ul> <li>This standard dealing with the roasted coffee amends the following: <ul> <li>It amends the test methods according to relevant international standard</li> <li>Deletes the paragraph dealing with compliance</li> <li>Requires compliance with Israel regulations relating to food contaminants (such as heavy metals, pesticide residues and mycotoxins)</li> <li>Deletes the annex dealing with documentation system</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
178	G/TBT/N/KAZ/19	21/11/2017	Kazakhstan	Wheeled vehicles of categories L, M, N and O, intended for operation of public roads.	In this amendment, the words "and technical checkup" is replaced with "and/ or technical checkup". As per this change, if any changes are made in the design or structure of the vehicle, either safety inspection or technical checkup of the changes in the structure of vehicle would be carried out for verification of compliance with requirements for vehicles.
179	G/TBT/N/KOR/738	21/11/2017	Korea	Motor Vehicles	South Korea is revising its regulation on safety and performances of motor vehicles. The main focus of this revision is to improve safety of the passengers, and avoid pedestrian accidents. In this regard, the South Korean proposed revisions are as follows:



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					vehicles such as electric vehicles, hybrid electric vehicles, and fuel cell electric vehicles.
180	G/TBT/N/EU/527	22/11/2017	European union	Cosmetics	After the review of the safety status of bisphenyl-2-ol, and its salts, named as O- phenylphenol under the International Nomenclature of Cosmetics Ingredients (INCI), the Scientific Committee on Consumer Safety



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					(SCCS), concluded that o-phenylphenol as a preservative with a maximum concentration of 0.2% on leave-on/skin care products is not safe for the consumer. The SCCS is of the view that there might be a potential of injury to the vision system attributable to o-phenylphenol. Thus, the Committee (SCCS) proposes that the maximum concentration of o-phenylphenol in skin care products should be lowered from 0.2% to 0.15%. In addition, it states that the contact of the products with the eyes should be avoided.
181	G/TBT/N/ISR/416/Ad d.1	22/11/2017	Israel	Electrodes for welding (ICS: 25.160.20; HS: 8311.10).	This draft standard adopts 4 different international standards with a few changes that appear in the standard's Hebrew section.
182	G/TBT/N/ISR/978	22/11/2017	Israel	Electrodes for arc welding	As per the regulation, it is not allowed to combine between the different routes and only one chosen route should be followed to achieve compliance with this standard.
183	G/TBT/N/ISR/623/Ad d.1	22/11/2017	Israel	Large steam sterilizers (ICS: 11.080.10; HS: 8419.20).	The revision of mandatory standard on large steam sterilizers adopts two different international standards. This new draft
184	G/TBT/N/ISR/979	22/11/2017	Israel	Large steam sterilizers	<ul> <li>standard revision allows to choose between the following 2 different routes of compliance:</li> <li>uropean Standard EN 285: December 2015</li> <li>American Standard ANSI/AAMI ST8: 2013</li> </ul>



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					As per the regulation, it is not allowed to combine between the different routes and only one chosen route should be followed to achieve compliance with this standard.
185	G/TBT/N/UKR/117/A dd.1	22/11/2017	Ukraine	Buildings and structures	The Government of Ukraine is updating the title of its draft law on structures and buildings as "On basic requirements for buildings as well as conditions for placing construction products on the market", from its earlier title "On basic requirements for buildings and structures as conditions of placing on the market of construction products, harmonized with the legislation of the European Union". This draft law establishes basic requirements to buildings, structures during all product life circle and technical testing procedures of construction products for their placing on the market, to subjects. The draft is developed with the purposes of implementation provisions of the regulation (EU) no 305/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2011 laying down harmonized conditions.
186	G/TBT/N/KOR/739	23/11/2017	Korea	Medical Devices	• The medical device is intended to be used on an individual patient during a single procedure and then discarded. The device is not



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					<ul> <li>intended to be reprocessed and used on another patient.</li> <li>"To clarify that, disposable medical devices are medical devices used only by one patient"</li> <li>Expand the scope of medical devices prohibited from authorization, certificate, and declaration. (to include powdered medical gloves)</li> </ul>
187	G/TBT/N/ALB/84	24/11/2017	Albenia	Gas industry	The Ministry of Infrastructure and Energy, Albania has issued these notifications
188	G/TBT/N/ALB/85	24/11/2017	Albenia	Gas industry	concerning code of practice for the gas industry. This technical regulation on code of practice
189	G/TBT/N/ALB/86	24/11/2017	Albenia	Gas industry	applies to the following:
190	G/TBT/N/ALB/87	24/11/2017	Albenia	Gas industry	• Documentation of gas and water distribution lines in the distance
191	G/TBT/N/ALB/88	24/11/2017	Albenia	Gas industry	<ul> <li>Cathodic protection from corrosion of pipes within product protective steel pipes, plastic and reinforced concrete, or the product tubes, which are paved with propulsion method channels</li> <li>Construction of steel lines serving to supply the public with gas, for a maximum permissible operating pressure of up to 16 bar</li> <li>Design, construction, testing and putting into the service of polyethylene pipes for the supply of gas to the public for a maximum permissible pressure according to a table, in which gas is transmitted in accordance with the</li> </ul>



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					code of the G 260 practices- excluding liquefied gas in its liquid state. The Albanian authority is of the view that, the purpose of the processing of this code is to harmonize with European directives and standards, by adopting the standard SSH EN 12279.
192	G/TBT/N/ARG/193/A dd.5	24/11/2017	Argentina	<i>Motor vehicles</i>	The Ministry of the Environment and Sustainable Development, Argentina has issued this notification concerning the modification of the certification of exhaust emission of motor vehicles. The certification requires that vehicle that is manufactured in the country or imported, in order to be released to public transit, must comply with the conditions of active and passive safety, emission of pollutants and other requirements. In order to be released to public transit, all vehicles, coupled and semi-coupled manufactured in the country or imported must have the respective license for the model configuration (LCM), for such purposes, the aforementioned vehicles must comply with the limits on polluting emissions, noise and parasitic radiation. Ministry of Environment and Sustainable Development is the competent authority for certification of approval relating to the



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					emission. For LCM, the manufacturers must request to the Secretariat of Industry and Services.
193	G/TBT/N/ARG/247/A dd.1	24/11/2017	Argentina	Disinfectants	The National Directorate of Domestic Trade has issued this notification announcing the withdrawal of malathion as a disinfectant from use in public health activities.
194	G/TBT/N/BRA/757	24/11/2017	Brazil	Drug	Brazilian Health Regulatory Agency – ANVISA has issued this notification concerning procedures and regulatory requirements for the reporting of clinical trials with Products Advanced Research Therapies. It concerns the dossiers and procedures for clinical trials and sought attention on the HS Code mentioned in the notification- 98041000.
195	G/TBT/N/BRA/758	24/11/2017	Brazil	3002 - Blood	ANVISA has issued this notification concerning resolution on hyperimmune serum with regard to minimum requirements.
196	G/TBT/N/ECU/108/A dd.3	24/11/2017	Ecuador	Toys	The Ecuadorian Standardization Institute has issued this notification concerning draft technical regulation of the Ecuadorian Standardization Institute on safety of toys. This technical regulation establishes the requirements to be met by toys, with a view to preventing risks to human health, safety and life and the environment, and practices likely to mislead users during the normal use thereof. It applies to new, domestically produced or



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					imported toys that are marketed in Ecuador and intended for children under the age of 14.
197	G/TBT/N/JAM/71	24/11/2017	Jamaica	Cosmetic	The Bureau of Standards Jamaica has issued this notification concerning water used in the preparation of cosmetics.
198	G/TBT/N/KOR/740	24/11/2017	Korea	Bicycle	The Korean Agency for Technology and Standards (KATS) has issued this notification concerning the draft revision for safety assurance criteria for bicycle. The revised draft requires the manufacturers or importers to confirm safety by reporting to safety certification agency with attachment of test and inspection certificates from "testing agency" designated by models of the products before product release or clearance through the customs to identify whether they conform to the safety criteria.
199	G/TBT/N/SGP/37/Add .1	24/11/2017	Singapore	Examples of HS codes for polychlorinated naphthalenes and trichlorfon proposed for control: <b>Polychlorinated naphthalenes</b> HS –29039900: Other halogenated derivatives of aromatic hydrocarbons <b>Trichlorfon</b> HS - 38089199: Insecticides not specified in Subheading Note 1 of chapter 38, not in aerosol containers &	The National Environment Agency has issued this notification announcing the prohibition of Short Chained Chlorinated Paraffins (SCCP), polycholorinated naphthalenes and Trichlorfon as a result of decisions taken in Stockholm Convention. It takes effect in June 2018.



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				not having deodorising function HS – 29199000: Other phosphoric esters & salts & their halogenated sulphonated, nitrated or nitrosated derivatives	
200	G/TBT/N/SVN/101	24/11/2017	Slovenia	ICS 67.200.10 Animal and vegetable fats and oils	The Administration for Food Safety has issued this notification concerning regulation on the maximum allowable trans fatty acids content in foodstuffs.
201	G/TBT/N/CHN/1235	27/11/2017	China	Heavy-duty commercial vehicles ICS: 43.020 HS: 87	The Standardization Administration of China (SAC) has issued draft standards for vehicles. This standard specifies the fuel consumption
202	G/TBT/N/CHN/1236	27/11/2017	China	Motorcycles and mopeds. ICS: 43.140 HS:87	limits for heavy-duty commercial vehicles. All the technical contents are mandatory. This standard applies to the gasoline and diesel
203	G/TBT/N/CHN/1237	27/11/2017	China	road transportation vehicle of explosive substance and chemical toxic substance ICS: 43.160 HS: 87	commercial vehicles with maximum design total mass above 3500 kg, including trucks, semi- trailer tractors, buses, dumpers and city buses. This standard specifies the fuel consumption limits for heavy-duty commercial vehicles. All the technical contents are mandatory. This standard applies to the gasoline and diesel commercial vehicles with maximum design total mass above 3500 kg, including trucks, semi- trailer tractors, buses, dumpers and city buses. The standard specifies such items for road transportation vehicle of explosive substance



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					and chemical toxic substance as engine, tire, speed limiting device, brake device, electrical installations, vehicle structure, size parameter, quality parameter, tank volume, tank and accessory protection requirement, van basic requirement, specification and strength of connecting device, anti-static measures, fire extinguisher, driving recorder, on board monitoring device, sign, on board document and etc.
204	G/TBT/N/CHN/1238	27/11/2017	China	Commercial gas-burning appliance HS: 8417200000, 8419810000 ICS :91.140	This standard specifies the materials, structure, performance requirements and test methods of commercial gas-burning appliance. The standard applies to 13 types of commercial gas-burning appliance, such as gas steaming oven, whose burning air comes from indoor and combustion product is directly or indirectly discharged outside.
205	G/TBT/N/CHN/1239	27/11/2017	China	Pressure regulators for liquefied petroleum gas cylinders HS: 8481100090. ICS: 91.140.	The Standardization Administration of China (SAC) has issued this notification concerning standard on pressure regulators for LPG gas cylinders. This standard specifies the materials, structure, performance requirements and test methods of the pressure regulators for liquefied petroleum gas cylinders.
206	G/TBT/N/CHN/1240	27/11/2017	China	motor-compressor in room air	The Standardization Administration of China (SAC) has issued this notification concerning the standard for minimum allowable values of the



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				conditioners HS: 8415. ICS: 27.010.	energy efficiency and energy efficiency grades for hermetic motor-compressor in room air conditioners. This standard specifies the maximum allowable values of energy consumption, energy efficiency grades, testing method and inspection rules of hermetic motor-compressor for room air conditioners.
207	G/TBT/N/CHN/1241	27/11/2017	China	AC contactors HS: 8536. ICS: 27.010.	The Standardization Administration of China (SAC) has issued this notification concerning mandatory standard on minimum allowable values of energy efficiency and energy efficiency grades for AC contactors. This mandatory standard specifies the basic requirements, energy efficiency grades, minimum allowable values of energy efficiency, testing and calculating methods of AC contactors.
208	G/TBT/N/CHN/1242	27/11/2017	China	Four-stroke cycle motorcycle gasoline engine oils HS: 2710199100. ICS:75.100. (2710)	The Standardization Administration of China (SAC) has issued this notification concerning the standard for four-stroke cycle motorcycle gasoline engine oils. This standard specifies such requirements of lubricating engine oils to be used in four-stroke cycle spark ignition gasoline engines employing a common sump as terminology, and definitions, classification and symbol, technical requirements and testing methods, inspection rules, as well as logo, packaging, transportation



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					and storage.
209	G/TBT/N/ECU/237/Re v.1	27/11/2017	Ecuador	851660 Other ovens; cookers, cooking plates, boiling rings, grillers and roasters;	The Ecuadorian Normalization Service (SEN) has issued this notification concerning revision of Ecuadorian technical regulation on "safety of electrical appliances for cooking". This technical regulation applies to the electrical appliances for domestic cooking and commercial use, whose voltage does not exceed 250 V for single phase appliances and 480 V for other devices that are commercialized in Ecuador, whether they are manufactured domestically or imported. It covers the following domestic and commercial electrical cooking appliances: Electric cookers with or without oven Cooking counterpots Countertop plates Electric a equipment for cooking by this technical regulation must operate according to the voltage and frequency conditions used in Ecuador. The markings on the appliances must be in Spanish. However, it can be included in other languages also.
210	G/TBT/N/ECU/301/A dd.1	27/11/2017	Ecuador	850110 Motors of an output not exceeding 37.5 W; 850120 Universal	The Ecuadorian authorities have issued draft technical regulation of the Ecuadorian Standardization Institute "Energy efficiency of



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				AC/DC motors of an output exceeding 37.5 W; 850140 Other AC motors, single-phase; 85015 Other AC	electric motors"
211	G/TBT/N/MEX/380	27/11/2017	Mexico	902680 Other instruments or apparatus;	These drafts are applicable to alcohol measuring instruments, which are imported or marketed in the national territory and used for the detection
212	G/TBT/N/MEX/381	27/11/2017	Mexico	902680 Other instruments or apparatus;	or quantification of alcohol in body fluids, for the purpose of measuring the amount of alcohol ingested that is allowed for the development of alcohol. an activity determined for reference purposes.
213	G/TBT/N/MEX/382	27/11/2017	Mexico	840219 Other vapour generating boilers, including hybrid boilers;	This draft Mexican standard atmospheric pollution-maximum permissible emission limits from steam generators that use sugarcane bagasse as fuel.
214	G/TBT/N/TPKM/277/ Add.1	27/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Set-Top Box of Multimedia Content Distribution Platform.	The Taiwanese authorities have issued technical specifications for set-top box of multimedia content distribution platform on a fixed telecommunications network.
215	G/TBT/N/TPKM/295	27/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Medicinal products (biologic)	The FDA has issued this notification concerning draft Cell and Gene Therapy Medicinal Product Management Act. The draft covers the registration requirements for such products and pointed out the details required by the agency.
216	G/TBT/N/UKR/130	27/11/2017	Ukraine	Transportable pressure equipment	The Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of Ukraine has issued this notification concerning the draft resolution on "approval of



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					the technical regulation for transportable pressure equipment". This technical regulation establishes the requirements for transportable pressure equipment, its placing on the territory of Ukraine, and defines the obligations of economic entities, provisions on assessment and reassessment of conformity, product parking, designated conformity assessment bodies, state market surveillance. The regulation states that, Member states may establish on-site requirements on their territory for the mid-or long-term storage or the on-site use of transportable pressure equipment.
217	G/TBT/N/ARE/396#G/ TBT/N/BHR/508#G/T BT/N/KWT/390#G/TB T/N/OMN/334#G/TB T/N/QAT/507#G/TBT/ N/SAU/1029#G/TBT/ N/YEM/110	28/11/2017	United Arab Emirates	67.140.20 - Coffee and coffee substitutes;	The Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization (SASO) have issued this notification concerning draft technical regulation on instant Arabic coffee and mixture instant Arabic coffee. The document is available only in Arabic language. However, it pointed out the mentioning of only Arabic and the presence of robusta and arabiatta variety of coffee in India.
218	G/TBT/N/ARE/396#G/ TBT/N/BHR/508#G/T BT/N/KWT/390#G/TB T/N/OMN/334#G/TB	28/11/2017	Bahrain, Kingdom of	67.140.20 - Coffee and coffee substitutes;	The Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization (SASO) have issued this notification concerning draft technical regulation on instant Arabic coffee and mixture instant Arabic coffee. The document is available



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238	G/TBT/N/CHN/1243	28/11/2017	China	8901 - Cruise ships, excursion boats, ferry-boats, cargo ships, barges and similar vessels for the transport of persons or goods.;	The Standardization Administration of China (SAC) has issued this notification concerning the standard on discharge of water pollutants from ships. This standard applies to management for discharge of oily water, sewage, waste water containing noxious liquid substances and garbage ships to the waters under the jurisdiction of the People's Republic of China. The standard regulates the discharge limits and monitoring requirements of oily water and sewage from ships, the discharge control requirements of waste water containing noxious liquid substances and garbage from ships, and also the requirements of implementation and supervision for the standard.



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239	G/TBT/N/CHN/1244	28/11/2017	China	Compression ignition engines for vehicles, gas engines for vehicles, automobile vehicles HS: 8407, 8408, 8701, 8702, 8703, 8704, 8705, 8706. ICS: 43.020.	The standard specifies the stage VI emission limits and measurement methods for heavy- duty vehicles equipped with CI engines and SI gas engines. The standard is applicable to the M1, M2 vehicles with the maximum mass more than 3500kg, and all the M3, N2, N3 vehicles, and the compression ignition engines or gas fuel positive ignition engines for use in those vehicles.
240	G/TBT/N/JPN/572	28/11/2017	Japan	Chlorinated paraffins	The Japanese authorities have issued this notification concerning prohibition pof short chain chlorinated paraffins and decabromodiphenyl ether. Further, etching agents, resist for semiconductors and professional –use photograph films will be prohibited from import, if it contains perfluoroctanesulfonic acid (PFOS) and its salts.
241	G/TBT/N/LCA/52	28/11/2017	Saint Lucia	2201 - Waters, including natural or artificial mineral waters and aerated waters, not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter nor flavoured; ice and snow.;	The Saint Lucia Bureau of Standards has issued this notification concerning specification for packaged water. The specification covers the GMP for sourcing, processing facilities for water along with product criteria.
242	G/TBT/N/LCA/53	28/11/2017	Saint Lucia	67.200.10 - Animal and vegetable fats and oils;	The Saint Lucia Bureau of Standards has issued this notification concerning specification for coconut oil. The product criteria have been



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243	G/TBT/N/MEX/150/A dd.2	28/11/2017	Mexico	Persons carrying out activities involving the application of methods that must be used to combat and control bark insects	The notified Mexican Official Standard sets forth technical guidelines in respect of the methods that must be used to deal with (combat and control) bark insects in coniferous, Quercus and Fraxinus plant species. It is mandatory throughout Mexican territory for anyone carrying out such activities.
244	G/TBT/N/MEX/273/A dd.1	28/11/2017	Mexico	Electrical installations (International Classification for Standards (ICS) code 91.140.50) ;	The notified preliminary draft Procedure assesses the conformity of installations defined in the Decision determining the public places subject to inspection of electrical installations, whether or not they are supplied by the public electricity service. Moreover, the relevant authority and its accredited electrical installation inspection units may, at any time and on justifiable grounds, carry out inspections, for the purpose of which the notified Conformity Assessment Procedure will be used.
245	G/TBT/N/MEX/361/A dd.1	28/11/2017	Mexico	Road transport vehicles	The notified Draft Mexican Official Standard refers to the weight, dimensions and capacity for road transport vehicles which circulate on roads and bridges under federal jurisdiction and establishes the maximum weight, dimensions and capacity for such vehicles, as well as the configurations or combinations of vehicles, according to the type of roads and bridges on



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					which they circulate, and the air pressure for tyres. The purpose of the notified Mexican Official Standard is to establish weight, dimension and capacity specifications for federal road transport and auxiliary service vehicles and private transportation vehicles which circulate on general communication routes under federal jurisdiction, except for crane-type towing and rescue vehicles.
246	G/TBT/N/SAU/1028	28/11/2017	Saudi Arabia, Kingdom of	29.140 - Lamps and related equipment;	The Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization (SASO) has issued this draft on energy efficiency, functionality, marking information, energy efficiency labelling and hazardous substances for lamps and luminaires with a luminous flux above 60 lumens, incandescent lamps with a luminous flux above 12000 lumens, Halogen lamps with a luminous flux above 12000 lumens, Compact fluorescent lamps with integrated ballast (CLFi) with a luminous flux above 12000 Lumens, Compact fluorescent lamps without integrated ballast (CFLni), fluorescent Lamps (all types), high Intensity Discharge Lamps and LED Lamps (including 'retrofit LED lamps' with a luminous flux above 12000 Lumens).
247	G/TBT/N/UGA/783	28/11/2017	Uganda	Pesticides and other agrochemicals	The Uganda National Bureau of Standards has issued this notification concerning stock remedies for sale and handling of pesticides.



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					The danger criteria have been listed for handling based on WHO guidelines.
248	G/TBT/N/UGA/784	28/11/2017	Uganda	Pesticides and other agrochemicals	The Uganda National Bureau of Standards has issued this notification concerning pesticides for sale and handling. The classification is based on WHO guidelines.
249	G/TBT/N/UGA/785	28/11/2017	Uganda	Fortified wheat flour	The Uganda authorities have listed micronutrient specification for these products
250	G/TBT/N/UGA/786	28/11/2017	Uganda	Fortified milled maize (corn) products	respectively. The soruces of micronutrients are also listed.
251	G/TBT/N/UGA/787	28/11/2017	Uganda	Fortified edible fats and oils.	
252	G/TBT/N/UGA/788	28/11/2017	Uganda	Wheelbarrows	This Draft Uganda Standard specifies the requirements for five types of wheelbarrows of single wheel make suitable for domestic, industrial, agricultural and building-site conditions.
253	G/TBT/N/UGA/789	28/11/2017	Uganda	Machetes	This Draft Uganda Standard prescribes requirements, necessary dimensions, workmanship and test methods and sampling criteria of straight blade, curved blade, and double edged blade machetes (panga).
254	G/TBT/N/UGA/790	28/11/2017	Uganda	820110 Spades and shovels;	This Draft Uganda Standard specifies materials, construction, dimensions, finish and test methods for spades.
255	G/TBT/N/UGA/791	28/11/2017	Uganda	8201 - Hand tools, the following: spades, shovels, mattocks, picks, hoes, forks and rakes; axes, bill hooks and	This Draft Uganda Standard specifies requirements for forged jembes; both plain and fork jembes used for digging.



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				similar hewing tools; secateurs and pruners of any kind; scythes, sickles, hay knives, hedge shears, timber wedges and other tools of a kind used in agriculture, horticulture or forestry.; 84322 Harrows, scarifiers, cultivators, weeders and hoes:;	
256	G/TBT/N/UGA/792	28/11/2017	Uganda	8201 - Hand tools, the following: spades, shovels, mattocks, picks, hoes, forks and rakes; axes, bill hooks and similar hewing tools; secateurs and pruners of any kind; scythes, sickles, hay knives, hedge shears, timber wedges and other tools of a kind used in agriculture, horticulture or forestry.;	This Draft Uganda Standard specifies requirements for plain and serrated blade sickles for harvesting of fodder, grasses, cereal crops, etc.
257	G/TBT/N/COL/229	29/11/2017	Colombia	28 - Inorganic chemicals; organic or inorganic compounds of precious metals, of rare- earth metals, of radioactive elements or of isotopes;	The Ministry of Labor has issued this notification concerning classification of chemicals as per Globally Harmonised System (GHS). It is available only in Spanish language. However, Based on unofficial translation mentioned that the data must be generated from lab accredited under ISO/IEC only if there is mutual agreement.



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258	G/TBT/N/ECU/186/A dd.2	29/11/2017	Ecuador	841451 Table, floor, wall, window, ceiling or roof fans, with a self- contained electric motor of an output not exceeding 125 W;	The notified draft revision covers the following: purpose; scope; definitions; classification; product requirements; marking and labelling requirements; sampling; conformity assessment tests; reference documents; conformity assessment procedure; monitoring and inspection authority; penalty regime; liability of conformity assessment bodies; for energy efficiency of fans with a self-contained electric motor of san output not exceeding 125 W.
259	G/TBT/N/ECU/3/Rev. 1/Add.1	29/11/2017	Ecuador	84182 Refrigerators, household type:; 841810 Combined refrigerator- freezers, fitted with separate external doors; 841821 Compression-type; 841822 Absorption-type, electrical; 841829 Other;	The notified draft revision covers the following: purpose; scope; definitions; classification; product requirements; marking and labelling requirements; sampling; conformity assessment tests; reference documents; conformity assessment procedure; monitoring and inspection authority; penalty regime; liability of conformity assessment bodies; for household refrigerating appliances. There is no regulation mentioned in the notification.
260	G/TBT/N/JPN/573	29/11/2017	Japan	Pharmaceutical, quasi-drug, cosmetic, medical device and regenerative medicine products (hereinafter referred to as "pharmaceuticals, etc.").	The Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare has issued this notification concerning partial amendment to the Standard for Biological Ingredients. The agency has removed the bovine derived placenta and spleen from list of products which are not allowed for use.
261	G/TBT/N/KOR/741	29/11/2017	Korea	Dish detergent, dishwasher rinse aid,	The Ministry of Food and Drug Safety, South Korea has issued this notification concerning



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				disposable cup, spoon, chopsticks, fork, knife, straw, toilet paper, kitchen paper, paper towel, paper napkin, toothpick etc	<ul> <li>"standards and specifications for cleansing &amp; hygiene products".</li> <li>South Korea aims to ensure public safety and quality of cleansing and hygiene products. In this regard, it is proposing to enact standard and specification concerning ingredient requirements, manufacturing methods and the usage of cleansing &amp; hygiene. The provisions of this proposed standard are as follows: <ul> <li>Establish general rules to specify the legal basis and operational purposes</li> <li>Establish common standards and specifications for cleansing and hygiene products</li> <li>Set forth individual standards and specifications applied in the light of characteristic</li> <li>Stipulate matters concerning sampling and sample handling methods</li> <li>Establish 29 test methods to determine the 17 hygiene products</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
262	G/TBT/N/TUR/108	29/11/2017	Turkey	Iced Products	The Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Livestock has issued this notification concerning regulation on iced products which covers ice creams, sorbets, ice containing juices, etc. It is available only in Turkish language.
263	G/TBT/N/TUR/109	29/11/2017	Turkey	Ice Cream	The Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Livestock has issued this notification concerning regulation on ice cream. It concerns the product



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264	G/TBT/N/ZAF/223	29/11/2017	South Africa	All waste classifiable under various HS number	The South African authorities have proposed regulations regarding the control of the import or export of waste. The South African authorities have not provided the regulation associated with this draft.
265	G/TBT/N/BRA/759	30/11/2017	Brazil	Electromedical equipment, Individual sound amplification systems and Washer disinfectors	This Normative Instruction approves the update of approved list of technical standards to be adopted in the certification of conformity), and the updating of Annex II of IN 4/2015 (List of dates regarding the entrance into force of the standards to be adopted in the certification of conformity), within the scope of the Brazilian System of Conformity Assessment (SBAC).
266	G/TBT/N/BWA/78	30/11/2017	Botswana	Household and similar electrical appliances – Safety – Part 2-56: Particular requirements for projectors and similar appliances	The Botswana Bureau of Standards has issued this notification concerning safety requirements for projectors and similar projects This standard deals with the safety of electric projectors and similar appliances for household and similar purposes with their rated voltage being not more than 250 V. Appliances not intended for normal household use, but which may be a source of danger to the public are also covered within the scope of this standard.
267	G/TBT/N/CHN/1245	30/11/2017	China	Motorcycles and mopeds. HS:87. ICS: 43.140	The Standardization Administration of China (SAC) has issued this notification concerning standard on performance and measurement method for braking of motorcycles and mopeds.



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					This standard specifies the technical requirements and measurement methods for braking systems of motorcycles and mopeds. Its purpose is to ensure safe braking performance of vehicles under normal and emergency riding conditions.
268	G/TBT/N/TPKM/241/ Add.1	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Soy sauce products	The Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection has issued this notification concerning adoption of specifications for prepackaged soysauce products. The compliance date is shifted to 1 January 2019.
269	G/TBT/N/TPKM/272/ Add.1	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Chargers and secondary lithium batteries for electrical bicycles and electrical assisted bicycles (HS chapter 85)	In order to enhance the protection of consumers, the Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection (BSMI) proposes to regulate chargers and secondary lithium batteries for electrical bicycles and electrical assisted bicycles. For chargers, the inspection standards are CNS 15425-1 for safety, CNS 13438 for EMC, and section 5 of CNS 15663 for marking of presence conditions of 6 hazardous substances. For secondary lithium batteries, the inspection standards are CNS 15424-1, 15424-2 and 15387. The conformity assessment procedure for all such products will be the Registration of Product Certification (RPC) Scheme (Module II+ III).



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270	G/TBT/N/TPKM/280/ Add.1	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Motorcycle tyres	The Taiwanese authorities have issued proposal for amendment to legal inspection of motorcycle tyres.
271	G/TBT/N/TPKM/284/ Add.1	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Steel wire ropes	The Taiwanese authorities have issued proposal for amendment to the legal inspection requirements for steel wire ropes.
273	G/TBT/N/TPKM/296	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	902810 Gas meters;	The Taiwanese authorities have issued amendment to technical specification for verification and inspection of diaphragm gas meters.
274	G/TBT/N/TPKM/297	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Agricultural products including plant, algae original, no matter fresh, freeze, frozen, fried, and processing by other methods, other food products and box meal.	The FDA has issued this notification concerning 'draft of Food Businesses shall establish Traceability System of food products'.
275	G/TBT/N/TPKM/298	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Water dispensers supplied by packaged drinking water (Warm-Hot Type CCCN 8516.10 ; Iced-Warm-Hot Type CCCN 8418.69)	This draft prescribes requirements on the minimum energy performance standard and inspection of water dispenser supplied by packaged drinking water.
276	G/TBT/N/TPKM/299	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Electric Rice Cookers (CCCN 8516.60)	The Taiwanese authorities have issued draft requirements on minimum energy performance standard and energy efficiency rating labelling and inspection of electric rice cookers.



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277	G/TBT/N/TPKM/300	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	961310 Pocket lighters, gas fuelled, non-refillable; 961320 Pocket lighters, gas fuelled, refillable; 961380 - - Other lighters;	The Taiwanese authorities have issued this draft proposal for amendment to the legal inspection requirements of lighters.
278	G/TBT/N/TPKM/301	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Lighters	
279	G/TBT/N/TPKM/302	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Active pharmaceutical ingredients (APIs)	The FDA has announced the listing of Active Pharmaceutical Ingredient under the import regulation.
280	G/TBT/N/TPKM/303	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Ready mixed paint (synthetic resin type), enamel, solvent-base masonry paint and emulsion paint	The Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection has issued this notification concerning amendment to the legal inspection on ready mixed paint, enamel, solvent base masonry and emulsion paint.
281	G/TBT/N/TPKM/304	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Fire-retardant paints for buildings	The Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection has issued this notification concerning amendment to the legal inspection on fire-retardant paints for buildings.
282	G/TBT/N/TPKM/305	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Prepackaged Food Products	The FDA has issued this notification concerning nutritional labelling on prepackaged food products. It lists out required details, measurement units, etc.
283	G/TBT/N/TPKM/306	30/11/2017	Chinese	Prepackaged Food Products	The FDA has issued this notification concerning exemption of food products from nutritional



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			Taipei		labelling on prepackaged food products. It has identified water, salt, spices, fresh and frozen fruits and vegetables, meat and other products.
284	G/TBT/N/TPKM/307	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Voltage reducing devices for AC arc welding equipment (HS: Chapters 85)	The Taiwanese authorities have issued this draft proposal for Type Certification of voltage reducing devices for AC arc welding equipment under the Occupational Safety and Health Act.
285	G/TBT/N/TPKM/308	30/11/2017	Chinese Taipei	Automotive video cameras, other audio-frequency electric amplifiers and head-mounted monitors	The Taiwanese authorities have issued this draft proposal for amendment to legal inspection regulations of automotive video cameras, other audio-frequency electric amplifiers and head- mounted monitors.



<u>Notes:</u>