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Číslo/Dátum	Notifikujúca strana	Charakteristika notifikácie	Pripomienková doba
G/TBT/N/BRA/1462 04/01/2023	Brazil	RUBBER AND ARTICLES THEREOF (HS code(s): 40) Inmetro Ordinance N° 547, 14 December 2022.; Inmetro Ordinance No. 115/2022 consolidates conformity assessment requirements for fire hoses.	
<u>G/TBT/N/BRA/1463</u> 04/01/2023	Brazil	ELECTRICAL MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT AND PARTS THEREOF; SOUND RECORDERS AND REPRODUCERS, TELEVISION IMAGE AND SOUND RECORDERS AND REPRODUCERS, AND PARTS AND ACCESSORIES OF SUCH ARTICLES (HS code(s): 85); TELECOMMUNICATIONS. AUDIO AND VIDEO ENGINEERING (ICS code(s): 33) Public Consultation 72, 4 October 2022; Public Consultation proposal to establish Act approving test procedures for assessing power density in portable telecommunications products.	17/02/2023
G/TBT/N/BDI/313 04/01/2023	Burundi	Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) DEAS 1122: 2022 Sport balls –specification –Part 1 – Outdoor footballs; This Draft East African Standard Specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for outdoor footballs.	05/03/2023
G/TBT/N/BDI/314 04/01/2023	Burundi	Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) DEAS 1123: 2022 Leather for orthopaedic use — Specification; This Draft East African Standard specifies requirements and test methods for leather intended for orthopaedic use.	05/03/2023
G/TBT/N/BDI/315 04/01/2023	Burundi	Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) DEAS 1124: 2022 Belts specification –Part 1 –Leather; This Draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for leather belts. This Draft Standard does not cover belts made from other materials apart from leather.	05/03/2023
G/TBT/N/BDI/316 04/01/2023	Burundi	Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) DEAS 1125: 2022 Wallets specification –Part 1 -Leather; This Draft East African standard specifies requirements and test methods for leather wallets. This standard is not applicable to wallets made from other materials apart from leather.	05/03/2023
G/TBT/N/BDI/317 04/01/2023	Burundi	Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) DEAS 1121: 2022 Handbags specification –Part 1 – Leather and coated fabrics; This draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, test methods and sampling of handbags with a leather or coated fabric outer materials.	05/03/2023
G/TBT/N/KEN/1359 04/01/2023	Kenya	Petroleum products in general (ICS code(s): 75.080) KS 2227:2022Petroleum and petroleum products – Automotive biodiesel fuel –Specification;	05/03/2023

This Draft Kenya Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for marketed and delivered fatty acid methyl esters (FAME)/ biodiesel to be used either as automotive fuel for diesel engines at 100% concentration, or as an extender for automotive fuel for diesel engines. At 100% concentration, it is applicable to fuel for use in diesel engine vehicles designed or subsequently adapted to run on 100% FAME/biodiesel.

<u>G/TBT/N/KEN/1360</u> Kenya 04/01/2023

Petroleum products in general (ICS code(s): 75.080)

05/03/2023

KS 2490:2022Automatic transmission Specification;

This Kenya Standard covers the specifications and test methods for automatic transmission fluid for use in automatic gear boxes and automotive power steering.

<u>G/TBT/N/KEN/1361</u> Kenya 04/01/2023

Petroleum products in general (ICS code(s): 75.080)

05/03/2023

KS 2953:2022Petroleum and petroleum products – Automotive B5 Biodiesel fuel -Specification;

This Kenya Standardspecifies requirements, sampling and test methods for automotive B5 biodiesel fuel. This standard is applicable to automotive biodiesel at 5 % biodiesel and 95 % petroleum diesel concentration blend. For use in diesel engine vehicles designed or subsequently adapted to run on 5 % biodiesel and 95 % petroleum diesel concentration.

<u>G/TBT/N/KEN/1362</u> Kenya 04/01/2023

Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060)

05/03/2023

DEAS 1122: 2022 Sport balls -specification -Part 1 - Outdoor footballs;

This Draft East African Standard Specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for outdoor footballs.

<u>G/TBT/N/KEN/1363</u> Kenya 04/01/2023 Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060)

05/03/2023

DEAS 1123: 2022 Leather for orthopaedic use — Specification;

This Draft East African Standard specifies requirements and test methods for leather intended for orthopaedic use.

<u>G/TBT/N/KEN/1364</u> Kenya 04/01/2023

Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060)

05/03/2023

DEAS 1124: 2022 Belts specification –Part 1 –Leather;This Draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for leather belts. This Draft Standard does not cover belts made from other materials apart from leather.

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<u>G/TBT/N/KEN/1365</u> Kenya 04/01/2023

Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060)

05/03/2023

DEAS 1125: 2022 Wallets specification –Part 1 -Leather; This Draft East African standard specifies requirements and test methods for leather wallets. This standard is not

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<u>G/TBT/N/KEN/1366</u> Kenya 04/01/2023

Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060)

05/03/2023

DEAS 1121: 2022 Handbags specification –Part 1 – Leather and coated fabrics;

This draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, test methods and sampling of handbags with a leather or coated fabric outer materials.

<u>G/TBT/N/RWA/754</u> 04/01/2023	Rwanda	Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) DEAS 1122: 2022 Sport balls –specification –Part 1 – Outdoor footballs; This Draft East African Standard Specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for outdoor footballs.	05/03/2023
<u>G/TBT/N/RWA/755</u> 04/01/2023	Rwanda	Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) DEAS 1123: 2022 Leather for orthopaedic use — Specification; This Draft East African Standard specifies requirements and test methods for leather intended for orthopaedic use.	05/03/2023
G/TBT/N/RWA/756 04/01/2023	Rwanda	Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) DEAS 1124: 2022 Belts specification –Part 1 –Leather; This Draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for leather belts. This Draft Standard does not cover belts made from other materials apart from leather.	05/03/2023
<u>G/TBT/N/RWA/757</u> 04/01/2023	Rwanda	Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) DEAS 1125: 2022 Wallets specification –Part 1 -Leather; This Draft East African standard specifies requirements and test methods for leather wallets. This standard is not applicable to wallets made from other materials apart from leather.	05/03/2023
G/TBT/N/RWA/758 04/01/2023	Rwanda	Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) DEAS 1121: 2022 Handbags specification –Part 1 – Leather and coated fabrics; This draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, test methods and sampling of handbags with a leather or coated fabric outer materials.	05/03/2023
<u>G/TBT/N/TZA/877</u> 04/01/2023	Tanzania	Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) DEAS 1122: 2022 Sport balls –specification –Part 1 – Outdoor footballs; This Draft East African Standard Specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for outdoor footballs.	05/03/2023
G/TBT/N/TZA/878 04/01/2023	Tanzania	Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) DEAS 1123: 2022 Leather for orthopaedic use — Specification; This Draft East African Standard specifies requirements and test methods for leather intended for orthopaedic use.	05/03/2023
<u>G/TBT/N/TZA/879</u> 04/01/2023	Tanzania	Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) DEAS 1124: 2022 Belts specification –Part 1 –Leather; This Draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for leather belts. This Draft Standard does not cover belts made from other materials apart from leather.	05/03/2023
G/TBT/N/TZA/880 04/01/2023	Tanzania	Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) DEAS 1125: 2022 Wallets specification –Part 1 -Leather; This Draft East African standard specifies requirements and test methods for leather wallets. This standard is not applicable to wallets made from other materials apart from leather.	05/03/2023

G/TBT/N/TZA/881 Tanzania Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) DEAS 1121: 2022 Handbags specification -Part 1 -04/01/2023 Leather and coated fabrics; This draft East African Standard specifies requirements, test methods and sampling of handbags with a leather or coated fabric outer materials. G/TBT/N/UGA/1724 Uganda Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060) 04/01/2023 DEAS 1122: 2022 Sport balls -specification -Part 1 -**Outdoor footballs:** This Draft East African Standard Specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for outdoor footballs.

G/TBT/N/UGA/1725 Uganda
04/01/2023

Footwear (ICS code(s): 61.060)

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G/TBT/N/AUS/151

Australia

Nicotine-containing products intended to be used in vaping 06/03/2023

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Potential reforms to the regulation of nicotine vaping products -consultation paper;

The Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA) is seeking comments on possible reforms to the regulation of ENDs. This includes vape liquids, e-liquids and e-juices that contain nicotine and/or nicotine salts. This does not include other nicotine replacement therapies (NRTs) containing nicotine, such as patches, gum, lozenges, mouth spray and inhalators nor nicotine-containing products that are not intended for use in ENDs, such as chewing tobacco and snuff.One of the possible reform options would also affect the importation of vaping devices that do not contain

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1. Changes to border controls for ENDs -to curb the unlawful supply of ENDs in Australia (one option includes to change the border controls for ENNDs to assist with the enforcement of the controls on ENDs (rather than with the aim of limiting access to ENNDs))

2.Pre-market TGA assessment of ENDs against a product standard -to create a regulated source of quality ENDs to encourage doctors to prescribe, pharmacies to supply and vaping consumers to purchase 'safer' products lawfully

3.Strengthening the product standard regarding minimum quality and safety standards for ENDs -to make them less attractive to children and adolescents, for example by not permitting certain flavours or labelling

4. Clarifying the status of ENDs as 'therapeutic goods' -to ensure that any vapingproduct containing nicotine is captured by the regulatory framework.

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<u>G/TBT/N/BRA/1464</u> Brazil 05/01/2023

FOOD TECHNOLOGY (ICS code(s): 67)

06/03/2023

Draft resolution number 1134, 23 December 2022;

This Draft Resolution proposes the modification of the current regulatory framework regarding the technical regulation on provisions for packaging, coatings, utensils, lids and metallic equipment in contact with food.

This regulation will be also notified to the SPS Committee

<u>G/TBT/N/BRA/1465</u> Brazil 05/01/2023

Seeds, fruits and spores, for sowing (excl. leguminous vegetables and sweetcorn, coffee, tea, maté and spices, cereals, oil seeds and oleaginous fruits, and seeds and fruit used primarily in perfumery, medicaments or for insecticidal, fungicidal or similar purposes) (HS code(s): 1209)

MAPA Ordinance No. 538, 20 December 2022;

MAPA Ordinance No. 538, 20 December 2022, establishes the standards for the production, certification, technical responsibility, processing, repackaging, storage, sampling, analysis, marketing and use of seeds.

<u>G/TBT/N/BRA/1466</u> Brazil 05/01/2023

Medicaments (ICS code(s): 11.120.10)

06/03/2023

Draft resolution number 1137, 27 December 2022;

This Draft Resolution contains provisions on rules for preparing, harmonizing, updating, publishing and making available drug inserts for patients and health professionals.

<u>G/TBT/N/BRA/1467</u> Brazil 05/01/2023

Medicaments (ICS code(s): 11.120.10)

06/03/2023

Draft resolution number 1136, 26 December 2022;

This Draft Resolution is regarded to a proposal to define the general guidelines for the pilot implementation of the optimized analysis procedure, based on risk criteria, to confirm the suitability of the documentation submitted to Anvisa for marketing authorization and post-marketing authorization changes to medicines.

<u>G/TBT/N/BRA/1468</u> Brazil 05/01/2023

Pharmaceutics (ICS code(s): 11.120)

06/03/2023

Draft resolution number 1135, 23 December 2022;

This Draft Resolution is regarded to a regulatory proposal for the establishment of specific criteria and procedures for defining the Equivalent Foreign Regulatory Authorities of the sanitary inspection process of manufacturers of active pharmaceutical ingredients, Cannabis products for medicinal purposes, medicines and biological products. And the optimized Good Manufacturing Practices (GMP) Certification review process.

The Regulatory Trust Building Program for the recognition of the equivalence of the health inspection processes of an AREE is applicable exclusively to regulatory authorities or member entities of the Pharmaceutical Inspection Cooperation Scheme (PIC/S) and the International Council for Harmonisation of Technical Requirements for Pharmaceuticals for Human Use (ICH).

<u>G/TBT/N/CAN/687</u> Canada 05/01/2023

Mercury-containing products, including but not limited to the following: Lamps, Batteries, Dental Amalgam, Thermostats, Switches and relays, Thermometers, Other Measuring Devices, Tire Balancers (ICS: 11.060, 17.020, 17.200, 29.120, 29.140, 29.220, 43.040)

Proposed Regulations amending the Products Containing Mercury Regulations;

The proposed Regulations amending the Products Containing Mercury Regulations(the proposed Amendments) would make changes to the Products Containing Mercury Regulations (the Regulations) to align with the requirements under the Minamata Convention on Mercury. The Regulations, which came into force in 2015, prohibit the manufacture, import and sale of products containing mercury, with some exemptions for essential products which have no viable alternatives (for example lamps, certain health, safety and research applications and dental amalgam). The proposed Amendments would:

- •Lower the allowable mercury content limits of three lamp products that are exempt from the general mercury prohibition, including straightfluorescent lamps for general lighting purposes, cold cathode fluorescent lamps, and external electrode fluorescent lamps;
- •Add prohibition dates for certain mercury-containing products and for replacement lamps after a transitionary period;
- •Remove other exemptions for products no longer in use in Canada and products whose exemption period has expired. Other amendments to the Regulations are proposed to clarify some provisions of the regulatory text, such as those related to labelling, testing, reporting, and recordkeeping.

<u>G/TBT/N/CHL/617</u> Chile 05/01/2023

Aparatos de refrigeración de uso doméstico.

06/03/2023

Especificaciones Técnicas para el Diseño de la Etiqueta de Eficiencia Energética para los Aparatos de refrigeración de uso doméstico;

Las especificaciones técnicas para el diseño de la etiqueta de eficiencia energética para los Aparatos de refrigeración de uso doméstico es una actualización de la etiqueta vigente actualmente y busca entregar información a los consumidores al momento de seleccionar este tipo de producto considerando los avances tecnológicos en desarrollo. Para el desarrollo de la propuesta se ha tomado en consideración experiencias internacionales, el

etiquetado de eficiencia energética que se encuentra vigente, y los protocolos en vigor en Chile.

G/TBT/N/CHL/618 Chile 05/01/2023

Lavadoras de ropa de uso doméstico.

06/03/2023

Especificaciones Técnicas para el Diseño de la Etiqueta de Eficiencia Energética para Lavadoras de Ropa;

Las especificaciones técnicas para el diseño de la etiqueta de eficiencia para lavadoras de ropa de uso doméstico es una actualización de la etiqueta vigente actualmente y busca entregar información a los consumidores al momento de seleccionar este tipo de producto considerando los avances tecnológicos en desarrollo. Para el desarrollo de la propuesta se ha tomado en consideración experiencias internacionales, el etiquetado de eficiencia energética que se encuentra vigente, y los protocolos en vigor en Chile.

G/TBT/N/IND/238 05/01/2023

India

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Food Products

06/03/2023

Draft Food Safety and Standards (Labelling & Display) **Amendment Regulations, 2022:**

The DraftFood Safety and Standards (Labelling & Display) Amendment Regulations, 2022 is related to labelling requirements of Non-retail container, legible / audible warning statement related to pan masala, tolerance

limit etc.

G/TBT/N/IND/239 05/01/2023

Food Products

06/03/2023

DraftFood Safety and Standards (Food Products **Standards** and Food Additives) Amendment Regulations, 2022;

The Draft Notification of Food Safety and Standards (Food Products Standards and Food Amendment Regulations, 2022 is related to standards for refractive index range for Palm, Superolin, Meat sausage, Dehydrated tarragon, Packaged drinking water (other than mineral water), Proprietary food, Indian mithais, Indian namkeens, Food colors, Appendix A and Appendix C.

G/TBT/N/IND/240 05/01/2023

Food Products

06/03/2023

DraftFood Safety and Standards (Genetically Modified Foods) Regulations, 2022;

The Draft Notification of Food Safety and Standards (Genetically Modified Foods) Regulations, 2022 is related to standards for Genetically Modified Foods

G/TBT/N/IND/241 05/01/2023

Food products

06/03/2023

Draft Food Safety and Standards (Vegan Foods) Amendment Regulations, 2022;

Specification of logo for vegan foods

G/TBT/N/IDN/152 Indonesia 05/01/2023

Industrial products and/or services

06/03/2023

Regulation of Minister of Industry No. 45 Year 2022 regarding Standardization of Industry;

Regulation of Minister of Industry Number 45 Year 2022 stipulates provision of Industrial Standardization which are carried out in the form Indonesian National Standard (SNI), Technical Specification (ST) and/or Guideline (PTC). The formulation of SNI will be based on the provisions of the legislation. In this regulation, the mandatory enforcement of SNI, ST, and/or PTC is stipulated by the Ministerand the

voluntary implementation of SNI is carried out by Industrial Company for goods and/or services.

The conformity assessment Procedure of SNI, ST, and/or PTC which is enforced compulsorily by the Minister will be carried out by Conformity Assessment Bodies (CAB's) that has been accredited according to its scope and appointed by the Minister. The appointed CAB consists of: a. Products Certification Bodies

- b. Testing Laboratories; and/or
- c. Inspection Bodies.

In terms of domestic and foreign Products Certification Bodies, Testing Laboratories; and/or Inspection Bodies, the conformity assessment results can be recognized as long as there is a mutual recognition agreement between countries in the field of technical regulations in accordance withregulatory provisions of the legislation.

This regulation covers 11 Chapters, such as:

- 1. Chapter I General requirements
- 2. Chapter II Industrial Standardization Planning
- 3. Chapter III The Formulation of Industry Standard
- 4. Chapter IV The Implementation and Enforcement of the Industrial Sector
- 5. Chapter V The Appointment of a Conformity Assessment Bodies
- 6. Chapter VI Conformity Assessment
- 7. Chapter VII Coaching
- 8. Chapter VIII Industrial Standardization Development
- 9. Chapter IX Supervision
- 10. Chapter X Industry Standard Supervisor
- 11. Chapter XI Transitional Provisions

<u>G/TBT/N/ISR/1276</u> Israel 05/01/2023

Food products

06/03/2023

Declaration on Protection of Public Health (Food) (Declaration as voluntary), 5783-2022;

The Minister of Economy and Industry has declared the requirements of 97 mandatory food standards as voluntary and changed the mandatory sections in additional 17 food standards, following the legal power given to him by the "Protection of public health law (Food) 5776-2015". These declarations will enter into force gradually between 1 January 2023 and 1 August 2026. This declaration aims to remove unnecessary obstacles to trade, facilitate it, and lower trade barriers. The food products covered by these standards are already covered by the scope of other food regulations and are enforced by the Ministry of Health.

G/TBT/N/SAU/1276 05/01/2023 Saudi Arabia, Kingdom of 8415, 8421, 8422, 8450, 8516, 8528

06/03/2023

Technical Regulation of the Requirements for Standby, off Mode Electric Power Consumption of Electrical and Electronic Equipment.;

This regulation specifies the following:

Terms and Definitions, Scope, Objectives, Supplier Obligations, Labelling, Conformity Assessment Procedures, Responsibilities of Regulatory Authorities, Responsibilities of Market Surveillance Authorities, Violations and Penalties, General Provisions, Transitional Provisions, Appendix (lists of Products Category and Implementation, List of excluded products, Technical requirements, list of Standards, Verification Tolerance,

Supplier Declaration of Conformity, Internal production control and Technical information).

G/TBT/N/SAU/1277 05/01/2023

Saudi Arabia, *Prepackaged and prepared foods (ICS code(s): 67.230)*

06/03/2023

Kingdom of

Labeling of Food Allergens on Prepackaged Food; This technical regulation is concerned with the disclosure of food allergens in the labels of packaged foodstuffs and

methods of displaying them.

This regulation applies to all packaged food products, with the exception of: Food products consisting of one food

ingredient such as rice, tea or coffee.

G/TBT/N/SAU/1278 05/01/2023

Saudi Arabia. Kingdom of Prepackaged and prepared foods (ICS code(s): 67.230)

06/03/2023

Requirements for marketing & advertisements of some food products and Foods are Selling Away-From-Home;

This draft technical regulation is concerned with the Requirements for marketing & advertisements of some food products and Foods are Selling Away-From-Home. The main goal of this regulation is to increase consumer's awareness and empower consumers in selecting

healthier food choices.

G/TBT/N/TZA/882 05/01/2023

Tanzania

Medium oils and preparations, of petroleum or 06/03/2023 bituminous minerals, not containing biodiesel, n.e.s. (HS code(s): 271019); Lubricants, industrial oils and related

products (ICS code(s): 75.100)

TBS/CDC 17 (304) DTZS:2022, Domestic multipurpose lubricating oil-Specification, First Edition;

This Draft Tanzania Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for Domestic multipurpose

lubricating oil

G/TBT/N/THA/691 05/01/2023

Thailand

Plastic bags for food

06/03/2023

Draft Ministerial Regulation on Plastic bags for food;

The draft Ministerial Regulation mandates plastic bags for food to conform with the standard for plastic bags for food (TIS 1027-25xx (20xx)).

This standard specifies safety requirements for substances in material, marking and labelling, and criteria for testing. It only covers plastic bags for food made from virgin resin as single layer plastic films for food packaging.

This standard does not cover custom printed plastic bags withink.

G/TBT/N/THA/692 05/01/2023

Thailand

Microwavable food plastic bag for reheating (ICS 06/03/2023 83.080.01)

Draft Ministerial Regulation on Microwavable food plastic bag for reheating;

The draft Ministerial Regulation mandates microwavable food plastic bag for reheating to conform with the standard for microwavable food plastic bag for reheating (TIS 3022-25xx (20xx)).

This standard specifies safety requirements for direct food contact plastic, resistant to heat at temperature not lower than 80 °C for food packaging and single use for reheating by microwave.

This standard does not cover plastic containers for microwave.

G/TBT/N/USA/1956 05/01/2023

United States of America Renewable fuel standards; Environmental protection (ICS 10/02/2023 code(s): 13.020); Fuels (ICS code(s): 75.160)

Renewable Fuel Standard (RFS) Program: Standards for 2023-2025 and Other Changes;

Proposed rule -Under the Clean Air Act, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is required to determine the applicable volume requirements for the Renewable Fuel Standard (RFS)for years after those specified in the statute. This action proposes the applicable volumes and percentage standards for 2023 through 2025 for cellulosic biofuel, biomass-based diesel, advanced biofuel, and total renewable fuel. This action also proposes the second supplemental standard addressing the remand of the 2016 standard-setting rulemaking. Finally, this action proposes several regulatory changes to the RFS program including regulations governing the generation of qualifying renewable electricity and other modifications intended to improve the program's implementation.

G/TBT/N/USA/1957 05/01/2023

United States of America Food labeling; Food products in general (ICS code(s): 06/03/2023 67.040)

Uniform Compliance Date for Food Labeling **Regulations:**

Final rule -The Food and Drug Administration (FDA or we) is establishing 1 January 2026, as the uniform compliance date for food labeling regulations that are published on or after 1 January 2023, and on or before 31 December 2024. We periodically announce uniform compliance dates for new food labeling requirements to minimize the economic impact of labeling changes.

G/TBT/N/JPN/760 Japan 06/01/2023

25-Hydroxycholecalciferol as a feed additive

07/03/2023

Expanding target livestock of feed with Hydroxycholecalciferol;

MAFF will amend the standard for method of manufacture and Specifications for ingredients of feeds in general stipulated in "Ministerial Ordinance on the Specifications and Standards of Feeds and Feed Additives" (Ordinance No. 35 of July 24th, 1976 of the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry).

G/TBT/N/THA/693 Thailand 06/01/2023

Electrolytic zinc-coated flat steel (ICS 77.140.50)

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Draft Ministerial Regulation on Electrolytic zinc-coated flat steel (TIS 2223-25xx (20xx));

The draft ministerial regulation mandates electrolytic zinc-coated flat steel to conform with the standard for Electrolytic zinc-coated flat steel (TIS 2223-25xx (20xx)). standard specifies technical specifications, characteristics, marking and labelling, sampling, and testing requirements for Electrolytic single-sided or twosided zinc-coated hot-rolled and cold-rolled flat steel, generally used for electrical appliances, automotive parts etc., and coated by substances mainly composed of zinc to improve rust protection properties.

This standard does not cover electrolytic zinc-ferrous alloy layer-coated or electroplated flat steel.

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Toxic chemicals in consumer products; Environmental 05/02/2023 protection (ICS code(s): 13.020); Domestic safety (ICS code(s): 13.120); Products of the textile industry (ICS

code(s): 59.080); Leather products (ICS code(s): 59.140.35); Production in the chemical industry (ICS code(s): 71.020); Products of the chemical industry (ICS code(s): 71.100); Furniture (ICS code(s): 97.140); Nontextile floor coverings (ICS code(s): 97.150)

Safer Products Restrictions and Reporting

Proposed rule -The Washington Department of Ecology proposes a new rule, Chapter 173-337 WAC –Safer Products Restrictions and Reporting; Washington Administrative Code (WAC). This new chapter aims to reduce toxic chemicals in consumer products and implements Chapter 70A.350 RCW; Revised Code of Washington (RCW). Ecology started the second phase of this rulemaking which opens the formal public comment period. This rulemaking proposes to:

- •Implement regulatory actions reported to the Washington State Legislature in June 2022. Review the Final Regulatory Determinations Report.
- •Create reporting requirements or restrictions that apply to priority consumer products that contain priority chemicals. These include:
- oPFAS in aftermarket stain-and water-resistance treatments, carpets and rugs, and leather and textile furnishings.
- oOrtho-phthalates in personal care products (fragrances) and vinyl flooring.
- oOrganohalogen flame retardants in electric and electronic products.
- oFlame retardants (as defined in RCW 70A.350.010) in recreational polyurethane foam.
- oPhenolic compounds in laundry detergent, food and drink can linings, and thermal paper.
- •Include provisions for repair and replacement parts, refurbished products, and previously owned products.