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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/BDI/455</a><br>05/02/2024 | Burundi             | <p><i>TOBACCO AND MANUFACTURED TOBACCO SUBSTITUTES; PRODUCTS, WHETHER OR NOT CONTAINING NICOTINE, INTENDED FOR INHALATION WITHOUT COMBUSTION; OTHER NICOTINE CONTAINING PRODUCTS INTENDED FOR THE INTAKE OF NICOTINE INTO THE HUMAN BODY (HS code(s): 24); Tobacco, tobacco products and related equipment (ICS code(s): 65.160)</i></p> <p><b>DEAS 1197:2024, Tobacco and tobacco products — General requirements for packaging and labelling, First Edition.</b></p> <p>This draft East African Standard specifies general requirements for packaging and labelling of tobacco and tobacco products.</p>   | 05/04/2024         |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/BDI/456</a><br>05/02/2024 | Burundi             | <p><i>Tobacco, partly or wholly stemmed or stripped, otherwise unmanufactured (HS code(s): 240120); Tobacco, tobacco products and related equipment (ICS code(s): 65.160)</i></p> <p><b>DEAS 1195: 2024, Fine-cut smoking tobacco (Roll your own) —Specification, First Edition.</b></p> <p>This draft East African Standard prescribes the requirements, methods of test and sampling for Fine-cut smoking tobacco including Roll-Your-Own (RYO) and Make-Your-Own (MYO). This standard does not include unprocessed tobacco</p>  | 05/04/2024         |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/BDI/457</a><br>05/02/2024 | Burundi             | <p><i>Cigars, cheroots and cigarillos containing tobacco (HS code(s): 240210); Tobacco, tobacco products and related equipment (ICS code(s): 65.160)</i></p> <p><b>DEAS 1194: 2024, Cigar —Specification,First Edition.</b></p> <p>This draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, methods of test and sampling for cigars.</p>   | 05/04/2024         |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/BDI/458</a><br>05/02/2024 | Burundi             | <p><i>Products containing nicotine, intended for inhalation without combustion (excl. containing tobacco or reconstituted tobacco) (HS code(s): 240412); Tobacco, tobacco products and related equipment (ICS code(s): 65.160)</i></p> <p><b>DEAS 1198: 2024, Nicotine pouches —Specification, First Edition</b></p> <p>This draft East African Standard prescribes the requirements, methods of test and sampling for pre-portioned nicotine pouches exclusively intended for oral use by placing them between the gum and buccal mucosa for a period, to facilitate uptake of the nicotine via the oral mucosa, followed by disposal of the pouch after use.Note: this includes products such as white pouched nicotine products that are used by placing them under the upper lip for a period, before disposal.This draft East African standard does not cover;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.pre-portioned, tobacco-free oral nicotine pouches in which the nicotine is not of natural origin;</li> <li>2.smokeless tobacco products, such as moist snuff, tobacco oral pouches, snus, nasal snuff, chewing tobacco or any other tobacco-containing smokeless tobacco products;</li> </ol> | 05/04/2024         |

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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/SWZ/36</a><br>05/02/2024   | Eswatini | <p>(HS code(s): 02); (ICS code(s): 67)</p> <p><b>PRD/SZNS 078:2023 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR PROCESSED MEAT PRODUCTS</b></p> <p>This standard specifies the general requirements for the handling, preparation, processing, packaging, refrigeration, transportation and storage of processed meat products, and includes microbiological and compositional requirements.</p>  | 05/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/JPN/797</a><br>05/02/2024  | Japan    | <p>Pharmaceutical Products (HS:30)</p> <p><b>Partial revision of the Japanese Pharmacopoeia Eighteenth edition;</b></p> <p>Under Paragraph 1 of Article 41 of the Act on Securing Quality, Efficacy and Safety of Products Including Pharmaceuticals and Medical Devices, the Japanese Pharmacopoeia, Eighteenth edition are to be revised.</p>   | 05/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/KEN/1574</a><br>05/02/2024 | Kenya    | <p><i>TOBACCO AND MANUFACTURED TOBACCO SUBSTITUTES; PRODUCTS, WHETHER OR NOT CONTAINING NICOTINE, INTENDED FOR INHALATION WITHOUT COMBUSTION; OTHER NICOTINE CONTAINING PRODUCTS INTENDED FOR THE INTAKE OF NICOTINE INTO THE HUMAN BODY (HS code(s): 24); Tobacco, tobacco products and related equipment (ICS code(s): 65.160)</i></p> <p><b>DEAS 1197:2024, Tobacco and tobacco products — General requirements for packaging and labelling, First Edition.</b></p> <p>This draft East African Standard specifies general requirements for packaging and labelling of tobacco and tobacco products.</p>  | 05/04/2024 |
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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/KEN/1576</a><br>05/02/2024 | Kenya    | <p><i>Cigars, cheroots and cigarillos containing tobacco (HS code(s): 240210); Tobacco, tobacco products and related equipment (ICS code(s): 65.160)</i></p> <p><b>DEAS 1194: 2024, Cigar —Specification,First Edition.</b></p>   | 05/04/2024 |

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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/PHL/324</a><br>05/02/2024  | Philippines | <p><i>Tobacco, tobacco products and related equipment (ICS code(s): 65.160)</i></p> <p><b>Guidelines for the Authorization of Vaporized Nicotine and Non-Nicotine Products and Novel Tobacco Products with Medicinal or Therapeutic Claims or Reduced-Risk Statements Pursuant to Sections 12 (k), 12 (l), and 13 (c) of Republic Act No. 11900;</b></p> <p>The proposed issuance aims to provide the authorization process of the FDA for VNNPs and NTPs with medicinal or therapeutic claims or reduced-risk statements.</p>  | 16/02/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/RWA/997</a><br>05/02/2024  | Rwanda      | <p><i>TOBACCO AND MANUFACTURED TOBACCO SUBSTITUTES; PRODUCTS, WHETHER OR NOT CONTAINING NICOTINE, INTENDED FOR INHALATION WITHOUT COMBUSTION; OTHER NICOTINE CONTAINING PRODUCTS INTENDED FOR THE INTAKE OF NICOTINE INTO THE HUMAN BODY (HS code(s): 24); Tobacco, tobacco products and related equipment (ICS code(s): 65.160)</i></p> <p><b>DEAS 1197:2024, Tobacco and tobacco products — General requirements for packaging and labelling, First Edition.</b></p>  | 05/04/2024 |

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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/TZA/1099</a><br>05/02/2024 | Tanzania | <p><b>TOBACCO AND MANUFACTURED TOBACCO SUBSTITUTES; PRODUCTS, WHETHER OR NOT CONTAINING NICOTINE, INTENDED FOR INHALATION</b></p>  | 05/04/2024 |

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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/TZA/1103</a><br>05/02/2024 | Tanzania | <i>Bananas, incl. plantains, fresh or dried (HS code(s): 0803); Fruits and derived products (ICS code(s): 67.080.10)</i><br><b>AFDC 26 (2447) DTZS, Cooking banana -Specification, 1st Edition</b><br>This standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods of cooking banana grown from <i>Musa</i> spp. and of family <i>Musaceae</i> to be supplied raw to the consumer after preparation and packaging. Cooking banana for industrial processing are excluded.   | 05/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/TZA/1104</a><br>05/02/2024 | Tanzania | <i>Fresh or chilled fruits of the genus <i>Capsicum</i> or <i>Pimenta</i> (HS code(s): 070960); Vegetables and derived products (ICS code(s): 67.080.20)</i><br><b>AFDC 26 (1844) DTZS, Lettuces and endives – specification, 1st Edition</b><br>This standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods of i) broadleaved (Batavian) endives (escaroles) of varieties <i>Cichorium endivia</i> var. <i>latifolium</i> Lam, ii) curled-leaved endives of varieties <i>Cichorium endivia</i> var. <i>crispum</i> Lam and iii) other lettuces of varieties; <i>Lactuca sativa</i> var. <i>capitata</i> L. (head lettuces including crisp-head and "Iceberg" type lettuces), <i>Lactuca sativa</i> var. <i>longifolia</i> Lam. (cos or romaine lettuces), <i>Lactuca sativa</i> var. <i>crispa</i> L. (leaf lettuces) and crosses of these varieties to be supplied fresh to the consumer after preparation and packaging. This standard does not apply to produce for industrial processing, produce presented as individual leaves, lettuces with root ball or lettuces in pots | 05/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/UGA/1911</a><br>05/02/2024 | Uganda   | <b>TOBACCO AND MANUFACTURED TOBACCO SUBSTITUTES; PRODUCTS, WHETHER OR NOT CONTAINING NICOTINE, INTENDED FOR INHALATION WITHOUT COMBUSTION; OTHER NICOTINE CONTAINING PRODUCTS INTENDED FOR THE INTAKE OF NICOTINE INTO THE HUMAN BODY (HS code(s): 24); Tobacco, tobacco products and related equipment (ICS code(s): 65.160)</b><br><b>DEAS 1197:2024, Tobacco and tobacco products — General requirements for packaging and labelling, First Edition.</b><br>This draft East African Standard specifies general requirements for packaging and labelling of tobacco and tobacco products.  | 05/04/2024 |
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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/TZA/1914</a><br>05/02/2024 | Uganda  | <p><i>Products containing nicotine, intended for inhalation without combustion (excl. containing tobacco or reconstituted tobacco) (HS code(s): 240412); Tobacco, tobacco products and related equipment (ICS code(s): 65.160)</i></p> <p><b>DEAS 1198: 2024, Nicotine pouches —Specification, First Edition</b><br/>This draft East African Standard prescribes the requirements, methods of test and sampling for pre-portioned nicotine pouches exclusively intended for oral use by placing them between the gum and buccal mucosa for a period, to facilitate uptake of the nicotine via the oral mucosa, followed by disposal of the pouch after use.Note: this includes products such as white pouched nicotine products that are used by placing them under the upper lip for a period, before disposal.This draft East African standard does not cover;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1.pre-portioned, tobacco-free oral nicotine pouches in which the nicotine is not of natural origin;</li> <li>2.smokeless tobacco products, such as moist snuff, tobacco oral pouches, snus, nasal snuff, chewing tobacco or any other tobacco-containing smokeless tobacco products;</li> <li>3.Nicotine-Containing, Tobacco-Free Oral Products that are licensed medicinal nicotine products, such as nicotine replacement therapies (NRT);</li> <li>4.products that are subject to an authorization requirement under Directive 2001/83/EC (Community code relating to medicinal products for human use) or to the requirements set out in Directive 93/42/EEC (Medical Device Directive)</li> <li>5.or inhaled-nicotine products, such as cigarettes, other combusted tobacco products, tobacco-heating products or e-cigarettes.</li> <li>6.method for assessing the health risks or potential reduced health risks of tobacco-free oral nicotine pouches.</li> </ol> | 05/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/UKR/286</a><br>05/02/2024  | Ukraine | <p><i>Dietary supplements</i></p> <p><b>The draft Law of Ukraine "On Amendments to Certain Laws of Ukraine on Improving the Regulation of Production and Circulation of Dietary Supplements"</b><br/>The draft Law of Ukraine "On Amendments to Certain Laws of Ukraine on Improving the Regulation of Production and Circulation of Dietary Supplements" aims to improve the regulation of production and circulation of dietary supplements on the market of Ukraine and state control over their circulation, considering the requirements of EU legislation.The draft Law introduces a procedure for submitting notifications on the circulation of dietary supplements, maintaining a list of such notifications, which will be publicly accessible on the official website of the competent authority.The draft Law stipulates that</p>   | 05/04/2024 |

simultaneously with the notification, the market operator is obliged to submit a sample of labelling used for the dietary supplement in the state (Ukrainian) language, which is an integral part of such notification. The sale and circulation of dietary supplements to the final consumer is allowed only in dosed and packaged forms. The draft Law also aims to strengthen responsibility for the production and sale of dietary supplements that do not meet the requirements of the law, in particular, for non-compliance with labelling requirements. The draft Law requires market operators to notify the competent authority within six months from the date of its entry into force of their intention to circulate dietary supplements that were marketed in Ukraine before the entry into force of this Law and that are expected to be marketed after its entry into force. The draft Law is also notified under the SPS Agreement.

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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/USA/2097</a><br>05/02/2024 | United States of America | <i>Air cleaners, clothes dryers, miscellaneous refrigeration products, and portable electric spas; modifications to existing labels for clothes washers, televisions, and several heating products; Energy efficiency. Energy conservation in general (ICS code(s): 27.015); Television receivers (ICS code(s): 33.160.25); Domestic refrigerating appliances (ICS code(s): 97.040.30); Laundry appliances (ICS code(s): 97.060); Domestic, commercial and industrial heating appliances (ICS code(s): 97.100); Commercial refrigerating appliances (ICS code(s): 97.130.20); Miscellaneous domestic and commercial equipment (ICS code(s): 97.180)</i>                                    | 02/04/2024 |
|  |                          | <b>Energy Labeling Rule;</b><br>Notice of proposed rulemaking -The Federal Trade Commission ("FTC" or "Commission") proposes amendments to improve the Energy Labeling Rule ("Rule"), including energy labels for several new consumer product categories and changes to label display requirements. Specifically, the Notice seeks comment on labels for air cleaners, clothes dryers, miscellaneous refrigeration products, and portable electric spas; modifications to existing labels for clothes washers, televisions, and several heating products; revisions to the current requirements for affixing labels on showroom models; and several minor amendments to improve the Rule. |            |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/KOR/1196</a><br>06/02/2024 | Korea, Republic of       | <i>Foods</i><br><b>Proposed Revision of the "Act on Labelling and Advertising of Foods";</b><br>When there is a change in the content or content of foods, new regulations are established to notify changes and impose fines.   | 06/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/KOR/1197</a><br>06/02/2024 | Korea, Republic of       | <i>Foods</i><br><b>Proposed Revision of the "Act on Labelling and Advertising of Foods";</b><br>Expansion of subjects that can be registered as an autonomous review body and clarification of meaning by revising wordings.   | 06/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/KOR/1198</a><br>06/02/2024 | Korea, Republic of       | <i>Cosmetic Products</i>   | 06/04/2024 |



**Proposed amendments to the "Regulation on the Labelling of Precautions for Use of Cosmetics and Ingredients as Allergens";**

The "Regulation on the Labelling of Precautions for Use of Cosmetics and Ingredients as Allergens" is being amended by the Ministry of Food and Drug Safety (MFDS) as follows:A. For the vulvar cleansing agents and the eye lash permanent wave, with a content volume of less than 50 millilitres or grams, all labelling items regulated by Cosmetics law should be written on the product packaging for the customer's safety.B. As the eye lash permanent wave is classified as cosmetic products, the relevant category and precautionary notes are newly established in Annex I.

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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/USA/2098</a><br>06/02/2024 | United States of America | <i>Emergency response; Occupational safety. Industrial hygiene (ICS code(s): 13.100); Accident and disaster control (ICS code(s): 13.200); Protection against fire (ICS code(s): 13.220); Protective clothing (ICS code(s): 13.340.10); Protection against falling and slipping (ICS code(s): 13.340.60)</i><br><b>Emergency Response Standard;</b><br>Proposed rule; request for comments by 6 May 2024 -OSHA is proposing through this notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM) to issue a new safety and health standard, titled Emergency Response, to replace the existing Fire Brigades Standard. The new standard would address a broader scope of emergency responders and would include programmatic elements to protect emergency responders from a variety of occupational hazards. The agency requests comments on all aspects of the proposed rule. | 06/05/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/CAN/714</a><br>07/02/2024  | Canada                   | <i>Telecommunications (ICS 33.170)</i><br><b>Consultation on SRSP-506, Issue 3;</b><br>Notice is hereby given by the Ministry of Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada has amended the following standard: SRSP-506, Issue 3, Technical Requirements for Land Mobile and Fixed Radio Services, Including Broadband Systems, in the Bands 896-901 MHz and 935-940 MHz.  | 19/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/EU/1045</a><br>07/02/2024  | European Union           | <i>Construction products</i><br><b>Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council laying down harmonised conditions for the marketing of construction products, amending Regulation (EU) 2019/1020 and repealing Regulation (EU) 305/2011 (COM/2022/144 final);</b><br>This draft Regulation will replace Regulation (EU) No 305/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2011 laying down harmonised conditions for the marketing of construction products and repealing Council Directive 89/106/EEC. It will improve the standardisation system, market surveillance and the environmental sustainability of construction products.   | 07/05/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/JPN/798</a><br>08/02/2024  | Japan                    | <i>Mobile telecommunications/BWA (Broadband Wireless Access system) radio equipment for LTE (Long Term Evolution)/NR (New Radio).</i>  | 08/04/2024 |

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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/URY/86</a><br>08/02/2024  | Uruguay | <p><b>Partial Amendment of Ordinance for Enforcement of the Radio Act etc.;</b><br/> Partial amendment of Ordinance Enforcement of the Radio Act, Ordinance Regulating Radio Equipment and Ordinance on Technical Regulations Conformity Certification of Specified Radio Equipment to change technical requirements for mobile telecommunications and BWA radio equipment for LTE/NR.</p>   | 31/07/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/376</a><br>09/02/2024 | Egypt   | <p><i>Este Reglamento se aplica a los vehículos automotores de las categorías M y N equipados con grupo motopropulsor eléctrico con una velocidad máxima de fábrica superior a 25 km/h, excepto aquellos vehículos permanentemente conectados a la red.</i></p> <p><b>Proyecto de Resolución del GMC N° 09/23 - "Reglamento Técnico MERCOSUR sobre los Grupos Motopropulsores de Vehículos Eléctricos";</b><br/> Este proyecto de Reglamento Técnico MERCOSUR busca establecer los requisitos mínimos de seguridad que deben satisfacer los vehículos eléctricos con relación al grupo motopropulsor eléctrico, con el propósito de mejorar la seguridad vial en los Estados Parte del MERCOSUR. Para la elaboración del referido proyecto, fueron considerados el Reglamento N° 100 de las Naciones Unidas -Disposiciones uniformes relativas a la homologación de vehículos en relación con los requisitos específicos del grupo motopropulsor eléctrico, y la Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) N° 305 de Estados Unidos.</p> | 31/07/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/376</a><br>09/02/2024 | Egypt   | <p><i>Lifts. Escalators (ICS code(s): 91.140.90)</i></p> <p><b>Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 6113-7 for " Safety rules for the construction and installation of lifts - Examinations and tests -Part 7: Design rules, calculations, examinations and tests of lift components"</b><br/> The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 6113-7 which specifies the design rules, calculations, examinations and tests of lift components which are referred to by other standards used for the design of passenger lifts, goods passenger lifts, goods only lifts, and other similar types of lifting appliances. Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of EN 81-50:2020</p>  | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/377</a><br>09/02/2024 | Egypt   | <p><i>Domestic safety (ICS code(s): 13.120); Body care equipment (ICS code(s): 97.170)</i></p> <p><b>Ministerial Decree. 499 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating The Egyptian standard ES 7280 for " Household and similar electrical appliances -Particular requirements for oral hygiene appliances".;</b><br/> The Ministerial Decree No. 499 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 7280 which deals with the safety of electric oral hygiene appliances for household and similar purposes, their rated voltage being not more than 250 V, including direct current (DC) supplied</p>   | 09/04/2024 |

appliances and battery-operated appliances. Examples of appliances that this standard is applicable to are

- Oral irrigators;
- Toothbrushes.

As far as is practicable, this standard deals with the common hazards presented by appliances that are encountered by all persons in and around the home. However, in general, it does not take into account:

- Persons (including children) whose physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge prevents them from using the appliance safely without supervision or instruction;
- Children playing with the appliance.

Attention is drawn to the fact that:

- For appliances intended to be used in vehicles or on board ships or aircraft, additional requirements can be necessary;
- In many countries additional requirements are specified by the national health authorities, the national authorities responsible for the protection of labour and similar authorities.

Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60335-2-52:2021

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Egypt

*Domestic safety (ICS code(s): 13.120); Electric heaters (ICS code(s): 97.100.10)*

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**Ministerial Decree. 499 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating The Egyptian standard ES 7286 for " Household and similar electrical appliances -Particular requirements for heated carpets and for heating units for room heating installed under removable floor coverings".;**

The Ministerial Decree No. 499 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 7286 which deals with the safety of:

- Portable heated carpets;
- Heated carpets and similar appliances;
- Heating units to heat the room in which they are located and that are intended to be installed directly under materials used as a removable floor covering such as carpet, cushion vinyl, or loose laid laminate,

Their rated voltage being not more than 250 V for single-phase installations and 480 V for other installations, including direct current (DC) supplied appliances. Attention is drawn to the fact that

- In many countries different wiring rules apply;
- For appliances intended to be used in vehicles or on board ships or aircraft, additional requirements can be necessary;
- In many countries additional requirements are specified by the national authorities for fire protection, the national authorities for building regulations, the national health authorities, the national authorities responsible for the protection of labour and similar authorities.

Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60335-2-106:2021

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Egypt

*Domestic safety (ICS code(s): 13.120); Electric heaters (ICS code(s): 97.100.10)*

09/04/2024

**Ministerial Decree No. 499 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating The Egyptian standard ES 7292 "Household and similar electrical appliances -Safety -Particular requirements for flexible sheet heating elements for room heating".;**

The Ministerial Decree No. 499 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 7292 which deals with the safety of flexible sheet heating elements intended to be incorporated into floors and walls below 1,2 m and above 2,3 m and in ceilings, their rated voltage being not more than 250 V for single-phase installations and 480 V for other installations. Flexible sheet heating elements are converted into heating units that are incorporated in the building in accordance with the instructions after which the required level of protection against hazards is achieved. Attention is drawn to the fact that:

- In many countries, different wiring rules apply;
- For heating units intended to be used in vehicles or on board ships or aircraft, additional requirements can be necessary;
- In many countries, additional requirements are specified by the national authorities for fire protection, the national authorities for building regulations, the national health authorities, the national authorities responsible for the protection of labour and similar authorities.

Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60335-2-96:2019

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Egypt

*Domestic safety (ICS code(s): 13.120); Miscellaneous domestic and commercial equipment (ICS code(s): 97.180)*  
**Ministerial Decree. 499 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating The Egyptian standard ES 7311 for "Household and similar electrical appliances -Safety -Particular requirements for surface-cleaning appliances for household use employing liquids or steam"**

09/04/2024

The Ministerial Decree No. 499 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 7311 which deals with the safety of electric cleaning appliances for household use that are intended for cleaning surfaces by using liquid cleansing agents or steam, their rated voltage being not more than 250 V including direct current (DC) supplied appliances and battery-operated appliances. It also covers wallpaper strippers and surface cleaning appliances incorporating heating elements or means for pressurizing the liquid container. As far as is practicable, this standard deals with the common hazards presented by appliances that are encountered by all persons in and around the home. However, in general, it does not take into account:

- Persons (including children) whose physical, sensory or mental capabilities; or lack of experience and knowledge prevents them from using the appliance safely without supervision or instruction;
- Children playing with the appliance.

Attention is drawn to the fact that:

- For appliances intended to be used in vehicles or on board ships or aircraft, additional requirements can be necessary;
- In many countries additional requirements are specified by the national health authorities, the national authorities

responsible for the protection of labour, and similar authorities.

Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60335-2-54:2022

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Egypt

*Gas cylinders (ICS code(s): 23.020.35)*

09/04/2024

**Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 5438 for " Gas cylinders —Outlet connections for gas cylinder valves for compressed breathable air".;**

The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 5438 which specifies the characteristics of outlet connections for gas cylinder valves for compressed breathable air gas cylinders. It states the fundamental requirements for both; the connection and its components and includes basic dimensions. Included in this standard the following connections:

a) Yoke type outlet connection for SCUBA use up to a maximum cylinder working pressure of 232 bar;  
b) Threaded type outlet connections up to a maximum cylinder working pressure of 232 bar and 300 bar; and  
c) Threaded type outlet connection for SCUBA use up to a maximum cylinder working pressure of 232 bar including adaptor for users to convert into a yoke type outlet.

Annex A gives the outlet connection type test procedures.

Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of ISO 12209:2013 (confirmed 2018), ISO 12209:2013/AMD 1:2016

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Egypt

*Laundry appliances (ICS code(s): 97.060)*

09/04/2024

**Ministerial Decree No. 499 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating The Egyptian standard ES 7313 for "Household and similar electrical appliances -Safety -Particular requirements for ironers".;**

The Ministerial Decree No. 499 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 7313 which deals with the safety of electric ironers for both commercial and household and similar purposes, their rated voltage being not more than 250 V for single-phase appliances and 480 V for other appliances. Appliances not intended for normal household, but which nevertheless can be a source of danger to the public, such as appliances intended to be used by laymen in shops, in light industry and on farms, are within the scope of this standard. Examples of appliances within the scope of this standard are:

–Ironing presses for one-person operation;

–Mangles;

–Rotary ironers for one-person operation;

–Trouser presses.

As far as is practicable, this standard deals with the common hazards presented by appliances that are encountered by all persons in and around the home. However, in general, it does not take into account:

- Persons (including children) whose physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge prevents them from using the appliance safely without supervision or instruction;

- Children playing with the appliance.

Attention is drawn to the fact that:

–For appliances intended to be used in vehicles or on board ships or aircraft, additional requirements can be necessary;

–In many countries additional requirements are specified by the national health authorities, the national authorities responsible for the protection of labour and similar authorities.

Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60335-2-44:2021.

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Egypt

*Domestic safety (ICS code(s): 13.120); Small kitchen appliances (ICS code(s): 97.040.50)* 09/04/2024

**Ministerial Decree. 499 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating The Egyptian standard ES 7315 for Household and similar electrical appliances -Safety - Particular requirements for blankets, pads, clothing and similar flexible heating appliances".;**

The Ministerial Decree No. 499 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 7315 which deals with the safety of electric blankets, pads, clothing and other flexible appliances that heat the bed or human body, for household and similar purposes, their rated voltage being not more than 250 V including direct current (DC) supplied appliances and battery-operated appliances. This standard also applies to control units supplied with the appliance. Appliances not intended for normal household use but which nevertheless possibly pose be a source of danger to the public, such as appliances intended to be used in beauty parlours or by persons in cold ambient temperatures, are within the scope of this standard. Requirements and tests for clothing are given in normative Annex CC. As far as is practicable, this standard deals with the common hazards presented by appliances that are encountered by all persons in and around the home. However, in general, it does not take into account:

- Persons (including children) whose physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge prevents them from using the appliance safely without supervision or instruction;
- Children playing with the appliance.

Children are considered to be old enough to use an appliance without supervision when they have been adequately instructed by a parent or guardian and are deemed competent to use the appliance safely. Attention is drawn to the fact that:–For appliances intended to be used in vehicles or on board ships or aircraft, additional requirements can be necessary;–In many countries, additional requirements are specified by the national health authorities, the national authorities responsible for the protection of labour and similar authorities.

Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60335-2-17:2022

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Egypt

*Commercial refrigerating appliances (ICS code(s): 97.130.20)* 09/04/2024

**Ministerial Decree No.502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 8688 for "safety requirements for household and similar electrical appliances -particular requirements for commercial**



**refrigerating appliances and ice-makers with an incorporated or remote refrigerant unit or motor-compressor“**

The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 8688 which specifies safety requirements for electrically operated commercial refrigerating appliances and ice-makers that have an incorporated motor compressor or that are supplied in two units for assembly as a single appliance in accordance with the instructions (split system).

Worth mentioning is that this standard is technically identical with IEC 60335-2-89:2019

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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/385</a><br>09/02/2024 | Egypt | <i>Luminaires (ICS code(s): 29.140.40)</i><br><b>Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 8692 for "Luminaries -Particular requirements -Fixed general purpose luminaries“</b><br>The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 8692 which specifies requirements for fixed general purpose luminaries for use with electric light sources on supply voltages not exceeding 1000 V.<br>Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60598-2-1:2020   | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/386</a><br>09/02/2024 | Egypt | <i>Luminaires (ICS code(s): 29.140.40)</i><br><b>Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 8693 for "Luminaries -Particular requirements -Portable general purpose luminaries ";</b><br>The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 8693 which specifies requirements for portable general purpose luminaries for indoor and/or outdoor use (e.g. garden use), other than hand lamps, designed to be used with or incorporating electrical light sources on supply voltages not exceeding 250 V.<br>Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60598-2-4:2017 | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/387</a><br>09/02/2024 | Egypt | <i>Luminaires (ICS code(s): 29.140.40); Toys (ICS code(s): 97.200.50)</i><br><b>Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 8694 for "Luminaries -Particular requirements -Portable luminaries for children ";</b><br>The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 8694 which specifies requirements for portable child-appealing luminaires for use with tungsten filament lamps on supply voltages not exceeding 24 V (SELV).<br>Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60598-2-10:2003  | 09/04/2024 |

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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/388</a><br>09/02/2024 | Egypt | <p><i>Luminaires (ICS code(s): 29.140.40)</i></p> <p><b>Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 8695 for "Luminaires -Particular requirements -Aquarium luminaires ";</b></p> <p>The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 8695 which specifies requirements for household aquarium luminaires incorporating electric light sources on supply voltages not exceeding 1000 V.</p> <p>Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60598-2-11:2013+AMD1:2022 CSV</p>   | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/389</a><br>09/02/2024 | Egypt | <p><i>Luminaires (ICS code(s): 29.140.40)</i></p> <p><b>Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 8696 for " Luminaires -Particular requirements -Mains socket-outlet mounted nightlights ";</b></p> <p>The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 8696 which specifies requirements for mains socket-outlet mounted nightlights for use with electric light sources, on supply voltages not exceeding 250 V AC 50/60 Hz.</p> <p>Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60598-2-12:2013</p>   | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/390</a><br>09/02/2024 | Egypt | <p><i>Luminaires (ICS code(s): 29.140.40)</i></p> <p><b>Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 8698 for " Luminaires -Particular requirements -Luminaires for cold cathode tubular discharge lamps (neon tubes) and similar equipment ";</b></p> <p>The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 8698 which applies to luminaires for cold cathode tubular discharge lamps and similar equipment, operating on a no-load rated output voltage over 1000 V but not exceeding 10000 V, mainly used for general lighting, for indoor or outdoor applications and for supply voltages up to 1000 V. Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60598-2-14:2009</p> | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/391</a><br>09/02/2024 | Egypt | <p><i>Luminaires (ICS code(s): 29.140.40); Theatre, stage and studio equipment (ICS code(s): 97.200.10)</i></p> <p><b>Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 8699 for "Luminaires -Particular requirements -Luminaires for stage lighting, television and film studios (outdoor and indoor)";</b></p> <p>The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 8699 which specifies requirements for stage, television, film and photographic studio luminaires (including spot and floodlighting projectors) for use outdoors and indoors, with electric light sources on supply voltages not exceeding 1000 V.</p>  | 09/04/2024 |

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|   |       | Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60598-2-17:2017   |            |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/392</a><br>09/02/2024 | Egypt | <p><i>Luminaires (ICS code(s): 29.140.40); Sports facilities (ICS code(s): 97.220.10)</i></p> <p><b>Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 8700 for "Luminaires -Particular requirements -Luminaires for swimming pools and similar applications ";</b></p> <p>The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 8700 which specifies requirements for fixed luminaires intended for use in water, or in contact with water, in, for example, the basins of swimming pools, fountains, paddling pools, and garden pools, and for use with electric light sources.</p> <p>Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60598-2-18:2022</p>                              | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/393</a><br>09/02/2024 | Egypt | <p><i>Lighting installation systems (ICS code(s): 29.140.50)</i></p> <p><b>Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 8701 for "Luminaires-Particular requirements -Recessed luminaires and recessed air-handling luminaires (safety requirements)";</b></p> <p>The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 8701 which specifies requirements for recessed luminaires incorporating electric light sources for operation from supply voltages up to 1000 V. It also specifies requirements for recessed air-handling luminaires for use with a ventilation duct or ventilated space (plenum).</p> <p>Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60598-2-2:2023</p> | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/394</a><br>09/02/2024 | Egypt | <p><i>Luminaires (ICS code(s): 29.140.40)</i></p> <p><b>Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 8702 for "Luminaires -Particular requirements -Lighting chains";</b></p> <p>The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 8702 which specifies requirements for lighting chains fitted with series, parallel or a combination of series/parallel connected light sources for use either indoors or outdoors on supply voltages not exceeding 250 V.</p> <p>Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60598-2-20:2022</p>   | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/395</a><br>09/02/2024 | Egypt | <p><i>Luminaires (ICS code(s): 29.140.40)</i></p> <p><b>Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 8703 for "Luminaires -Particular requirements -Rope lights ";</b></p> <p>The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 8703 which specifies requirements for rope lights (sealed lighting chains) fitted with non-replaceable series-or parallel-or a combination of</p>  | 09/04/2024 |

series/parallel-connected light sources for use either indoors or outdoors on supply voltages not exceeding 250 V. Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60598-2-21:2014/COR1:2016

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| <p><a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/396</a><br/>09/02/2024</p> | <p>Egypt</p> | <p><i>Luminaires (ICS code(s): 29.140.40)</i><br/> <b>Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 8704 for "Luminaries -Particular requirements -Extra-low-voltage lighting systems for ELV light sources";</b><br/> The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 8704 which specifies requirements for extra-low-voltage (ELV) lighting systems for ELV light sources, intended for ordinary interior use on supply voltages not exceeding 1000 V. The luminaries, being connected in parallel, are supplied via freely suspended continuous supporting conductors or profiles, the current in the ELV part of the system not exceeding 25 A. Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of IEC 60598-2-23:2020</p>  | <p>09/04/2024</p> |
| <p><a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/397</a><br/>09/02/2024</p> | <p>Egypt</p> | <p><i>Wood, sawlogs and sawn timber (ICS code(s): 79.040); Construction of railways (ICS code(s): 93.100)</i><br/> <b>Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 8741-1 for "wooden sleepers for railway track part: 1 specification";</b><br/> The Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 8741-1 which covers the requirements of wooden sleepers and wooden specials used for broad gauge, metre gauge and narrow gauge railway tracks. Worth mentioning is that this standard is technically identical with IS 10394:1982</p>  | <p>09/04/2024</p> |
| <p><a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/398</a><br/>09/02/2024</p> | <p>Egypt</p> | <p><i>Wood, sawlogs and sawn timber (ICS code(s): 79.040); Construction of railways (ICS code(s): 93.100)</i><br/> <b>Ministerial Decree No. 502 /2023 (4 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 8741-2 for "wooden sleepers for railway track part: 2 - application on wooden sleepers and bearers";</b><br/> The Ministerial Decree No. 502/2023 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 8741-2 which defines wood species, quality requirements, origin, manufacturing conditions, forms, dimensions and tolerances as well as the durability and preservation of wood sleepers and bearers for use in railway tracks. It does not cover specific finishing processes which may be required by the customer. It does not apply to other track timbers. Worth mentioning is that this standard is technically identical with EN 13145:2001+A1: 2011</p> | <p>09/04/2024</p> |
| <p><a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/399</a><br/>09/02/2024</p> | <p>Egypt</p> | <p><i>Ventilators. Fans. Air-conditioners (ICS code(s): 23.120); Heat pumps (ICS code(s): 27.080)</i><br/> <b>Draft of Egyptian standard ES 5072 " ducted air-conditioners and air-to-air heat pumps —Testing and rating for performance";</b></p>   | <p>09/04/2024</p> |

This draft of Egyptian standard ES 5072 specifies performance testing, the standard conditions and the test methods for determining the capacity and efficiency ratings of air-cooled, air-conditioners and air-to-air heat pumps. This standard is applicable to the following equipment:

-Ducted air-cooled air conditioners and ducted air-to-air heat pumps.

It is limited to:

-Residential, commercial and industrial single-package, and split-system air conditioners and heat pumps,

-Factory-made, electrically driven and use mechanical compression,

-Utilizing single, multiple and variable capacity components, and

-Multiple split-system utilizing one or more refrigeration systems, one outdoor unit and one or more indoor units, controlled by a single thermostat/controller.

Worth mentioning is that this draft standard adopts the technical content of ISO 13253:2017/AMD 1:2020.

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Egypt

*Commercial refrigerating appliances (ICS code(s): 97.130.20)* 09/04/2024

**Draft of Egyptian standard for "Walk-in cold rooms - Definition, thermal insulation performance and test methods -Part 1: Prefabricated cold room kits";**

This draft of Egyptian standard applies to prefabricated walk-in cold room kits and components. It provides test or calculation methods to assess thermal insulation performances under normal end-use conditions. Performance characteristics of walk-in cold rooms are to be assessed in terms of thermal insulating properties, in order to give a basis on which assessing energy consumption related properties of walk-in cold rooms, and of their components. Performance characteristics are to be assessed for every single component of the walk-in cold room, and for the assembled walk-in cold room as a whole. The normal end-use conditions of a walk-in cold room are considered to be:

-Installation inside an existing building;

-Not exposed to external weather conditions.

Worth mentioning is that this Draft standard adopts the technical content of EN 16855-1:2017.

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Egypt

*Commercial refrigerating appliances (ICS code(s): 97.130.20)* 09/04/2024

**Draft of Egyptian standard for "Walk-in cold rooms - Definition, thermal insulation performance and test methods -Part 2: Customized cold rooms";**

This draft of Egyptian standard provides test or calculation methods to assess thermal insulation performances for customized walk-in cold rooms and components under normal end-use conditions. The normal end-use conditions of a walk-in cold room are considered to be:

-Installation inside an existing building;

-Not exposed to external weather conditions;

-Internal side of panels subject to temperatures within the indicative range  $-40\text{ °C} \leq T \leq 12\text{ °C}$ ;

-External side of panels subject to temperatures within the indicative range  $-8\text{ °C} \leq T \leq 30\text{ °C}$ ; temperatures below 0

°C, or higher than 20 °C, can be reached if the walk-in cold room is located inside not air-conditioned premises. Worth mentioning is that this Draft standard adopts the technical content of EN 16855-2:2018

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Egypt

*Sacks. Bags (ICS code(s): 55.080)*

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**Draft of Egyptian standard for "Packaging - Requirements and test scheme for carrier bags suitable for treatment in well-managed home composting installations"**

This draft of Egyptian standard specifies a testing scheme and requirements for the designation of carrier bags of any materials that are considered to be suitable for incorporation into well-managed home composting installations for non-commercial purposes with a home composting cycle of normally at least 12 months. Carrier bags are considered as home compostable in a well-managed system only if all the individual components meet the requirements. The following four aspects are addressed:

- a) Characterization;
- b) Biodegradation in well managed home composting;
- c) Disintegration in well managed home composting; and
- d) Home compost quality.

The four aspects, a) to d), are assessing the effects on the biological treatment process and the compost made by it.

This document forms the basis for the labelling of carrier bags that are considered to be suitable for the incorporation into well-managed home composting installations.

NOTE 1: Compliance with the requirements of this standard by the carrier bags entering the compost does not necessarily imply that a high-quality compost will be produced. This standard covers the suitability of carrier bags for the incorporation into well managed home composting installations but does not address regulations that may exist regarding the suitability of anything disposed together with the carrier bag to home composting. This standard provides a set of guidance on the parameters, boundaries and processes required to engage in well managed, aerobic, home composting. Alternative composting methods and systems may not provide the conditions necessary for the successful home composting of carrier bags which comply with the requirements of this standard. The testing scheme and the requirements specified by this standard do not apply to worm composting, industrial composting nor community composting. It also does not provide information on the biodegradability of carrier bags ending up in the environment as litter. The compost produced via home composting by a private individual is for private use only and not for provision to others, free of charge or in return for payment. Therefore, this standard has no value as a marketing authorization or authorization of use of the final compost.

NOTE 2: The testing scheme and evaluation criteria could be the basis for the establishment of suitability to home composting of other products.

NOTE 3: The purpose of testing activity b) is to demonstrate the potential for ultimate biodegradation of the test material when exposed to microbes active under mesophilic conditions (between 15 °C and 45 °C).

NOTE 4: The purpose of testing activity c) is to verify the thickness and/or grammage that allows a full disintegration



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|   |       | <p>of the test product in a period consistent with a home composting cycle, under defined environmental conditions. To allow for the potential for variations of local climatic conditions and consumer application of well-managed home composting techniques, lower than optimal temperature profile has been adopted for this test. Worth mentioning is that this draft standard is technically identical with EN 17427:2022</p>   |            |
| <p><a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/403</a><br/>09/02/2024</p> | Egypt | <p><i>Fertilizers (ICS code(s): 65.080)</i><br/><b>Draft of Egyptian standard "Fertilizers and soil conditioners-chitosan";</b><br/>This draft of Egyptian standard specifies the requirements for chitosan alone or with some fertilizer elements added to it, and methods of sampling and testing samples.<br/>Worth mentioning is that this standard has been formulated according to National Studies.</p>  | 09/04/2024 |
| <p><a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/404</a><br/>09/02/2024</p> | Egypt | <p><i>Refrigerating technology (ICS code(s): 27.200)</i><br/><b>Draft of Egyptian standard " Performance Rating of Computer and Data Processing Room Air Conditioners ";</b><br/>This draft of Egyptian standard applies to CDPRs specifically marketed for cooling Data Centers and Information Technology Equipment (ITE) and as defined in Section 3. This standard does not apply to the rating and testing of individual assemblies, such as condensing units or coils, for separate use.Worth mentioning is that this Draft standard adopts the technical content of AHRI Standard 1361:2022</p>  | 09/04/2024 |
| <p><a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/405</a><br/>09/02/2024</p> | Egypt | <p><i>Refrigerating technology (ICS code(s): 27.200)</i><br/><b>Draft of Egyptian standard " Packaged refrigerating units for walk-in cold rooms -Classification, performance and energy consumption testing ";</b><br/>This draft of Egyptian standard specifiesclassification criteria, test conditions and test procedures for performance testing of packaged refrigerating units for stationary cold room applications. This includes ductless units for cold storage applications at medium temperatures (MT) and low temperatures (LT) in either compact or split designs, fitted with electrically driven compressors, which work according to the vapour compression cycle.<br/>Worth mentioning is that this Draft standard adopts the technical content of EN 17432:2021.</p>                                    | 09/04/2024 |
| <p><a href="#">G/TBT/N/EGY/406</a><br/>09/02/2024</p> | Egypt | <p><i>Ventilators. Fans. Air-conditioners (ICS code(s): 23.120); Heat pumps (ICS code(s): 27.080)</i><br/><b>Draft of the Egyptian standard "Multiple split-system air conditioners and air-to-air heat pumps —Testing and rating for performance ";</b><br/>This draft of Egyptian standard specifies the performance testing, the standard conditions and the test methods for determining the capacity and efficiency ratings of air-cooled air conditioners and air-to-air heat pumps.It is applicable to the following equipment:Basic multi-split systems, modular multi-split systems and modular heat recovery multi-split systems. These multi-split systems include air-to-air systems with non-ducted and/or ducted indoor units with integral fans and indoor units supplied without fans.It is limited to:</p> | 09/04/2024 |

-Residential, commercial and industrial split-system air conditioners and heat pumps;  
 -Factory-made, electrically driven and use mechanical compression;  
 -Single-and multiple-circuit split-systems which utilize one or more compressors with no more than two steps of control of the outdoor unit; or  
 -Split-systems with a single refrigeration circuit which utilize one or more variable-speed compressors or alternative compressor combinations for varying the capacity of the system by three or more steps.  
 Worth mentioning is that this Draft standard adopts the technical content of ISO 15042:2017/AMD 1:2020

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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/CHN/1793</a><br>09/02/2024 | China | <i>Incense products (HS code(s): 330741); (ICS code(s): 13.120)</i>   | 09/04/2024 |
|  |       | <b>National Standards of the P.R.C., General safety specification for incense products;</b>   |            |
|  |       | This document specifies the safety requirements, test methods of incense products.  |            |
|  |       | This document applies to solid incense used to improve the indoor and outdoor environment in public places such as religion, etiquette, sacrifice, and leisure, recreation, etc..   |            |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/CHN/1794</a><br>09/02/2024 | China | <i>All toys (HS code(s): 95); (ICS code(s): 97.200.50)</i>  | 09/04/2024 |
|  |       | <b>National Standard of the P.R.C., Safety of Toys -Part 1: Basic code;</b>   |            |
|  |       | This document specifies basic safety requirements for toys, including mechanical and physical properties, explosion and flammability properties, chemical properties, electrical properties, hygiene requirements, radiation properties, and labeling requirements. This document applies to all toys (including trial and free gifts), which are any products or materials designed or clearly intended for use in play by children under 14 years of age, as well as to products intended for use by children under 14 years of age that are not specifically designed for play but have play values. |            |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/CHN/1795</a><br>09/02/2024 | China | <i>All toys (HS code(s): 95); (ICS code(s): 97.200.50)</i>  | 09/04/2024 |
|  |       | <b>National Standard of the P.R.C., Safety of Toys -Part 2: Safety of toys—Part 2: Mechanical and physical properties;</b>  |            |
|  |       | This document specifies mechanical and physical safety requirements for toys, including acceptable criteria for structural characteristics of toys, such as shape, size, contour, spacing as well as parameter requirements for the performance of certain toys. This document applies to all toys (including trial and free gifts), which are any products or materials designed or clearly intended for use in play by children under 14 years of age, as well as products not specifically designed for play but having play values and intended for use by children under 14 years of age.          |            |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/CHN/1796</a><br>09/02/2024 | China | <i>All toys (HS code(s): 95); (ICS code(s): 97.200.50)</i>  | 09/04/2024 |
|  |       | <b>National Standard of the P.R.C., Safety of Toy-Part 3: Flammability;</b>   |            |
|  |       | This document specifies the categories of flammable materials that are prohibited in all toys, and requirements concerning flammability of certain toys that may come into contact with small source of ignition. The test methods  |            |

described in Clause 5 are used for the purposes of determining the flammability of toys under the particular test conditions specified.

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*all toys (HS code(s): 95); (ICS code(s): 97.200.50)*

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**National Standard of the P.R.C., Safety of toys —Part 4: Migration of certain elements;**

This document specifies maximum acceptable levels and methods of sampling, extraction and determination for the migration of the elements antimony, arsenic, barium, cadmium, chromium, lead, mercury and selenium from toy materials and from parts of toys. Maximum acceptable levels are specified for the migration of the elements from the following toy materials:

- coatings of paints, varnishes, lacquers, printing inks, polymers and similar coatings;
- polymeric and similar material, including laminates, whether textile-reinforced or not, but excluding other textiles and non-woven textiles;
- paper and paperboard;
- natural, artificial or synthetic textiles;
- glass/ceramic/metallic materials;
- other materials, whether mass-coloured or not (e.g. wood, fibreboard, hardboard, bone and leather);
- materials intended to leave a trace (e.g. the graphite materials in pencils and liquid ink in pens);
- pliable modelling materials, including modelling clays and gels;
- paints to be used as such in the toy, including finger paints, varnishes, lacquers, glazing powders and similar material in solid or liquid form.

The requirements in this document apply to the following toys and toy components and toy materials:

- all intended food and oral contact toys, cosmetic toys and writing instruments categorized as toys, irrespective of any age grading or recommended age labelling;
- all toys intended for or suitable for children under 72 months of age;
- accessible coatings, irrespective of any age grading or recommended age labelling;
- accessible liquids, pastes, gels (e.g. liquid paints, modelling compounds), irrespective of any age grading or recommended age labelling.

Packaging materials are not included, unless they are intended to be kept, e.g. boxes, containers, or unless they are part of the toy or designed to have play value.

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*Electrical equipment and system of industrial machines (HS code(s): 8536; 8537); (ICS code(s): 29.020)*

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**National Standards of the P.R.C., Electrical equipment and system of industrial machines-Safety requirements;**

This document specifies the safety requirements for electrical equipment and systems throughout their life cycle. This document applies to the electrical, electronic and programmable electronic equipment and systems of machinery (including a group of machines that work together). This document applies to the design, manufacture, production, use and maintenance of electrical equipment. This document applies to electrical equipment or components of electrical equipment whose nominal

power supply voltage not exceed 1,000 V A. C. or 1,500 V D. C., and rated frequency not exceed 200Hz. This document applies to the design, manufacture, production, use and maintenance of electrical equipment. This document does not apply to:

- Electrical equipment for use in explosive atmospheres ;
  - Electrical equipment for radiological and medical purposes ;
  - Electrical parts of elevators for goods and personnel ;
  - Electricity meter ;
- Special electrical equipment for ships, aircraft or railways.

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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/CHN/1799</a><br>09/02/2024 | China | <p><i>Fire electronic products (HS code(s): 842410); (ICS code(s): 13.220.20)</i> 09/04/2024</p> <p><b>National Standard of the P.R.C., Protection requirements for fire electronic products;</b></p> <p>This document specifies the conditions of use, structural requirements, performance requirements and testing of fire protection electronic products. This document applies to fire electronic products installed and used in general industrial and civil buildings. Firefighting electronic products with special performance installed in other environments shall also comply with this document, except for special requirements that should be separately specified by relevant standards.</p> |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/CHN/1800</a><br>09/02/2024 | China | <p><i>Current limiting protector for electric fire prevention (HS code(s): 847989); (ICS code(s): 13.220.20)</i> 09/04/2024</p> <p><b>National Standard of the P.R.C., Electrical fire monitoring system—Part 6: Current limiting protector for electric fire prevention;</b></p> <p>This document specifies the requirements, tests, inspection rules, symbols and operation instructions for electrical fire protection current-limiting protector. This document applies to the electrical fire monitoring system in the electrical fire current-limiting protector.</p>  |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/CHN/1801</a><br>09/02/2024 | China | <p><i>Pyrolysis sensing electrical fire monitoring detector (HS code(s): 853110); (ICS code(s): 13.220.20)</i> 09/04/2024</p> <p><b>National Standard of the P.R.C., Electrical fire monitoring system—Part 5: Pyrolysis sensing electrical fire monitoring detector;</b></p> <p>This document specifies the terms and definitions, classification, requirements, tests, inspection rules and symbols for pyrolysis sensing electrical fire monitoring detectors. This document applies to the pyrolysis sensing electrical fire monitoring detector in the electrical fire monitoring system.</p>   |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/CHN/1802</a><br>09/02/2024 | China | <p><i>Insulation monitoring device of electrical fire (HS code(s): 903033); (ICS code(s): 13.220.20)</i> 09/04/2024</p> <p><b>National Standard of the P.R.C., Electrical fire monitoring system —Part 9: Insulation monitoring device of electrical fire;</b></p> <p>This document specifies the terms and definitions, classification, requirements, tests, inspection rules and symbols for insulation monitoring devices of electrical fire. This document applies to insulation monitoring devices of electrical fire in the electrical fire monitoring system.</p>   |

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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/KEN/1578</a><br>09/02/2024 | Kenya | <i>Animal and vegetable fats and oils (ICS code(s): 67.200.10)</i><br><b>KS 2999: 2024 Blended or mixed nut and oil seeds — Specification;</b><br>This Kenya Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for butters obtained by mixing nut and oilseed butters and/or their blends with other ingredients intended for human consumption.   | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/KEN/1579</a><br>09/02/2024 | Kenya | <i>Edible oils and fats. Oilseeds (ICS code(s): 67.200)</i><br><b>KS 2997: 2024 Edible canola (rapeseed) oil— Specification;</b><br>This draft Kenya standard specifies requirements, sampling, and test methods for virgin and refined canola (rapeseed) oil derived by extraction from seeds of Brassica napus L., Brassica campestris L., Brassica juncea L. and Brassica tournefortii Gouan species intended for human consumption. | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/KEN/1580</a><br>09/02/2024 | Kenya | <i>Edible oils and fats. Oilseeds (ICS code(s): 67.200)</i><br><b>KS 2996: 2024 Edible macadamia oil— Specification;</b><br>This draft Kenya standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for virgin and refined macadamia oil derived from the kernel of the macadamia nuts of varieties grown from Macadamia integrifolia and Macadamia tetraphylla, and their hybrids intended for human consumption.                  | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/KEN/1581</a><br>09/02/2024 | Kenya | <i>Oilseeds (ICS code(s): 67.200.20)</i><br><b>KS 2998: 2024 Named nut or oil seed butters — Specification;</b><br>This draft Kenya standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for nut or oilseed butters intended for human consumption.<br>This draft Kenya standard does not apply to peanut and cashew butter.  | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/KEN/1582</a><br>09/02/2024 | Kenya | <i>Edible oils and fats. Oilseeds (ICS code(s): 67.200)</i><br><b>KS 2995: 2024 Virgin avocado oil — Specification;</b><br>This draft Kenya standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for virgin and extra virgin avocado oil derived from the fruit of the avocado (Persea americana) intended for human consumption.<br>This standard does not apply for crude, refined and blended avocado oils.                    | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/KEN/1583</a><br>09/02/2024 | Kenya | <i>Fruits and derived products (ICS code(s): 67.080.10)</i><br><b>KS 1485: 2024 Water-based fruit flavoured drinks — Specification;</b><br>This draft Kenya Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for water-based fruit flavoured drinks.  | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/KEN/1584</a><br>09/02/2024 | Kenya | <i>Alcoholic beverages (ICS code(s): 67.160.10)</i><br><b>KS 1773: 2024 Water-based fruit flavoured drink in solid form — Specification;</b><br>This draft Kenya Standard specifies the requirements for water-based flavoured drink in solid form intended for human consumption prepared by dissolving in potable water into a ready-to-drink beverage.   | 09/04/2024 |

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| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/KEN/1585</a><br>09/02/2024 | Kenya          | <i>Sphygmomanometers, mercurial (ICS)</i><br><b>Kenya National Workshop Agreement CD/SERV/2014: Sphygmomanometers, mercurial —Specification;</b><br>This National Workshop Agreement lays down the requirements for mercurial sphygmomanometers used for measuring arterial blood pressure of human beings.  | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/KEN/1586</a><br>09/02/2024 | Kenya          | <i>Dentistry (ICS code(s): 11.060)</i><br><b>DKS2943:2023 Dentistry —Tooth Powder —Specification;</b><br>This Draft Kenya Standard prescribes requirements and the methods of sampling and test for tooth powders.   | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/KEN/1587</a><br>09/02/2024 | Kenya          | <i>Furniture (ICS code(s): 97.140)</i><br><b>DKS2817:2023 Furniture —Office Tables —Specification;</b><br>This Draft Kenya Standard prescribes the requirements and methods of test for tables for office use.   | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/QAT/665</a><br>09/02/2024  | Qatar          | <i>Food products in general (ICS code(s): 67.040)</i><br><b>Shelf Life of Food Products;</b><br>This technical regulation is concerned with specific and necessary shelf-life requirements for local and imported foodstuffs for direct human consumption, or after manufacturing or preparing.  | 09/04/2024 |
| <a href="#">G/TBT/N/GBR/73</a><br>09/02/2024   | United Kingdom | <i>HS 1101001500 flour of common wheat and spelt</i><br><b>The Bread and Flour (Amendment) (England) Regulations 2024, 7 pages, English</b><br><b>The Bread and Flour (Amendment) (Scotland) Regulations 2024, English</b><br><b>The Bread and Flour (Wales) Regulations 2024, English and Welsh</b><br><b>The Bread and Flour (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2024,</b><br>The proposed instruments will update the Bread and Flour Regulations 1998 and the Bread and Flour Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1998 (collectively referred to below as 'the Regulations' or 'The Bread and Flour Regulations'). The changes will be introduced in Wales via the Bread and Flour (Wales) Regulations 2024. Technical changes are being made to update current requirements to fortify non-wholemeal wheat flour and introduce the mandatory addition of folic acid. The instrument also includes amendments to clarify requirements and definitions and introduce exemptions to avoid disproportionate impacts to businesses. These changes are not expected to significantly affect trade and will come into force on 1st October 2024.<br>An addition to the enforcement approach is also being incorporated, providing for the use of improvement notices as a frontline enforcement option, in the regulations for England, Northern Ireland and Wales. Scotland already have analogous enforcement provisions in place. | 09/04/2024 |