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Číslo/Dátum	Notifikujúca strana	Charakteristika notifikácie	Pripomienková doba
G/TBT/N/UGA/1570 28/03/22	Uganda	<p><i>Wire of iron or non-alloy steel, in coils, plated or coated (excl. plated or coated with base metals, and bars and rods) (HS code(s): 721790); Steel wire, wire ropes and link chains (ICS code(s): 77.140.65)</i></p> <p>DUS 2491:2021, Mild steel wire for general engineering purposes—Specification, First Edition; (18 page(s), in English)</p> <p>This Draft Uganda Standard specifies the requirements for mild steel wire, of round and other cross-sectional shapes, between 0.122 mm and 13.2 mm diameter or equivalent cross-sectional area. Three conditions of supply and five conditions of finish are specified.</p>	27/05/2022
G/TBT/N/UGA/1571 29/03/22	Uganda	<p><i>Iron or steel wool; pot scourers and scouring or polishing pads, gloves and the like, of iron or steel (HS code(s): 732310); Other iron and steel products (ICS code(s): 77.140.99)</i></p> <p>DUS 2490:2021, Steel wool—Specification, First Edition; (12 page(s), in English)</p> <p>This working draft Uganda standard covers the requirements for commercial steel wool of different grades. The commercial steel wool shall be of the following grades: Grade 0000 (Super fine), Grade 000 (Extra fine), Grade 00 (Very fine), Grade 0 (Fine), Grade 1 (Medium), Grade 2 (Coarse), Grade 3 (Very coarse).</p>	28/05/2022
G/TBT/N/BHR/621 30/03/2022	Bahrain, Kingdom of	<p><i>Single-use plastic bags (ICS: 83.140.99)</i></p> <p>Draft Ministerial Order regarding banning single-use plastic bags with thickness less than 35 microns in the Bahraini market.</p> <p>The purpose of this Ministerial Order is to ban single-use plastic bags with thickness less than 35 microns in the Bahraini market, with exempting bags used for medical purposes and bags manufactured to be exported from the Kingdom of Bahrain.</p>	
G/TBT/N/TPKM/486 30/03/2022	Chinese Taipei	<p><i>Fire-retardant Construction Materials-Fire-retardant hard fiberboards (HS:441192);-Fire-retardant insulation fiberboards (HS:441194);-Dressed rockwool boards for acoustic use (HS:6806.90);-Cement bonded wool and flake boards, cement bonded wood and flake boards (HS: 680800);-Gypsum boards (HS:6809.11);-Fibercement boards, decorative exterior panel of fiber reinforced cement sidings, calcium silicate boards, slag gypsum boards (HS: 681182)</i></p> <p>Proposal for Amendments to the Inspection Requirements for Fire-retardant Construction Materials; (8 page(s), in Chinese), (2 page(s), in English)</p> <p>With a view to enhancing the performance of fire-retardant construction materials, which are currently subject to mandatory inspection, to protect consumers, the Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection (BSMI) is proposing to update the inspection standards for fiber cement boards, gypsum boards, cement bonded wood-wool and flake boards, hard fiberboards, Insulation fiberboards, fiber reinforced cement sidings, fiber reinforced cement boards, regenerated fiber cement boards and sound absorbing materials to their current versions, published in 2017. The BSMI also proposes to adopt the procedure of Type-Approved Batch Inspection (TABI) in place of Monitoring Inspection to speed up customs clearance. The alternative procedure of Registration of Product Certification (Modules II+IV,</p>	29/05/2022

II+V, or II+VII) is still available for business operators to choose depending on their needs. Magnesium oxide boards, perlite boards and rock wool sheathing boards are proposed to be deleted from the mandatory inspection scope.

G/TBT/N/KOR/1065 31/03/2022	Korea, Republic of	<i>Food</i> Proposed Amendment of the "Labelling Standards for Health Functional Foods" (previously notified as 'Health Functional Foods Labelling Standards', KOR864); (17 page(s), in Korean) The main amendments made on functional foods labelling are as follows: 1.products that contain or may contain food allergen 2.functional ingredients in probiotics products	30/05/2022
G/TBT/N/PHL/283 31/03/2022	Philippines	<i>Medical equipment (ICS code(s): 11.040)</i> Draft FDA Circular entitled "Abridged Processing of Application for Registration/Notification of Medical Devices Approved by National Regulatory Authority of Any ASEAN Member Country"; (4 page(s), in English) The Circular aims to carry out good reliance practices in the regulatory processes of medical devices. Specifically, it intends to provide guidelines on the abridged processing of application for registration of medical devices with product approval issued by the National Regulatory Authority of any ASEAN member country under the ASEAN Medical Device Directive-Common Submission Dossier Template requirements.	30/05/2022
G/TBT/N/THA/658 31/03/2022	Thailand	<i>Food Enzyme, Processing Aids, Food Additives (HS code : 3507)</i> Draft MOPH Notification, B.E..., entitled "Enzymes for Food Processing"; (46 page(s), in Thai) Since the MOPH Notification No. 409 (BE. 2562) issued by virtue of the Food Act B.E. 2522 entitled "Enzyme for use in Food Processing" has been published, there are certain ambiguities in the application of this notification. In order to remove the such ambiguities, the MOPH notification shall be revised. By the virtue of the articles 5 and 6(6) of the Food Act of B.E.2522, the MOPH has issued the (draft) MOPH Notification which can be summarized as follow: 1. The MOPH notification No. 409 (BE. 2562) issued by virtue of the Food Act B.E. 2522 entitled "Enzyme for use in Food Processing" of 9 July BE. 2562 will be repealed and replaced with this draft of MOPH Notification. 2. Based on the MOPH notification No. 409 (BE. 2562), there are certain requirements that are currently prescribed in this draft of the MOPH notification: 2.1 Requirement regarding mycotoxin and novel DNA are added to the general specification for food enzyme:· In case of food enzyme originated from fungi, mycotoxin should not be detected.· In case of food enzyme originated from genetically modified organisms, novel DNA or gene materials which are the results of the use of gene technology shall not be detectable. 2.2 A material which is used for immobilized enzyme shall not release toxic substances into food by reference to the migration limit set out in the MOPH notification on plastic food packaging. 2.3 Enzymes, source of enzymes, functions and conditions of use are revised as appear in Annex I. 2.4 Silicon dioxide, D-glucitol syrup and sorbitol syrup are added to Annex IV, food additive used in enzyme preparation.	30/05/2022

2.5 Enzymes used in the production of food additives and production of processing aids are also excluded from this draft of the MOPH notification.

3. This notification shall enter into force after the date of its publication in the Government Gazette. This regulation has been notified as SPS Notification.

[G/TBT/N/THA/659](#)
31/03/2022

Thailand

Hazardous Substances

Draft Notification of the Ministry of Industry on List of Hazardous Substances Act (No. x) B.E. xxxx; (8 page(s), in Thai)

This draft notification aims at amending the list of hazardous substances under the Hazardous Substances Act. This proposed list involves the revision and inclusion of certain hazardous substances on the list of hazardous substances annexed to the Notification of Ministry of Industry on List of Hazardous Substances B.E. 2556 (2013) and its last amendments (B.E.2563 (2020)). The summary is as follows.

1. Department of Industrial Works (DIW) revises the control of 2 entries on List 5.1 as follows.

(1) Entry no. 202 triethanolamine, to add the condition under which this chemical will be regulated. The condition is "only concentration >30% w/w".

(2) Entry no. 247 benzyl cyanide, to be changed from type 1 to type 3. includes Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA), its salts and PFOA-related compounds, which are in the group of persistent Organic Pollutants (POPs), to List 5.1 as follows.

(1) Entry no. 526-533 (8 entries), to be classified as type 3 only being within the scope of specific exemptions under the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants.

(2) Entry no.534-541 (8 entries), to be classified as type 4 in case of being outside the scope of specific exemptions under the Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants, with the exception of being present as impurity with the concentrations not more than those specified in this draft Notification.

Perfluorooctanoic acid (PFOA), its salts and PFOA-related substances which will be regulated under this draft Notification include

- (1) perfluorooctanoic acid CAS no. 335-67-1
- (2) ammonium perfluorooctanoate CAS no. 3825-26-1
- (3) sodium perfluorooctanoate CAS no. 335-95-5
- (4) potassium perfluorooctanoate CAS no. 2395-00-8
- (5) silver perfluorooctanoate CAS no. 335-93-3
- (6) perfluorooctanoyl fluoride CAS no. 335-66-0
- (7) methyl perfluorooctanoate CAS no. 376-27-2
- (8) ethyl perfluorooctanoate CAS no. 3108-24-5

2. Food and Drug Administration Revises the control of 24 hazardous substances as follows.

List 4.1, 21 entries (entry no. 18, 31, 39, 41, 47, 51, 52, 74, 75, 94, 109, 110, 111, 137, 138, 152, 168, 173, 189, 208, and 209)

List 4.2, 1 entry (entry no. 3), to amend the condition as follows.

"In products used in household or public health activity with purposes for inhibiting, preventing, controlling, destroying rodents".

List 4.3, 2 entries as follows.

(2.1) Entry no. 1, to adjust the name to "Products used in household or public health activity with purpose for inhibiting, preventing, controlling, destroying rodents" and to add the exemption conditions as follows. "Except products being under one of the following conditions. Product containing essential oils from

plant or animal as active ingredients. Product mainly containing plant parts which may be processed such as cutting, grinding, chopping, slicing. Product containing substances derived from plant or animal through the process of boiling, fermentation, extraction, combustion or any other processes without the addition of other substances intended to cause a chemical reaction as key ingredients. However, the products under 1, 2 and 3 must not contain any synthetic chemicals as active ingredients."

(2.2) Entry no. 4, adding the exemption condition as follows. "Except bleaching products containing enzymes as active ingredients and not containing synthetic chemicals as active ingredients."

3. Department of Livestock-include "chlorpyrifos" to List 3.1 (entry no. 24) which is classified as type 4 hazardous substance with the condition as follows. "In active ingredients or products containing active ingredients intended for preventing, destroying, controlling insects or animal pests (except parasites living in animals)"

4. The producer, importer, exporter, or possessor of the type 3 hazardous substance prescribed in this Notification having been in business before the effective date of this Notification shall submit an application for a licence within 30 days since the effective date of this Notification. If registration is required for any hazardous substance, application for registration must be submitted within the same time period.

5. The producer, importer, exporter, or possessor of the type 4 hazardous substance prescribed in this Notification having been in business before the effective date of this Notification shall comply with the order of competent official within 180 days since the effective date of this Notification.

[G/TBT/N/THA/660](#)
31/03/2022

Thailand

Ultraviolet Radiation in the C Range of Wavelengths (Ultraviolet C or UV-C) Goods.

30/05/2022

Notification of the Committee on Labels Re: Determination of Ultraviolet Radiation in the C Range of Wavelengths (Ultraviolet C or UV-C) Goods as a Label-Controlled Goods.; (3 page(s), in English)

UV-C radiation goods shall be prescribed as label-controlled goods. The label shall specify the statement, figure, artificial mark, or image as appropriate which shall not cause misunderstandings about the essence of the goods and shall be displayed clearly visible and legible in Thai language or a foreign language accompanied by Thai language.

UV-C radiation goods under this regulation means products, equipment, or other objects that emit ultraviolet radiation in the C range of wavelengths to deter or eliminate viruses, fungus, bacteria, dust mites, or other germs, and includes other objects with the same characteristics which are not within the scope of a medical device.

[G/TBT/N/THA/661](#)
31/03/2022

Thailand

Hot-Dip Zinc-Coated Cold Reduced Flat Steel (ICS 77.140.50)

30/05/2022

Draft Ministerial Regulation on Hot-Dip Zinc-Coated Cold Reduced Flat Steel (TIS 50-25xx (20xx) ; (36 page(s), in Thai)

The draft ministerial regulation mandates hot-dip zinc-coated cold reduced flat steel to comply with the standard

TIS 50-25xx (20xx) TIS 50-25xx (20xx) covers:

-Hot-dip zinc-coated cold reduces flat steel coated by substance mainly composed of zinc to improve rust protection properties and may be processed by chemical treatment, oil coating for more varied applications, in form of sheets, strips and corrugated sheets.

-Hot-dip zinc-coated cold reduced flat steel with a nominal thickness up to 3.20 mm.

-Hot-dip zinc-coated cold reduced flat steel corrugated sheet with a minimum thickness of 0.11 mm, with pitch of 76 mm and depth of 18 mm (large corrugated), and pitch of 32 mm and depth of 9 mm (small corrugated).T

IS 50-25xx (20xx) excludes:-Hot-dip zinc-coated cold reduced flat steel contained with zinc-ferrous alloy layer (galvanneal)

-Hot-dip zinc-coated cold reduced flat steel for automobile uses, which are already developed as industrial products standards.

-Hot-dip zinc-coated cold reduced flat steel alloy with other metals, which are already developed as industrial products standards, such as hot-dip zinc-5% to 13% aluminium-2% to 4% magnesium alloy-coated flat steel

TIS 50-25xx (20xx) specifies scope, definitions, types, grades and surface finishes, dimensions and normative tolerances, chemical compositions, requirements, marking and labelling, sampling and criteria for conformity, and testing.

[G/TBT/N/THA/662](#)
31/03/2022

Thailand

Digital Terrestrial Television Receiver

30/05/2022

Draft Notification of the National Broadcasting and Telecommunications Commission Re: Technical Standard for Digital Terrestrial Television Receiver; (21 page(s), in Thai)

This draft technical specification (NBTC TS 4002-2565), which supersedes NBTC TS4002-2560, specifies the minimum technical specifications for digital terrestrial television receiver which are capable of receiving digital television signal in DVB-T2 system. This draft technical specification covers the following types of receiver:

(i) Integrated Digital Television (iDTV);

(ii) Set-top box;

(iii) Portable/mobile receivers;

(iv) Vehicle receivers; and

(v) Other receivers which are not connected to supply mains. Non-standalone receivers, such as dongle or PCI card, are not in the scope of this technical specification.

[G/TBT/N/USA/1845](#)
31/03/2022

United States of America

Electronic chart and navigational equipment (ICS code(s): 33.060, 47.020.70)

27/06/2022

Electronic Chart and Navigational Equipment Carriage Requirements; (6 page(s), in English)

Advance notice of proposed rulemaking -The Coast Guard seeks public input regarding the modification of the chart and navigational equipment carriage requirements in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). This advance notice of proposed rulemaking (ANPRM) outlines the Coast Guard's broad strategy to revise its CFR chart and navigational equipment carriage requirements to implement statutory electronic-chart-use provisions for commercial U.S.-flagged vessels and certain foreign-flagged vessels operating in the waters of the United States. This ANPRM is necessary to obtain additional information from the public before issuing a notice of proposed rulemaking. It will allow us to verify the extent of the requirements for the rule, such as how widely electronic charts currently are used, which types of vessels are using them, the appropriate equipment requirements for different vessel classes, and where the vessels operate, and will thereby allow us to tailor electronic chart requirements to vessel class and location.

[G/TBT/N/USA/1846](#)
31/03/2022

United States of America

Commercial heating and air-conditioning equipment; Air conditioning machines comprising a motor-driven fan and elements for changing the temperature and humidity, incl. those machines in

31/05/2022

which the humidity cannot be separately regulated; parts thereof (HS code(s): 8415); Refrigerators, freezers and other refrigerating or freezing equipment, electric or other; heat pumps; parts thereof (excl. air conditioning machines of heading 8415) (HS code(s): 8418); Machinery, plant or laboratory equipment whether or not electrically heated (excl. furnaces, ovens and other equipment of heading 8514), for the treatment of materials by a process involving a change of temperature such as heating, cooking, roasting, distilling, rectifying, sterilising, pasteurising, steaming, drying, evaporating, vaporising, condensing or cooling (excl. those used for domestic purposes); instantaneous or storage water heaters, non-electric; parts thereof (HS code(s): 8419); Electric instantaneous or storage water heaters and immersion heaters; electric space-heating apparatus and soil-heating apparatus; electro-thermic hairdressing apparatus, e.g. hairdryers, hair curlers and curling tong heaters, and hand dryers; electric smoothing irons; other electro-thermic appliances of a kind used for domestic purposes; electric heating resistors (other than those of heading 8545); parts thereof (HS code(s): 8516); Environmental protection (ICS code(s): 13.020); Ventilators. Fans. Air-conditioners (ICS code(s): 23.120); Heat pumps (ICS code(s): 27.080)

Energy Conservation Program: Energy Conservation Standards for Air Cooled, Three-Phase, Small Commercial Air Conditioners and Heat Pumps With a Cooling Capacity of Less Than 65,000 Btu/h and Air-Cooled, Three-Phase, Variable Refrigerant Flow Air Conditioners and Heat Pumps With a Cooling Capacity of Less Than 65,000 Btu/h; (23 page(s), in English)

Notice of proposed rulemaking and request for comment -The Energy Policy and Conservation Act, as amended ("EPCA"), prescribes energy conservation standards for various consumer products and certain commercial and industrial equipment, including small, large, and very large commercial package air conditioning and heating equipment, of which air cooled, three-phase, small commercial air conditioners and heat pumps with a cooling capacity of less than 65,000 Btu/h and air-cooled, three-phase, variable refrigerant flow air conditioners and heat pumps with a cooling capacity of less than 65,000 Btu/h are categories. EPCA requires the U.S. Department of Energy ("DOE" or "the Department") to consider the need for amended standards each time the relevant industry standard is amended with respect to the standard levels or design requirements applicable to that equipment, or periodically under a six-year-lookback review provision. For the three-phase equipment that is the subject of this notice of proposed rulemaking ("NOPR"), DOE is proposing amended energy conservation standards that rely on new efficiency metrics and align with amended efficiency levels in the industry standard. DOE has preliminarily determined that it lacks clear and convincing evidence required by the statute to adopt standards more stringent than the levels specified in the industry standard. This NOPR also announces a webinar to receive comment on these proposed standards and associated analyses and results.

[G/TBT/N/ARG/435](#)
01/04/2022

Argentina

Etiquetado frontal de alimentos envasados

Decreto Reglamentario de la Ley N° 27.642 "Promoción de la Alimentación Saludable" (36 páginas, en Español); (36 página(s), en Español)

Detalla los requisitos para la declaración del rotulado nutricional frontal de alimentos envasados, con el fin de brindar información nutricional simple y comprensible para promover la toma de

decisiones asertivas y activas y resguardar los derechos de los consumidores; advertir a los consumidores sobre los excesos de componentes como azúcares, sodio, grasas saturadas, grasas totales y calorías, a partir de información clara, oportuna y veraz en atención a los artículos 4° y 5° de la Ley N° 24.240, de Defensa al Consumidor, y promover la prevención de la malnutrición en la población y la reducción de enfermedades crónicas no transmisibles. En Anexo II se presenta la normativa gráfica exigible, a saber: Mensajes: Sellos de Advertencias y Leyendas Precautorias; Características Gráficas de y Especificaciones Técnicas de los Sellos; Aplicación de los Sellos: Ubicación y Cálculo del Área; Rotulación con más de un sello. Determina que la autoridad de aplicación de la Ley 27.642 es el Ministerio de Salud.

G/TBT/N/MEX/508 01/04/2022	Mexico	<p><i>Productos reconstruidos, reacondicionados, de segunda línea, fuera de especificaciones, remanufacturados y usados o de segunda mano</i> PROYECTO de Norma Oficial Mexicana PROY-NOM-241-SE-2021, Etiquetado de productos reconstruidos, reacondicionados, de segunda línea, fuera de especificaciones, remanufacturados y usados o de segunda mano- Información comercial. (14 página(s), en Español)</p> <p>La presente Norma Oficial Mexicana, establece la información comercial que debe darse a conocer a los consumidores que adquieran productos reconstruidos, reacondicionados, de segunda línea, fuera de especificaciones, remanufacturados y usados o de segunda mano, importados y comercializados en los Estados Unidos Mexicanos. Quedan obligados a proporcionar la información comercial, a que se refiere esta Norma Oficial Mexicana, los fabricantes, reparadores, reconstructores, importadores, revendedores y cualquier otra persona dedicada a la importación y comercio que expenda al público en general los productos indicados en la presente Norma Oficial Mexicana. Quedan fuera del alcance de esta Norma Oficial Mexicana, los productos para los cuales exista una Norma Oficial Mexicana específica que regule estos aspectos relativos a la información comercial, en cuyo caso se estará en lo dispuesto en dichas normas. El cumplimiento de esta Norma Oficial Mexicana no exime de ninguna responsabilidad en cuanto a la observancia de lo dispuesto en otras Normas Oficiales Mexicanas correspondientes a los productos mencionados en el campo de aplicación.</p>	31/05/2022
G/TBT/N/PHL/284 01/04/2022	Philippines	<p><i>Fuels in general (ICS code(s): 75.160.01)</i> Draft Amendment no: 01 to SLS 1534: 2016: Specification for instant noodles; (5 page(s), in English)</p> <p>The Department Circular prescribes the adoption of the following guidelines to effectively implement to the PNS for Coconut Methyl Ester: 1. Only Coconut Methyl Ester conforming to the PNS/DOE QS 002:2021 shall be manufactured, sold, offered for sale, dispensed, or introduced into commerce in the Philippines. 2. It shall be the responsibility of the Accredited Biodiesel Producer to ensure that all coconut Methyl Ester deliveries are accompanied by a Certificate of Quality to be issued by same, indicating full PNS compliance of the delivered Coconut Methyl Ester</p>	14/05/2022
G/TBT/N/LKA/50 01/04/2022	Sri Lanka	<p><i>Pasta, whether or not cooked or stuffed with meat or other substances or otherwise prepared, such as spaghetti, macaroni, noodles, lasagne, gnocchi, ravioli, cannelloni; couscous, whether or not prepared (HS code(s): 1902)</i></p>	15/05/2022

Implementing the Philippine National Standard Specification of Biofuels –Coconut Methyl Ester (B100), PNS/DOE QS 002:2021; (3 page(s), in English)

Revised the limit of peroxide value and the method of determination of the peroxide value.

[G/TBT/N/UGA/1572](#) Uganda
01/04/2022

Wheat and meslin (excl. seed for sowing, and durum wheat) (HS code(s): 100199); Cereals, pulses and derived products (ICS code(s): 67.060) 31/05/2022

DUS ARS 465:2022, Wheat grains —Specification, First Edition; (24 page(s), in English)

This Draft Uganda Standard specifies the requirements and methods of sampling and test for wheat grains of varieties (cultivars) grown from common wheat (*Triticum aestivum* L.), club wheat (*T. compactum* Host.) and *Triticum tauschii* (soft wheat) intended for human consumption. Durum wheat (*Triticum durum*) is excluded from this standard.