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G/TBT/N/CHN/1828 25/03/2024	China	steel wire ropes for lifts (HS code(s): 731210); (ICS code(s): 77.140.65)  National Standard of the P.R.C., Steel wire ropes for lifts  The document specifies the requirements for the manufacture and testing of carbon steel wire ropes for lifts made from bright or galvanized wire with various constructions from 6 mm to 38 mm diameter. The document applies to ropes used for suspension duty on traction drive and roped hydraulic lifts, and for compensation and governor duties on passenger lifts, freight lifts, service lifts, and man lifts moving between guides.	24/05/2024
G/TBT/N/CHN/1829 25/03/2024	China	steel wire ropes for ropeway (HS code(s): 731210); (ICS code(s): 77.140.65)  National Standard of the P.R.C., Steel wire ropes for ropeway  The document specifies the classification, ordering information, material for ropes, technical requirements, inspection and test methods, acceptance, use and maintenance, packaging, marking, and quality certificate for steel wire ropes for ropeway. The document applies to round strand ropes, shaped strand ropes, compacted strand ropes and locked coil wire ropes used for towing, tramway, passenger and freight ropeway.	24/05/2024
G/TBT/N/CHN/1830 25/03/2024	China	steel wire ropes for mine hoisting (HS code(s): 731210); (ICS code(s): 77.140.65)  National Standard of the P.R.C., Steel wire ropes for mine hoisting	24/05/2024

The document specifies the classification and designation, ordering information, material, technical requirements, inspection and test methods, qualification judgment, acceptance and arbitration, packaging, marking and quality certificate, safety, and use and maintenance for steel wire ropes for mine hoisting. The document applies to round strand ropes, shaped strand ropes and compacted strand ropes used for hoisting and matching in coal, metal or non-metal mine.

<u>G/TBT/N/CHN/1831</u> China 25/03/2024

hot rolled plain bars for the reinforcement of concrete (HS 24/05/2024 code(s): 721499); (ICS code(s): 77.140.15)

National standard of the PRC, "Steel for the reinforcement of concrete—Part 1:Hot rolled plain bars"

This document specifies the terms and definitions, grade, size, shape, weight and allowable deviation, technical requirements, test methods, inspection rules, packaging, marking, and quality certificates of hot rolled plain bars for the reinforcement of concrete. This document applies to hot rolled and fine grain ribbed bars for the reinforcement of concrete

<u>G/TBT/N/CHN/1832</u> China 25/03/2024

Hot rolled ribbed bars for the reinforcement of concrete 24/05/2024 (HS code(s): 721420); (ICS code(s): 77.140.15)

National standard of the PRC, "Steel for the reinforcement of concrete — Part 2:Hot rolled ribbed bars"

The document specifies the terms and definitions, classification, grade, size, shape, weight and allowable deviation, technical requirements, test methods, inspection rules, packaging, marking, and quality certificates of hotrolled ribbed steel bars for reinforced concrete. The document applies to hot rolled and fine grain ribbed bars for the reinforcement of concrete. The document does not apply to regenerated and heat-treated bars rolled from finished steel.

<u>G/TBT/N/CHN/1833</u> China 25/03/2024

cold rolled ribbed steel bars (HS code(s): 721550); (ICS 24/05/2024 code(s): 77.140.15)

### National standard of the PRC., Cold rolled ribbed steel bars

The document specifies the terms and definitions, classification, grade, size, shape, weight and allowable deviation, technical requirements, test methods, inspection rules, packaging, marking, and quality certificates of cold rolled ribbed steel bars.

The document applies to cold rolled ribbed steel bars for ordinary reinforced concrete, manufacturing welded mesh, and prestressed concrete.

<u>G/TBT/N/CHN/1834</u> China 25/03/2024

equipment for explosive atmospheres (HS code(s): 8543); 24/05/2024 (ICS code(s): 29.260.20)

# National Standard of the P.R.C., Explosive atmospheres —Part 15: Specification of electrical installations design, selection and erection

The document specifies the specific requirements for the design, selection, erection and initial inspection of electrical installations in, or associated with, explosive atmospheres.

The document applies to all electrical equipment including fixed, portable, transportable and personal electrical equipment installed permanently or temporarily.

G/TBT/N/CHN/1835 China 25/03/2024

equipment for explosive atmospheres (HS code(s): 8543); 24/05/2024  $(ICS\ code(s):\ 29.060.20)$ 

#### National Standard of the P.R.C., Explosive atmospheres -Part 16: Specification of electrical installations inspection and maintenance

The document specifies the general requirements for electrical installations inspection and maintenance in hazardous area caused by explosive atmospheres. The document applies to where there can be a risk due to the presence of explosive gas or dust mixtures with air or combustible dust layers under normal atmospheric conditions.

G/TBT/N/CHN/1836 China 25/03/2024

lithium ion cells and batteries used in electrical self- 24/05/2024 balancing vehicles and scooters (HS code(s): 85); (ICS code(s): 29.220.99)

#### National Standard of the P.R.C., Lithium ion cells and batteries used in electrical self-balancing vehicles and scooters —Safety technical specification

The document specifies safety requirements and test methods for lithium ion cells and batteries used in electrical self-balancing vehicles and scooters. The document applies to lithium ion cells and battery used in electrical selfbalancing vehicles, scooters and similar products.

G/TBT/N/CHN/1837 China 25/03/2024

Single phase plugs and socket-outlets for household and 24/05/2024 similar purposes (HS code(s): 853669); (ICS code(s): 29.120.30)

National Standard of the P.R.C., Single phase plugs and socket-outlets for household and similar purposes-Types, basic parameters and dimensions

The document specifies the types, the basic parameters and dimensions, and the test methods of single phase plugs and socket-outlets for household and similar purposes. The document applies to single phase plugs and socket-outlets for a.c.50Hz, with a rated voltage of 250V and a rated current not exceeding 32A, intended for household and similar domestic environments.

G/TBT/N/CHN/1838 China 25/03/2024

cord extension sets (HS code(s): 853669); (ICS code(s): 24/05/2024 29.120.30)

#### National Standard of the P.R.C., Cord extension sets for household and similar purposes — Safety technical specifications

The document specifies the classification, main technical parameters, safety requirements, test methods, inspection rules, and markings, etc. for cord extension sets. The document applies to cord extension sets, rewirable and non rewirable, with or without earthing contact, rated voltage not exceeding 250V and a rated current not exceeding 16Awhich are intended for household and similar purposes, either indoors or outdoors.

G/TBT/N/CHN/1839 China 25/03/2024

electric self-balancing vehicles (HS code(s): 871160); (ICS 24/05/2024 code(s): 25.040.30)

## National Standard of the P.R.C., Safety technical specification for electric self-balancing vehicles

The document specifies the safety requirements of electrical self-balancing vehicles and describes the related test methods. The document applies to the design, production, and sales of electric self-balancing vehicles powered by rechargeable batteries.

<u>G/TBT/N/ISR/1330</u> Israel 25/03/2024

Cosmetics (HS code(s): 33; 34); (ICS code(s): 71.100.70)

Pharmacists Ordinance (Amendment no. \_) 5741-1981

Israel's Ministry of Health announced a new draft amendment to the Pharmacists Ordinance [New Version] 5741-1981. This proposed amendment aims to reduce trade barriers by coordinating the Israeli import regime with The European Regulation (EC) No 1223/2009 on Cosmetic Products regarding prohibited substances in cosmetics, restricted substances, dyes, sunscreens and preservatives. and includes the following significant changes: Adopts of EU regulations to apply in Israel; Allows adequate cosmetics importers to import from EU member countries, UK or Switzerland, even if they do not have access to the cosmetic product information file or to its safety

<u>G/TBT/N/ISR/1331</u> Israel 25/03/2024

Electrical appliances in general (HS code(s): 84; 85)

#### Energy Sources Law (Amendment) 5784-2024

assessment.

The proposed law amendment aims to reduce the cost of living by decreasing regulations on importing electrical products. It adds a parallel import approval route that allows manufacturers and importers to submit proof that the product is included in an official European register instead of DoC. If this device is not required to be listed in a registry, then a proof that it is marketed in Europe will be required.

<u>G/TBT/N/ISR/1332</u> Israel 25/03/2024

Food products in general (ICS code(s): 67)

Protection of Public Health Law (Food) (Amendment No. 5 and Temporary Provisions) (Expanding the Adoption of European law and its streamlining, and removing barriers to importing food through the European compliance route), 5784-2024

The Ministry of Health publishes a draft amendment to the Protection of Public Health Law (Food) (Amendment No. 5 and Temporary Provisions) (Expanding the Adoption of European law and its streamlining and removing barriers to importing food through the European compliance route), 5784-2024. This amendment promotes and extends the food reform implemented in 2021, which aims to reduce the cost of living and is based on the European model. The major changes introduced in this amendment are as follows:Simplifies and streamlines the procedures for updating changes in European law and delegates the updating authority to the Food Service Director; Adopts an additional 20 European food regulations, including food labeling, food additives, and substances that come into contact with food and creates harmonization and compatibility between Israeli and European food safety legislation; Promotes significant ease to the importation of food marketed in the EU for Authorized Economic Operator AEO ("Appropriate Importer"); Extends the

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obligation to manage a self-safety system to all food distributors. This requirement is necessary to regulate food labeling similar to that in Europe, especially for labeling foods that cause allergy or intolerance.

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<u>G/TBT/N/GBR/78</u> 25/03/2024	United Kingdom	Hazardous substances. Products of the chemical industry (ICS code(s): 71.100)  Proposed Great Britain (GB) mandatory classification and labelling of 48 hazardous chemical substances  The purpose of this proposal is to amend the GB mandatory classification and labelling list (the GB MCL list),	24/05/2024

following review, by introducing new and revised entries for the mandatory classification and labelling of 48 hazardous chemical substances.

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G/TBT/N/ISR/1333 26/03/2024	Israel	Electrodes for arc welding (HS: 8311) (ICS: 25.160.20)  SI 1338 - Covered electrodes and low-alloy steel electrodes for arc welding  The existing Mandatory Standard SI 1338 shall be declared voluntary. The standard deals with electrodes for arc welding, a professional industry product used by professionals. The standard's requirements do not ensure welding quality, welder safety, or workplace safety and, therefore, do not coincide with the mandatory standardization goals. This declaration aims to remove unnecessary trade obstacles and lower trade barriers.	25/05/2024
G/TBT/N/ISR/1334 26/03/2024	Israel	Electrodes for arc welding (HS: 8311) (ICS: 25.160.20) SI 1339 - Covered electrodes for welding of stainless and heat-resisting steels The existing Mandatory Standard SI 1339 shall be declared voluntary. The standard deals with electrodes for arc welding a professional industry product used by	25/05/2024

welding, a professional industry product used by professionals. The standard's requirements do not ensure welding quality, welder safety, or workplace safety and, therefore, do not coincide with the mandatory standardization goals. This declaration aims to remove unnecessary trade obstacles and lower trade barriers.

<u>G/TBT/N/ISR/1335</u> Israel 26/03/2024

Electrodes for arc welding (HS: 8311) (ICS: 25.160.20)
SI 1340 - Covered electrodes for electric metal arc welding of non-alloy steels

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The existing Mandatory Standard SI 1340 shall be declared voluntary. The standard deals with electrodes for arc welding, a professional industry product used by professionals. The standard's requirements do not ensure welding quality, welder safety, or workplace safety and, therefore, do not coincide with the mandatory standardization goals. This declaration aims to remove unnecessary trade obstacles and lower trade barriers.

<u>G/TBT/N/ISR/1336</u> Israel 26/03/2024

Electrodes for arc welding (HS: 8311) (ICS: 25.160.20)
SI 2560 - Welding consumables — Covered electrodes for manual metal arc welding of non-alloy and fine

grain steels — Classification
The existing Mandatory Standard SI 2560 shall be declared voluntary. The standard deals with electrodes for arc welding, a professional industry product used by professionals. The standard's requirements do not ensure welding quality, welder safety, or workplace safety and, therefore, do not coincide with the mandatory

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<u>G/TBT/N/ISR/1337</u> Israel 26/03/2024

Electrodes for arc welding (HS: 8311) (ICS: 25.160.20) 25/05/2024 SI 3580 - Welding consumables — Covered electrodes for manual metal arc welding of creep-resisting steels —

Classification
The existing Mandatory Standard SI 3580 shall be declared voluntary. The standard deals with electrodes for arc welding, a professional industry product used by professionals. The standard's requirements do not ensure welding quality, welder safety, or workplace safety and,

therefore, do not coincide with the mandatory standardization goals. This declaration aims to remove unnecessary trade obstacles and lower trade barriers.

<u>G/TBT/N/ISR/1338</u> Israel 26/03/2024

Electrodes for arc welding (HS: 8311) (ICS: 25.160.20)

SI 3581 - Welding consumables — Covered electrodes for manual metal arc welding of stainless and heat-resisting steels — Classification

The existing Mandatory Standard SI 3581 shall be declared voluntary. The standard deals with electrodes for arc welding, a professional industry product used by professionals. The standard's requirements do not ensure welding quality, welder safety, or workplace safety and, therefore, do not coincide with the mandatory standardization goals. This declaration aims to remove unnecessary trade obstacles and lower trade barriers.

<u>G/TBT/N/ISR/1339</u> Israel 26/03/2024

Electrodes for arc welding (HS: 8311) (ICS: 25.160.20) 25/05/2024 SI 18275 - Welding consumables - Covered electrodes

SI 18275 - Welding consumables — Covered electrodes for manual metal arc welding of high-strength steels — Classification

The existing Mandatory Standard SI 18275 shall be declared voluntary. The standard deals with electrodes for arc welding, a professional industry product used by professionals. The standard's requirements do not ensure welding quality, welder safety, or workplace safety and, therefore, do not coincide with the mandatory standardization goals. This declaration aims to remove unnecessary trade obstacles and lower trade barriers.

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G/TBT/N/BDI/460, G/TBT/N/KEN/1595, G/TBT/N/RWA/1007, G/TBT/N/TZA/1114, G/TBT/N/UGA/1918 26/03/2024	Kenya	Paint and colour industries (ICS code(s): 87) <b>DEAS 851: 2023 Matt emulsion paint for interior and exterior use</b> — <b>Specification</b> This Draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for matt emulsion paint for interior and exterior use.	25/05/2024
<u>G/TBT/N/KOR/1202</u> 26/03/2024	Korea, Republic of	Consumer Chemical Products subject to Safety Verification These products are designated and publicly notified by the Minister of Environment as deemed to be risky from a risk assessment conducted in accordance with the Consumer Chemical Products and Bio "Designation of Consumer Chemical Products subject to Safety Verification, and Safety and Labeling Standards Thereof" o Major Contents: - Establishment of Committee judging consumer chemical products confused as food - Indication of changes in product weight and capacity, etc.	25/05/2024
G/TBT/N/MDA/56 26/03/2024	Moldova, Republic of	GLASS AND GLASSWARE (HS code(s): 70)  The Government Decision No.718/2023 for the approval of the Technical Regulation relating to crystal glass  The Government Decision No. 718/2023 for the approval of the Technical Regulation lays down the rules on making available on the market crystal glass, composition, characteristics of manufacture and labelling of the crystal categories. The Annex 2 establishes the methods for determining the chemical and physical properties of categories of crystal glass.	
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G/TBT/N/BDI/460, G/TBT/N/KEN/1595, G/TBT/N/RWA/1007, G/TBT/N/TZA/1114, G/TBT/N/UGA/1918 26/03/2024	Tanzania	Paint and colour industries (ICS code(s): 87)  DEAS 851: 2023 Matt emulsion paint for interior and exterior use — Specification  This Draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for matt emulsion paint for interior and exterior use.	25/05/2024
G/TBT/N/BDI/459, G/TBT/N/KEN/1594, G/TBT/N/RWA/1006, G/TBT/N/TZA/1113, G/TBT/N/UGA/1917 26/03/2024	Uganda	Paints and varnishes (ICS code(s): 87.040) <b>DEAS 849: 2023 Silk (sheen) emulsion paint for interior use</b> — <b>Specification</b> This Draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for silk (sheen) emulsion paint for interior use.	25/05/2024
G/TBT/N/BDI/460, G/TBT/N/KEN/1595, G/TBT/N/RWA/1007, G/TBT/N/TZA/1114, G/TBT/N/UGA/1918 26/03/2024	Uganda	Paint and colour industries (ICS code(s): 87) <b>DEAS 851: 2023 Matt emulsion paint for interior and exterior use</b> — <b>Specification</b> This Draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for matt emulsion paint for interior and exterior use.	25/05/2024
<u>G/TBT/N/BRA/1528</u> 27/03/2024	Brazil	Medicaments consisting of two or more constituents mixed together for therapeutic or prophylactic uses, not in measured doses or put up for retail sale (excl. goods of heading 3002, 3005 or 3006) (HS code(s): 3003); Medicaments consisting of mixed or unmi  Draft resolution 1245, 20 March 2024  This Draft Resolution contains provisions on the validation of bioanalytical methods and analysis of study samples for regulatory submissions of industrialized medicines for human use. The bioanalytical method used to quantify the drug in matrix biological must be described in detail, and Guide no XX, of XX 2024, which deals with the validation of bioanalytical methods and sample analysis study (ICH M10 - Bioanalytical method validation and study sample analysis /ICH M10 - validation of bioanalytical methods and analysis of study samples), and its updates.	15/05/2024
<u>G/TBT/N/BRA/1529</u> 27/03/2024	Brazil	Food technology (ICS code(s): 67) <b>Draft resolution 1244, 20 March 2024</b> This Draft Resolution establishes the positive list of additives intended forproduction of plastic materials and coatings polymers in contact with food.	27/05/2024
G/TBT/N/BRA/1530 27/03/2024	Brazil	Food technology (ICS code(s): 67) <b>Draft resolution 1243, 20 March 2024</b> This Draft Resolution establishes composition and quality requirements, content and nutritional claims and list of authorized constituents for infant formulas, transitional foods and cereal-based foods for infants and young children, formulas for enteral nutrition and diet therapy	26/06/2024

formulas for inborn errors of metabolism. This regulation will be also notified to the SPS Committee

G/TBT/N/BRA/1531

Brazil Food technology (ICS code(s): 67) 13/05/2024

27/03/2024

#### Draft resolution 1241, 20 March 2024

This Draft Resolution contains provisions on changes the positive list of monomers, otherstarting substances and polymers authorized for the development of plastic packaging and equipment in contact with food.

G/TBT/N/BRA/1532

Food technology (ICS code(s): 67)

26/06/2024

#### Brazil 27/03/2024

#### Draft resolution 1242, 20 March 2024

This Draft Resolution contains provisions on sanitary requirements for infant formulas for infants and young children, transitional foods and cereal-based foods for infants and young children, formulas for enteral nutrition and diet therapy formulas for inborn errors of metabolism. This regulation will be also notified to the SPS Committee.

G/TBT/N/MDA/55 27/03/2024

Moldova,

SILK (HS code(s): 50); WOOL, FINE OR COARSE Republic of ANIMAL HAIR; HORSEHAIR YARN AND WOVEN FABRIC (HS code(s): 51); COTTON (HS code(s): 52); OTHER VEGETABLE TEXTILE FIBRES; PAPER YARN AND WOVEN FABRICS OF PAPER YARN (HS code(s): 53); MAN-MADE FILAMENTS; STRIP AND

> The Government Decision No. 11/2024 for the approval of the Technical Regulation on textile fibre names and related labelling and marking of the fibre composition of textile products

> The Technical Regulation lays down rules on the use of textile fibre names and appropriate labelling and marking of the fibre composition of textile products, in order to improve the functioning of the internal market and to provide accurate information to consumers.

G/TBT/N/MDA/57 27/03/2024

Moldova. Republic of

FOOTWEAR, GAITERS AND THE LIKE; PARTS OF SUCH ARTICLES (HS code(s): 64)

The Government Decision No 856/2023 for the approval of the Technical Regulation relating to labelling of the materials used in the main components of footwear for sale to the consumer

The Government Decision for the approval of the Technical Regulation lays down rules to the labelling of the materials used in the main components of footwear for sale to the consumer, information on the composition of footwear shall be conveyed by means of labelling. The labelling shall convey information relating to the three parts of the footwear, namely: the upper; the lining and sock; and the outersole. The composition of the footwear shall be indicated on the basis either of pictograms or of written indications for specific materials.

G/TBT/N/USA/2107 27/03/2024

United States of America

Certain existing chemicals; Environmental protection (ICS 28/05/2024 code(s): 13.020); Protection against dangerous goods (ICS

code(s): 13.300); Production in the chemical industry (ICS code(s): 71.020); Products of the chemical industry (ICS code(s): 71.100)

Certain Existing Chemicals; Request To Submit **Unpublished Health** 

#### and Safety Data Under the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA)

Proposed rule - The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA or the Agency) is proposing to require manufacturers (including importers) of 16 chemical substances to submit copies and lists of certain unpublished health and safety studies to EPA. Health and safety studies sought by this action will help inform EPA's responsibilities pursuant to Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA), including prioritization, risk evaluation, and risk management. The chemical substances being added by this proposed rule are:4,4-Methylene bis(2-chloraniline) (CASRN 101-14-4-tert-octylphenol(4-(1,1,3,3-Tetramethylbutyl)phenol) (CASRN140-66-9); Acetaldehyde (CASRN75-07-0); Acrylonitrile (CASRN 107-13-1); Benzenamine (CASRN 62-53-3); Benzene (CASRN 71-43-2); Bisphenol A (CASRN 80-05-7); Ethylbenzene (CASRN 100-41-4); Naphthalene (CASRN 91-20-3); Vinyl Chloride (CASRN 75–01–4); Styrene (CASRN 100–42–5); Tribomomethane (Bromoform) (CASRN 75–25–2); Triglycidyl isocyanurate; (CASRN 2451–62–9); Hydrogen fluoride (CARN 7664-39-3); N-(1,3-Dimethylbutyl)-N'phenyl-p-phenylenediamine (6PPD) (CASRN 793-24-8); and 2-anilino-5-[(4-methylpentan-2-yl) amino]cyclohexa-2,5-diene-1,4-dione (6PPD-quinone) (CASRN 2754428-18-5).

G/TBT/N/USA/2108 27/03/2024

United States America

Electrical stimulation devices intended for self-injurious 28/05/2024 behavior; Medical equipment (ICS code(s): 11.040);

Domestic safety (ICS code(s): 13.120)

Banned Devices; Proposal To Ban Electrical **Stimulation Devices** 

#### for Self-Injurious or Aggressive Behavior

Proposed rule - The Food and Drug Administration (FDA, the Agency, or we) is proposing to ban electrical stimulation devices (ESDs) intended for self-injurious behavior (SIB) or aggressive behavior (AB). FDA has determined these devices present an unreasonable and substantial risk of illness or injury that cannot be corrected or eliminated by labeling. This proposal follows a court decision vacating a prior ban and amendment to the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act clarifying our authority to ban a device for one or more intended uses. This action, if finalized, will mean ESDs for SIB and AB are adulterated and not legally marketed.

G/TBT/N/BHR/692 28/03/2024

Bahrain, Kingdom of

ICS: 97.130.20, 97.040.30, 27.200, 27.015, 91.120.10

#### Refrigerators, Refrigerator- Freezers and Freezers-Energy Performance, **Testing** and Labeling Requirements

A draft technical regulation that specifies the Minimum Energy Performance Standard (MEPS) and testing requirements of refrigerators, refrigerator-freezers and freezers and applies to:

- (a) Household Refrigerators, refrigerator-freezers, and freezers that are electrically operated
- (b) Household Refrigerators and refrigerator-freezers with a total capacity up to 1500 liters (53 ft3)
- (c) Household Freezers with a capacity up to 850 liters (30 ft3)

27/05/2024

G/TBT/N/JPN/801 28/03/2024 Japan

Fire alarm equipment detector

27/05/2024

#### Partial revision of the ministerial ordinance establishing technical standards for detectors and transmitters of fire alarm equipment

The functions of detectors in fire alarm equipment will be newly established in response to amendments to the ministerial ordinances regarding equipment used for firefighting that has the required fire safety performance in specified small-scale facilities.

<u>G/TBT/N/THA/729</u> 28/03/2024 Thailand

Escalators and moving walks (ICS 91.140.90)

27/05/2024

## Draft Ministerial Regulation Prescribing Industrial Products for Escalators and Moving Walks to Conform to the Standard B.E....

The draft Ministerial Regulation mandates escalators and moving walks to conform to the Thai Industrial Standard TIS 3778 Part 1-25XX (20XX) Safety Requirement for Escalators and Moving Walks Part 1: Global Essential Safety Requirements (GESR). This standard specifies Global Essential Safety Requirements (GESR) for escalators and moving walks, their components and functions, and establishes a system and provides methods for minimizing safety risks that might arise in the course of the operation and use of, or work on, escalators and moving walks. This standard applies to escalators and moving walks that are intended to carry persons. This standard does not cover all needs of users with disabilities, and risks arising from work on escalators and moving walks under construction and during alterations and dismantling. vandalism, and fire in the environment outside the Load Carrying Unit (LCU).

<u>G/TBT/N/UKR/290</u> Ukraine 28/03/2024

cotton seeds

27/05/2024

#### draft Law of Ukraine "On Amendments to Certain Laws of Ukraine on the Circulation of Cotton Varieties in Ukraine"

The draft Law provides for simplification of the procedures for import and placing into circulation of cotton varieties in Ukraine during the period of martial law and three years following its termination or cancellation. The draft Law proposes amendments to Section VI "Final Provisions" of the Law of Ukraine "On the State Biosafety System in the Creation, Testing, Transportation and Use of Genetically Modified Organisms", according to which temporarily, for the period of martial law in Ukraine and within 36 months after its termination or cancellation, there will be no requirement for state registration of GMOs and obtaining permits as stipulated by this Law for import, research, state approbation (testing), industrial production, and placing into circulation of genetically modified cotton as well as products manufactured with its use. The draft Law also amends Section IX "Final Provisions" of the Law of Ukraine "On Seeds and Planting Material" with a provision, according to which, for the period of martial law in Ukraine and for 36 months after its termination or cancellation, placing into circulation of cotton seeds varieties and their use is allowed without certification of seed material. The draft Law is also notified under the SPS Agreement.