

G/TBT/N/*	SDD	MIEMBRO/PRODUCTO
G/TBT/N/CAN/157	28/04/06	Canada - Radiocommunications Equipment
G/TBT/N/CAN/158	28/04/06	Canada - Orange juice
G/TBT/N/CHE/65	28/04/06	Switzerland - Allergen products
G/TBT/N/COL/70/Add.1	28/04/06	Colombia - Panela – Addendum La República de Colombia comunica con relación al proyecto de Resolución del Ministerio de la Protección Social, "Por la cual se establece el reglamento técnico sobre los requisitos sanitarios que se deben cumplir en la producción y comercialización de la panela para consumo humano y se dictan otras disposiciones" notificado el 5 de septiembre de 2005 por la Organización Mundial del Comercio mediante el documento identificado con la signatura G/TBT/N/COL/70, que éste ha sido expedido mediante la Resolución N° 00779 del Ministerio de la Protección Social, el 17 de marzo de 2006.
G/TBT/N/THA/193	28/04/06	Thailand - Fuses and other overcurrent protection devices The Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI) has proposed to enforce TIS 909-2548(2005) Residual current operated circuit-breakers with integral overcurrent protection for household and similar uses (RCBOs) as a mandatory standard. This standard applies to residual current operated circuit-breakers with integral overcurrent protection functionally independent of, or functionally dependent on, line voltages for household and similar uses (hereafter referred to as (RCBOs), for rated voltage not exceeding 440 V a.c., rated currents not exceeding 125 A and rated short-circuit capacities not exceeding 25000 A for operation at 50 Hz.
G/TBT/N/THA/194	28/04/06	Thailand - Laundry appliances The Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI) has proposed to withdraw TIS 1463-2540 (1997) Washing Machines: Safety Requirements which is a mandatory standard and replace it with TIS 1462-2548 (2005) Clothes washing machines household use. The Standard covers safety requirements for washing machines for household and similar purposes, with rated voltage not exceeding 250 V for single-phase a.c. supply, and rated voltage not exceeding 480 V for three-phase, with or without heating devices and for cold and/ or hot water supply. It also deals with appliances for water extraction by centrifugal force and is applicable to appliances for both washing and drying textile, and includes washing machines not intended for normal household use but which nevertheless may be a source of danger to the public, such as washing machines intended to be used by laymen in the shops, for communal use in blocks or flats or in laundrettes. Does not apply to: washing machines designed exclusively for industrial purposes; washing machines intended to be used in locations where special conditions prevail, such as the presence of a corrosive or explosive atmosphere (dust, vapour or gas).
G/TBT/N/THA/195	28/04/06	Thailand - Cooking ranges, working tables, ovens and similar appliances The Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI) has proposed to enforce TIS 1773-2548 (2005) as a mandatory standards. The standard covers safety requirements for microwave oven with rated voltage not exceeding 250 V. This standard also applies to combination microwave oven. 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, in general, it does not take into account: - the use of appliances by young children or infirm persons without supervision; - playing with the appliances by young children. This standard does not apply to: - appliances intended for commercial catering; - appliances intended to be used in locations where special conditions prevail, such as the presence of a corrosive or explosive atmosphere (dust, vapour or gas); - heating equipment intended to be used in industrial microwave; appliances intended to be used in medical equipment.
G/TBT/N/THA/196	28/04/06	Thailand - Fibres and cables The Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI) has proposed to enforce TIS 2165-2548 (2005) Optical fibre cables – Part 3-10: Outdoor cables-family specification for duct and directly buried optical telecommunication cables as a mandatory standard. This standard covers optical fibre cables intended to be used in telecommunication for duct and directly buried optical telecommunication cables and prescribes symbols and specification for optical telecommunication cables.

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G/TBT/N/THA/197	28/04/06	Thailand - Fibres and cables The Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI) has proposed to enforce TIS 2166-2548 (2005) Outdoor cables-family specification for optical self-supporting aerial telecommunication cables as a mandatory standard. This standard covers optical fibre cables intended to be used in telecommunication: self – supporting aerial telecommunication cables and prescribes symbols and specification for optical telecommunication cables.
G/TBT/N/THA/198	28/04/06	Thailand - Alkaline secondary cells and batteries The Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI) has proposed to enforce TIS 2217-2548 (2005) Secondary cells and batteries containing alkaline or other non-acid electrolytes-safety requirements for portable sealed secondary cells, and for batteries made from them, for use in portable applications as a mandatory standard. This standard specifies type approval, tests and requirements, safety device operation, marking and packaging for portable sealed secondary cells and batteries containing alkaline or other non-acid electrolytes.
G/TBT/N/THA/199	28/04/06	Thailand - Steel bars and rods The Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI) has proposed to enforce TIS 349-2548 (2005) as a mandatory standard. The standard covers high carbon steel wire rods to be used for the manufacture of hard drawn steel wires, oil tempered steel wires, hard drawn steel wires for pre-stressed concrete, galvanized steel wire strands, wire ropes, etc. This standard does not cover wire rods for making piano wires. Classifies the product by chemical composition into 21 symbols as SWRH 27, SWRH 32, SWRH 37, SWRH 42A, SWRH 42B, SWRH 47A, SWRH 47B, SWRH 52A, SWRH 52B, SWRH 57A, SWRH 57B, SWRH 62A, SWRH 62B, SWRH 67A, SWRH 67B, SWRH 72A, SWRH 72B, SWRH 77A, SWRH 77B, SWRH 82A and SWRH 82B. Specifies tolerances on diameters, chemical composition of each symbol, and appearance (e.g. freedom from fracture, crack, pits and other defects harmful to use, surface rusting is acceptable); includes marking and labelling, sampling and criteria for conformity, testing.
G/TBT/N/THA/200	28/04/06	Thailand - Textile fabrics The Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI) has proposed to enforce TIS 2231-2548 (2005) as a mandatory standard. The ministerial notification specifies quality of fabrics, including woven, knitted or crocheted fabrics and non-woven made from whole natural fibres, man-made fibres and combined fibres, and safety from harmful dyestuffs and chemical substances, i.e. aromatic amines derived from azo colourants, formaldehyde content, heavy metal particle, acidity-alkalinity and colour fastness; includes packaging, marking, and labelling, sampling and criteria for conformity. The main amendment is the ministerial notification does not cover community woven which is woven by loom.
G/TBT/N/THA/201	28/04/06	Thailand - Dental materials Whereas there is a lot of evidence that “Fashion orthodontic wires” which made of stainless steel wires with colour beads and plastic sheet attached to the orthodontic wire are widely sold in the market. Such products contain the contaminant from heavy metal e.g. lead, antimony and selenium etc., and lack of tightly clamp, which may be harmful to oral health and may be harmful to consumer as a result of slip into the throat. Therefore the Consumer Protection Board have the order as follows: - Fashion orthodontic wire is temporally prohibited for sale in Thailand until this order will be repealed by the Consumer Protection Board; and Any person who wants to sell, produce, order or import into Thailand shall contact to the Office of the Consumer Protection Board, in order to test or prove that product may not be harmful to consumer.
G/TBT/N/ARG/151/Add.9	24/04/06	Argentina - Bicicletas – Addendum
G/TBT/N/JPN/168	24/04/06	Japan - Fire-Extinguishers
G/TBT/N/LCA/43	24/04/06	Saint Lucia – Plywood Specification for the Labelling of Plywood. This National Standard specifies the minimum requirements for the labelling of plywood panels. It applies to plywood sold for general use in Saint Lucia. This standard is not applicable to speciality plywood panels such as: a) paper overlaid plywood; b) door skin plywood; and c) firm-faced plywood.
G/TBT/N/LCA/44	24/04/06	Saint Lucia – Furniture Labelling of Commodities: Labelling of Furniture. This standard describes the labelling requirements for furniture when offered for sale in Saint Lucia, whether locally manufactured or imported.

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G/TBT/N/LCA/45	24/04/06	<p>Saint Lucia - Plugs and socket outletsns</p> <p>DLNS IEC 884-1: Plugs and Socket Outlets for Household and Similar Purposes - Part 1: General Requirements: This standard applies to plugs and fixed or portable socket outlets for a.c only with and without earthing contact, with a rated voltage above 50V but not exceeding 440 V and a rated current not exceeding 32 A, intended for household and similar purposes, either indoors and outdoors. It does not apply to plugs, socket outlets and couplers for industrial purposes; appliance couplers; plugs fixed and portable socket outlets for ELV; fixed socket outlets combined with fuses, automatic switches etc.</p> <p>DLNS IEC 884-2-1: Plugs and Socket Outlets for Household and Similar Purposes - Part 2: Particular Requirements for fused plugs: Clauses of Part 1 of this standard are applicable when they contain requirements concerning plugs. This clause of Part 1 is applicable except as follows:</p> <p>Addition: The standard applies where fuses are primarily intended to protect the flexible cable or cord (e.g. with ring circuits). The fuses are not intended to protect appliances or parts of them against overload.</p> <p>DLNS IEC 884-2-5: Plugs and Socket Outlets for Household and Similar Purposes - Part 2: Particular Requirements for adaptors: This standard applies to shuttered and non shuttered, fused and non fused adaptors for a.c. only. Fuses of fused adaptors are not intended to protect appliance or parts of them against overload.</p>
G/TBT/N/NZL/26	24/04/06	<p>New Zealand - Electric motors; air conditioners</p> <p>The proposed regulations specify increased stringency of minimum energy performance standards (MEPS) for three phase electric motors and single phase non-ducted air conditioners, to come into effect in New Zealand from 6 June 2006. All three phase electric motors and single phase non-ducted air conditioners, within the scope of the appropriate Standard, manufactured in or imported into New Zealand on or after that date must meet the MEPS requirements set out in the Standard.</p>
G/TBT/N/THA/192	24/04/06	<p>Thailand - Tobacco, tobacco products</p> <p>A modification of the Ministerial Regulation B.E. 2540 (1997) Issued under the Tobacco Product Control Act B.E. 2535(1992). This ministerial regulation prescribes that the manufacturer or importer of such tobacco products as cigarettes and cigars of each brand shall have the duty to notify the composition as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Emission products per one cigarette by stating the quantity of tar, nicotine, carbonmonoxide, hydrogencyanide, nitrosamine and formaldehyde in milligram; - Additives per one cigarette by stating the quantity of each substance in milligram, common designation, chemical designation and registered number which is specified by the Chemical Abstracts Service of the American Chemical Society. In cases where such additives have no common designation, the Standard Latin Nomenclature shall be used.
G/TBT/N/USA/186	24/04/06	United States - Mono- and bis-phosphates
G/TBT/N/CHN/191	19/04/06	<p>The People's Republic of China - Copper concentrate</p> <p>The content limits of harmful elements of import copper concentrate are set out as follows: Arsenic (As) not exceed 0.50%, Lead (Pb) not exceed 6.0%, Fluorin (F) not exceed 0.10%, Cadmium (Cd) not exceed 0.05%, Mercury (Hg) not exceed 0.01%. For the copper concentrate of which the trade contract has been signed and which has departed for export to the People's Republic of China prior to the date of entry into force of this Announcement, the evidence documents for the departing date shall be provided by the relevant trade personnel.</p>
G/TBT/N/NIC/68	13/04/06	Nicaragua - Nuevas variedades vegetales
G/TBT/N/CHE/63	12/04/06	<p>Switzerland - Recreational craft</p> <p>Modification of the regulations on internal navigation on the Swiss waters, especially introduction of parts of the European Community directive 2003/44/EC of 16 June 2003 amending directive 94/25/EC for recreational crafts and modification of various other technical regulations. The implementation of the EC directive will influence the procedure of registration of recreational crafts for navigation on Swiss waters. In order to register a recreational craft in Switzerland, the craft must comply with the essential requirements of the EC directive. However the limits for the sound pressure level of the directive are adopted only for engines up to 40 kW (single engine power). Engines/boats powered with more than 40 kW (single engine power) must comply with the original Swiss sound emission limit of 72dB(A). Furthermore the procedure in order to establish a declaration of conformity in the Swiss regulations has been adapted to the new procedures of the EC directive.</p>
G/TBT/N/CAN/23/Add.1	11/04/06	Canada - Diesel Fuel - Addendum

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G/TBT/N/CHE/64	11/04/06	Switzerland - Recreational craft and commercial vessels Modification of the regulations on internal navigation on the Swiss waters, especially introduction of parts of the European Community directive 2003/44/EC of 16 June 2003 amending directive 94/25/EC for recreational crafts and modification of various other technical regulations. The implementation of the EC directive will influence the procedure of registration of recreational crafts for navigation on Swiss waters. In order to register a recreational craft in Switzerland, the craft must comply with the essential requirements of the EC directive. However the limits for the sound pressure level of the directive are adopted only for engines up to 40 kW (single engine power). Engines/boats powered with more than 40 kW (single engine power) must comply with the original Swiss sound emission limit of 72dB(A). Furthermore the procedure in order to establish a declaration of conformity in the Swiss regulations has been adapted to the new procedures of the EC directive.
G/TBT/N/EEC/104	11/04/06	European Communities - Mercury in fever thermometers and other measuring devices
G/TBT/N/KOR/106	11/04/06	Korea - Radio and television receivers The following EMC mandatory safety criterion will be amended to be suitable for broadcast receivers in Korea (M-NTSC system, IF video carrier frequency 45.75 MHz and two carrier sound frequency): K 00020 Sound and television broadcast receivers and associated equipment - Immunity characteristics - Limits and methods of measurement. The main amendments relate to testing frequency of television and radio broadcast receivers, FM receivers' frequency and limits of input immunity of television receivers, etc.
G/TBT/N/KOR/107	11/04/06	Korea - Scooters, child restraints, bb guns, and crayons and crayon pastels The following EMC mandatory safety criterion will be amended to be suitable for broadcast receivers in Korea (M-NTSC system, IF video carrier frequency 45.75 MHz and two carrier sound frequency): K 00020 Sound and television broadcast receivers and associated equipment - Immunity characteristics - Limits and methods of measurement. The main amendments relate to testing frequency of television and radio broadcast receivers, FM receivers' frequency and limits of input immunity of television receivers, etc.
G/TBT/N/PHL/52	11/04/06	Philippines - Compounded rubber This notification specifies the unvulcanized compounded rubber to be used for retread or repair of tires and repair of tubes.
G/TBT/N/THA/191	11/04/06	Thailand - Irradiated Food The MOPH proposes to revise the measure pertaining to irradiated food as follows: 1. The MOPH Notification No. 103 (BE.2529) will be repealed and replaced by this proposed measure, 2. In addition to Recommended International Code of Practice for Radiation Processing of Food (CAC/RCP 19-1979, Rev. 2 - 2003), the Radiation Processing shall be in compliance with specific requirement of this proposed measure: - Radiation Sources a) Gamma rays radionuclide ⁶⁰ Co or ¹³⁷ Cs. or b) X-rays from machine sources operated at or below level of 5 MeV, or c) Electrons generated from machine sources operated at or below level of 10 MeV - The absorbed dose is dependent on purpose of radiation as attached in this proposed measure but total absorbed dose must not exceed 10 KGray. - Radiation facility shall be approved by competent authority in consistent with required processing control. 3. Food Irradiation shall be operated under technological requirement and/or of interest to consumer protection and shall not be in place of GMP or GAP. 4. In addition to the MOPH Notification on labelling requirement and relevant notifications on food, the labelling under this proposed measure shall be demonstrated specifically on: a) Name and Address of Headquarter of Radiation Processing of Food. b) Label as " Irradiated " or Other Label implied the same. c) Specific purpose of irradiation as " For.... " d) Symbol of irradiation is voluntary, but in case of applying on, it must be in compliance with the given symbol attached to this notification and put on right next to the name of food. e) Date of radiation processing . 5. Food packaging shall be in compliance with GMP both pre - and post - irradiation treatment. 6. The transitional period for labeling requirement is one year.
G/TBT/N/ARG/169/Add.2	10/04/06	Argentina - Instrumentos y aparatos de medición - Addendum

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G/TBT/N/CAN/111/Add.2	10/04/06	Canada - Telecommunications Equipment - Addendum
G/TBT/N/COL/51/Add.3	10/04/06	Colombia - Cinturones de seguridad - Addendum
G/TBT/N/PHL/51	10/04/06	Philippines – Crayons This notification specifies the requirements for crayons used for drawing on paper and cardboard commonly used in schools and offices.
G/TBT/N/NIC/64	07/04/06	Nicaragua - Alimentos y bebidas procesados
G/TBT/N/NIC/65	07/04/06	Nicaragua - Alimentos y bebidas procesados
G/TBT/N/NIC/66	07/04/06	Nicaragua - Alimentos procesados
G/TBT/N/NIC/67	07/04/06	Nicaragua - Alimentos y bebidas procesados
G/TBT/N/NIC/68	07/04/06	Nicaragua - Alimentos y bebidas procesados
G/TBT/N/BRA/212	05/04/06	Brazil - Containers of plastic for transportation of liquefied petroleum gas
G/TBT/N/BRA/213	05/04/06	Brazil - Alloy steel other than stainless
G/TBT/N/THA/190	05/04/06	Thailand - Hazardous substances This ministerial notification amends the list of hazardous substances annexed to the Notification of Ministry of Industry Regarding List of Hazardous Substances dated 17 February B.E. 2538 (1995). Certain hazardous substances are withdrawn as follows: - 2 hazardous substances i.e. Deltamethrin and Flumethrin (unstead stereochemistry) under the responsibilities of the Department of Agriculture; and - 1 hazardous substance i.e. Nitric acid > 15% w/w under the responsibilities of the Department of Industrial Works
G/TBT/N/USA/184	05/04/06	United States - Thermal acoustic insulation on airplanes
G/TBT/N/USA/185	05/04/06	United States - Gasoline and diesel fuel
G/TBT/N/CHN/190	03/04/06	People's Republic of China - Foods and cosmetics AQSIQ Notice No.44, 2006: Notice on Modifying the Labelling Audit System for Import and Export Foods and Cosmetics. The labelling audit system for import and export foods and cosmetics is modified from pre-audit system to the system of conducting the audit during inspection and quarantine after arrival of the goods at the port.
G/TBT/N/GTM/38	03/04/06	Guatemala - Alimentos y bebidas procesados
G/TBT/N/GTM/39	03/04/06	Guatemala - Alimentos y bebidas procesados
G/TBT/N/GTM/40	03/04/06	Guatemala - Alimentos procesados
G/TBT/N/GTM/41	03/04/06	Guatemala - Alimentos y bebidas procesados
G/TBT/N/GTM/42	03/04/06	Guatemala - Nuevas variedades vegetales
G/TBT/N/SLV/83	03/04/06	El Salvador - Alimentos y bebidas procesados
G/TBT/N/SLV/84	03/04/06	El Salvador - Alimentos y bebidas procesados
G/TBT/N/SLV/85	03/04/06	El Salvador - Alimentos procesados
G/TBT/N/SLV/86	03/04/06	El Salvador - Alimentos y bebidas procesados
G/TBT/N/SLV/87	03/04/06	El Salvador - Nuevas variedades vegetales
G/TBT/N/USA/183	03/04/06	United States - Motor vehicles and engines