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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 29 May 2024, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of <u>Egypt</u>.

Title: The Egyptian Standard ES 3794 for "energy efficiency of household and similar electrical appliances -measurement and calculation methods for energy consumption of refrigerators, refrigerator-freezers and freezers".

Reason for Addendum:	
[]	Comment period changed - date:
[X]	Notified measure adopted - date: 22 April 2024
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[]	Content or scope of notified measure changed and text available from ¹ : New deadline for comments (if applicable):
[]	Interpretive guidance issued and text available from ¹ :
[]	Other:

Description: Products covered: ICS code : 97.040.30 (domestic refrigerating appliances)

This addendum concerns the notification of the Ministerial Decree No.142/2024 (2 pages, in Arabic) that gives the producers and importers a twelve-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian Standard ES 3794 for "energy efficiency of household and similar electrical appliances - measurement and calculation methods for energy consumption of refrigerators, refrigerator-freezers and freezers" (87 pages, in Arabic).

It should be noted that the Ministerial Decree No. 612/2007 (16 pages, in Arabic) which was formerly notified in G/TBT/N/EGY/178 dated 11 January 2018 and the Ministerial Decree No. 477/2018 (3 pages, in Arabic) which was formerly notified in G/TBT/N/EGY/178/Add.1 dated 4 September 2018 mandated among others the earlier versions of this Standard and the draft of this standard was formerly notified in G/TBT/N/EGY/178/Add.2 dated 12 March 2024.

Worth mentioning is that standard has been formulated according to National Studies.

¹ This information can be provided by including a website address, a pdf attachment, or other information on where the text of the final/modified measure and/or interpretive guidance can be obtained.

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Producers and importers are kept informed of any amendments in the Egyptian standards through the publication of administrative orders in the official gazette.

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