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## **Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade**

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## **NOTIFICATION**

## Addendum

The following communication, dated 10 October 2018, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of  $\underline{\text{Egypt}}$ .

Products covered: ICS 67.060 (Cereals, pulses and derived products)

This addendum concerns the notification of the Ministerial Decree No. 654/2018 (2 pages, in Arabic) which extends the transitional period for the entry into force of clause No. 4/3/1 on "Percentage of the moisture content shall be not more than 13.5% (by weight)" in the Egyptian Standard ES 1601-1/2010 until 3 April 2019.

It should be noted that the Ministerial Decree No. 163/2010 (1 page, in Arabic) mandated the Egyptian Standard ES 1601-1/2010 and was formerly notified in G/TBT/N/EGY/28 dated 21 June 2010.

Worth mentioning is that this standard complies with:

- ISO 7970-2000 "Wheat (Triticum aestivum L.) Specification".
- Codex Stan 199-1995 "Wheat and Durum Wheat"

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

Proposed date of adoption: 4 August 2018.

Proposed date of entry into force: 27 August 2018.

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