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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 20 December 2022, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Egypt.

Title: The Egyptian Standard ES 8544 for "Child care articles - Bathing aids - Safety requirements and test methods"

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Description: Products covered: Equipment for children (ICS 97.190)

This addendum concerns the notification of the Ministerial Decree No. 559 /2022 (3 pages, in Arabic) that gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian Standard ES 8544 for "Child care articles - Bathing aids - Safety requirements and test methods" (33 page(s), in Arabic).

It should be noted that the draft of this standard was formerly notified in G/TBT/N/EGY/317 dated 14 March 2022.

Worth mentioning is that this standard is technically identical with EN 17022 / 2018.

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

Proposed date of adoption: 17 November 2022 .

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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