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### NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>EGYPT</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Egyptian Organization for Standardization and Quality 16 Tadreeb El-Modarrebeen St., Ameriya, Cairo - Egypt E-mail: <a href="mailto:eos@idsc.net.eg">eos@idsc.net.eg</a> / <a href="mailto:eos.tbt@eos.org.eg">eos.tbt@eos.org.eg</a> Website: <a href="http://www.eos.org.eg">http://www.eos.org.eg</a> Tel.: 0222845528 Fax: 0222845504  <b>Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:</b>
<b>3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ ], 3.2 [ ], 7.2 [ ], other:</b>
<b>4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Anaesthetic, respiratory and reanimation equipment (ICS code(s): 11.040.10)
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Draft of Egyptian standard ES 6134-4 for "Medical Suction Equipment - Part 4: General requirements"; (43 page(s), in Arabic)
<b>6. Description of content:</b> This Draft standard specifies general requirements for medical <i>suction</i> equipment that are common to all parts of the ES 6134 series.  This document is not applicable to the following: a) <i>end-pieces</i> such as <i>suction</i> catheters, drains, curettes, Yankauer suckers and <i>suction</i> tips; b) syringes; c) dental <i>suction</i> equipment; d) anaesthetic gas scavenging systems; e) laboratory <i>suction</i> ; f) autotransfusion systems; g) mucus extractors including neonatal mucus extractors; h) <i>suction</i> equipment where the <i>collection container</i> is downstream of the vacuum pump; i) ventouse (obstetric) equipment;

<p>j) <i>suction</i> equipment marked for endoscopic use only; and k) plume evacuation systems.</p> <p>Worth mentioning is that this Draft standard is technically identical with ISO 10079-4/2021.</p>
<p><b>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Protection of human health or safety</p>
<p><b>8. Relevant documents:</b> ISO 10079-4/2021.</p>
<p><b>9. Proposed date of adoption:</b> To be determined <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> To be determined</p>
<p><b>10. Final date for comments:</b> 60 days from notification</p>
<p><b>11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:</b></p> <p>Egyptian Organization for Standardization and Quality Address: 16 Tadreeb El-Modarrebeen St. Ameriya, Cairo - Egypt E-mail: <a href="mailto:eos@idsc.net.eg">eos@idsc.net.eg</a> / <a href="mailto:eos.tbt@eos.org.eg">eos.tbt@eos.org.eg</a> Website: <a href="http://www.eos.org.eg">http://www.eos.org.eg</a> Tel.: 0222845528 Fax: 0222845504</p>