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

## Original: English

## **NOTIFICATION**

## Addendum

The following communication, dated 8 October 2024, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of <u>Egypt</u>.

**Title:** The Egyptian Standard ES 8924 for " organic fertilizers and soil improvers- water extraction".

| Reason for Addendum: |   |
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| []                   | Comment period changed - date:  |
| [X]                  | Notified measure adopted - date: 7 September 2024                                   |
| []                   | Notified measure published - date:  |
| [X]                  | Notified measure enters into force - date: 3 October 2024                           |
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| []                   | Other:  |

**Description:** Products covered: Fertilizers (ICS code(s): 65.080)

This addendum concerns the notification of the Ministerial Decree No.445/2024 (2 pages, in Arabic) that gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian Standard ES 8924 for " organic fertilizers and soil improvers- water extraction"; (13 page(s), in Arabic).

It should be noted that the draft of this standard was formerly notified in G/TBT/N/EGY/472 dated 14 May 2024.

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

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

**Date of adoption**: 7 September 2024 **Date of entry into force**: 3 October 2024

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 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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