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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6.

1. Member to Agreement notifying: <u>UNITED ARAB EMIRATES</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Emirates Authority for Standardization and Metrology (ESMA) Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above: P O Box 2166 Abu Dhabi UNITED ARAB EMIRATES Tel: (+971) 2 6710888 Fax: (+971) 2 6710999 E-mail: esma@esma.ae Website: www.esma.ae
3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], other:
4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Lubricating Oils (ICS: 27.020)
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Final draft UAE standard: Lubricating Oils for Internal Combustion Engines (27 pages, in Arabic and English).
6. Description of content: This UAE draft standard concerned with the lubricating oils used for internal combustion engines and especially for gasoline and diesel and excluding marine applications. The new draft standard classifies lubricating oils according to viscosity and performance and describes a set of characteristics that shall be fulfilled including sampling, packing and labelling.
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: The protection of environment and prevention of deceptive practices.
8. Relevant documents: When adopted, a notice will be published in official gazette.

9.	Proposed date of adoption: Proposed date of entry into force:	} To be determined.
10.	Final date for comments: 60 days from the date of notification.	
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body: Emirates Authority for Standardization and Metrology (ESMA) UAE TBT Enquiry point Tel: (+971) 2 6767148 Fax: (+971) 2 6715999 E-mail: uaetbt@esma.ae Website: www.esma.ae	