

## IMPLEMENTATION AND ADMINISTRATION OF THE AGREEMENT ON TECHNICAL BARRIERS TO TRADE

### Communication from the Russian Federation

#### Addendum

The following statement under Article 15.2 of the TBT Agreement has been received from the delegation of the Russian Federation.

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### I. RELEVANT LAWS AND REGULATIONS

1. The legal framework of the Russian Federation for technical regulations, standards and conformity assessment systems is governed by international agreements of the Eurasian Economic Community (EurAsEC)<sup>1</sup> and of the Customs Union (CU)<sup>2</sup>, by other EurAsEC and CU Acts, and the national legislation of Russia to these agreements. EurAsEC and CU Acts and domestic legislation in respect of standards, technical regulations, and conformity assessment in the Russian Federation are listed in Annex I to this notification.

2. Seven technical regulations of the Customs Union that are currently applied in the territory of the Customs Union are listed in Annex II.

3. Sixteen national technical regulations that are currently applied in the Russian Federation are listed in Annex III to this document.

4. Twenty-four technical regulations of the Customs Union adopted in 2011-2012 are listed in Annex IV to this document. National technical regulations of the Russian Federation will be invalid from the date of entry into force of the relevant technical regulation of the Customs Union.

### II. TRANSPARENCY

5. The Ministry of Economic Development of the Russian Federation is responsible for the implementation of obligations of the Russian Federation under the WTO Agreement. The contact address is:

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<sup>1</sup> Russian Federation, Kazakhstan, Belarus, Kyrgyz Republic, and Tajikistan.

<sup>2</sup> Russian Federation, Kazakhstan, and Belarus.

6. FGUP STANDARTINFORM is the National Enquiry Point for Russia. The contact address is:

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7. Every draft technical regulation of the Customs Union is published (by announcement and publication) on the website of Eurasian Economic Community at <http://www.tsouz.ru> for public discussion. Comments on a draft technical regulation should be provided within the period of sixty (60) days.

8. The work programme of development of national standards and every draft standard of the Russian Federation with notice on the beginning of public discussion period are published at the website of the Federal Agency for Technical Regulation at <http://www.gost.ru>.

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## ANNEX I

### List of EurAsEC and CU Acts and domestic legislation in respect of standards, technical regulations, and conformity assessment in the Russian Federation

#### **I. AGREEMENTS OF EURASIAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY, CUSTOMS UNION AND ACTS OF THESE ORGANIZATIONS**

- EurAsEC Agreement On the Basics of Harmonization of Technical Regulations of the Member States of EurAsEC of 24 March 2005;
- EurAsEC Agreement On Implementation of Coordinated Policy in the Field of Technical Regulation, Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures of 25 January 2008;
- Agreement On uniform principles and rules of technical regulation in the Republic of Belarus, Republic of Kazakhstan and the Russian Federation of 18 November 2010;
- CU Agreement On the Circulation of Goods subject to Mandatory Conformity Assessment on the Customs Territory of Customs Union of 11 December 2009;
- CU Agreement On Mutual Recognition of Accreditation of Certification Bodies (Conformity Assessment (Confirmation)) and Test Laboratories (Centres) performing works on Conformity Assessment (Confirmation) of 11 December 2009;
- EurAsEC Interstate Council Decision No. 521 of 19 November 2010 On the Schedule of development of EurAsEC first-priority technical regulations;
- Decision No. 1175 of the Integration Committee of the EurAsEC of 17 August 2010 On Regulation on development of technical regulations of Eurasian Economic Community;
- CU Commission Decision No. 319 of 18 June 2010 On technical regulation in the Customs Union (as last amended on 7 March 2012);
- CU Commission Decision No. 452 of 18 November 2010 On the Strategies of development of unified system of technical regulation, application of sanitary, veterinary and phytosanitary measures in 2011-2015;
- CU Commission Decision No. 453 of 18 November 2010 On drafts in the sphere of technical regulation of the Customs Union (as last amended 20 June 2012);
- CU Commission Decision No. 492 of 8 December 2010 On Schedule of development of priority technical regulations of the Customs Union;
- CU Commission Decision No. 526 of 28 January 2011 On common list of products, in respect of which mandatory requirements are established in the frame of the Customs Union;
- CU Commission Decision No. 527 of 28 January 2011 The regulations of the Commission of the Customs Union in the sphere of technical regulation (as last amended 20 June 2012);
- CU Commission Decision No. 562 of 2 March 2011 On the drafting of a Development strategy concerning the unified system of technical regulations and application of sanitary, veterinary and phytosanitary measures of the CU in 2011-2015;
- CU Commission Decision No. 600 of 7 April 2011 On the drafting of Agreement of the member-states of the CU on types of the administrative violations and the establishment of the charges for the violations in sphere of the technical regulation, application of the sanitary, veterinary, and phytosanitary measures;

- CU Commission Decision No. 620 of 7 April 2011 On new version of Common list of products, subject to mandatory assessment (confirmation) of conformity within the customs union with the provision of common documents, adopted by the CU Commission Decision No. 319 of 18 November 2010 (as last amended 13 June 2012);
- CU Commission Decision No. 621 of 7 April 2011 On Regulation on application of modal schemes of conformity assessment (confirmation) in technical regulations of the Customs Union;
- CU Commission Decision No. 625 of 7 April 2011 On Harmonization (as last amended on 7 March 2012);
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 710 of 15 July 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of railway rolling-stock, high-speed railway transport, railway transport infrastructure;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 711 of 15 July 2011 On single mark of circulation of goods on the market of the Members of Customs Union (as last amended 20 July 2012);
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 710 of 15 July 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of railway rolling-stock, high-speed railway transport, railway transport infrastructure;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 710 of 15 July 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of railway rolling-stock, high-speed railway transport, railway transport infrastructure;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 768 of 16 August 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of low-voltage equipment (as amended on 9 December 2011);
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 769 of 16 August 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of package (as last amended 22 June 2012);
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 770 of 16 August 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of pyrotechnic products;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 797 of 23 September 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of products intended for children and teenagers (as amended 22 June 2012);
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 798 of 23 September 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of toys;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 799 of 23 September 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of perfume and cosmetic products (as amended 22 June 2012);
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 809 of 23 September 2011 On a draft of agreement on elimination of technical barriers to trade between Members of the Customs Union and Members of Commonwealth of Independent States, who is not the Customs Union Member;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 823 of 18 October 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of machinery and equipment;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 824 of 18 October 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of lifts (as amended on 9 December 2011);
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 825 of 18 October 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety equipment for working in hazardous environments;

- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 826 of 18 October 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on requirements for automotive and aviation gasoline, diesel and marine fuel, jet fuel and heating oil;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 827 of 18 October 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on Auto-roads safety;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 874 of 9 December 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of grain;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 875 of 9 December 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of vehicles running on gaseous fuels;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 876 of 9 December 2011 On safety of light industry products (as amended 22 June 2012);
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 878 of 9 December 2011 On safety of personal protective equipment;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 877 of 9 December 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of wheeled vehicles;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 879 of 9 December 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on electromagnetic compatibility of technical means;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 880 of 9 December 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of food products;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 881 of 9 December 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on food products to the extent of its marking;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 882 of 9 December 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on juice production from fruits and vegetables;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 883 of 9 December 2011 On approval of the technical regulation on oil and fat products;
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 896 of 9 December 2011 On Unified formats for documents on conformity assessment confirmations (declaration on conformity to the technical regulations of Customs Union, conformity certificate to technical regulations of Customs Union);
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 905 of 9 December 2011 On draft of Protocol on emends to the Agreement on uniform principles and rules of technical regulation in the Republic of Belarus, Republic of Kazakhstan and the Russian Federation of 18 November 2010;
- Decision of Council of Eurasian Economic Commission No. 32 of 15 June 2012 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of furniture;
- Decision of Council of Eurasian Economic Commission No. 33 of 15 June 2012 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of small vessels;
- Decision of Council of Eurasian Economic Commission No. 34 of 15 June 2012 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of dietic food, special food and healthful and dietary meals;
- Decision of Council of Eurasian Economic Commission No. 44 of 20 June 2012 On the introduction of emergency response in accident "ERA-GLONASS" in the Customs Union and the Common economic area in view of the legal framework of the Customs Union and Common Economic Space;

- Decision of Council of Eurasian Economic Commission No. 44 of 20 June 2012 On Regulation on development, adoption, amendment and cancellation of technical regulations of the Customs Union;
- Decision of Council of Eurasian Economic Commission No. 57 of 20 July 2012 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of explosive substances and products based thereon;
- Decision of Council of Eurasian Economic Commission No. 58 of 20 July 2012 On approval of the technical regulation on safety requirements for food additives, aromatizers, technological supportive means;
- Decision of Council of Eurasian Economic Commission No. 59 of 20 July 2012 On approval of the technical regulation on requirements for lubricants, oils and special liquids;
- Decision of Council of Eurasian Economic Commission No. 60 of 20 July 2012 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of agricultural and tree tractors and trailers thereto;
- Decision of College of Eurasian Economic Commission No. 82 of 13 June 2012 On the certificate' FORM of state registration of products subject to conformity assessment in the form of state registration in accordance with technical regulations of the Customs Union.

## **II. NATIONAL ACTS OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION**

- Water Code of the Russian Federation No. 74-FZ of 3 June 2006 (as last amended on 25 June 2012);
- Forest Code of the Russian Federation No. 200-FZ of 4 December 2006 (as last amended on 25 June 2012);
- Federal Law of the Russian Federation No. 384-FZ of 30 December 2009 On approval of the technical regulation on safety of buildings and structures;
- Federal Law No. Federal Law of the Russian Federation No. 268-FZ of 22 December 2008 On approval of the technical regulation on tobacco products;
- Federal Law of the Russian Federation No. 178-FZ of 27 October 2008 On approval of the technical regulation on juice production from fruits and vegetables;
- Federal Law of the Russian Federation No. 123-FZ of 22 July 2008 On approval of the technical regulation on fire safety requirements (as amended 10 July 2012);
- Federal Law Federal Law of the Russian Federation No. 90-FZ of 24 June 2008 On approval of the technical regulation on oil and fat products;
- Federal Law Federal Law of the Russian Federation No. 88-FZ of 12 June 2008 On approval of the technical regulation on milk and milk products (as amended 22 July 2010);
- Federal Law No. 184-FZ of 27 December 2002 "On technical regulation" (as last amended on 6 December 2011);
- Federal Law of 8 December 2003 No. 164-FZ "On the Basis of Regulation of Foreign Trade Activity" (as last amended on 6 December 2011);
- Federal Law No. 126-FZ of 7 July 2003 "On communications" (as last amended on 8 December 2011);
- Federal Law No. 99-FZ of 30 December 2006 "On quarantine of plants" (as last amended on 18 July 2011);
- Federal Law No. 29-FZ of 2 January 2000 "On the quality and safety of food products" (as last amended on 19 July 2011);

- Federal Law No. 52-FZ of 30 March 1999 “On the sanitary and epidemiological welfare of the population” (as last amended on 25 June 2012);
- Federal Law No. 170-FZ of 21 November 1995 “On the use of atomic energy” (as last amended on 25 June 2012);
- Law of the Russian Federation No. 4979-1 of 14 May 1993 “On veterinary science” (as last amended on 18 July 2011);
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 86-r of 27 January 2011 “On cancellation of Resolutions of the Government of the Russian Federation”;
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 870 of 29 October 2010 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of gas distribution facilities and gas consumption (as amended 23 June 2011).
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 620 of 12 August 2010 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of sea transport facilities.
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 623 of 12 August 2010 on approval of the technical regulation on inland waterway transport facilities.
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 65 of 11 February 2010 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of vehicles running on gaseous fuels.
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 29 of 26 January 2010 On approval of the technical regulation on safety requirements for blood and its products, blood-substituting solutions and technical means used in the fluid transfusion therapy (as amended 12 October 2010).
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 782 of 2 October 2009 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of lifts (as amended 3 March 2011).
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 753 of 15 September 2009 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of machinery and equipment (as last amended 24 March 2011).
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 720 of 10 September 2009 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of wheeled vehicles (as last amended 6 October 2011).
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 118 of 27 February 2008 on approval of the technical regulation on requirements for automotive and aviation gasoline, diesel and marine fuel, jet fuel and heating oil (as last amended 7 September 2011).
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 609 of 12 October 2005 On approval of the technical regulation on emission requirements for motor vehicles manufactured in the circulation in the territory of the Russian Federation, harmful substances (pollutants) (as last amended 20 January 2012).
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 718 of 27 November 2006 “On the Customs tariffs of the Russian Federation and the Commodity classification applicable in the conduct of foreign economic activity” (as last amended on 3 March 2012);
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 165 of 29 March 2005 (as last amended on 17 October 2011);
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 214 of 13 April 2005 “On the approval of Regulations on the organization and performance of work of compulsory confirmation of compliance of communications facilities” (as last amended on 28 January 2012);

- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 609 of 12 October 2005 “On the approval of the Special technical regulations on the demands made on the ejections by the automobile technology, released into turnover on the territory of the Russian Federation, of harmful (polluting) substances (as last amended on 20 January 2012);
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 294 of 17 June 2004 “On the Federal agency on technical regulation and metrology” (as last amended on 26 December 2011); and
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 766 of 7 July 1999 “On the approval of the List of products that are subject to the declaring of conformance and of the procedure for the adoption of the conformance declaration and its registration” (as last amended on 1 December 2009).



## **ANNEX II**

### **LIST OF CURRENT TECHNICAL REGULATIONS OF THE CUSTOMS UNION**

- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 769 of 16 August 2011 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of package (as last amended 22 June 2012).
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 770 of 16 August 2011 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of pyrotechnic products.
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 797 of 23 September 2011 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of products intended for children and teenagers (as amended 22 June 2012).
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 798 of 23 September 2011 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of toys.
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 799 of 23 September 2011 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of perfume and cosmetic products (as amended 22 June 2012).
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 876 of 9 December 2011 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of light industry products (as amended 22 June 2012).
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 878 of 9 December 2011 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of personal protective equipment.

### **ANNEX III**

#### **LIST OF APPLYING NATIONAL TECHNICAL REGULATIONS OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION**

- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 870 of 29 October 2010 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of gas distribution facilities and gas consumption (as amended 23 June 2011).
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 620 of 12 August 2010 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of sea transport facilities.
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 623 of 12 August 2010 on approval of the technical regulation on inland waterway transport facilities.
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 65 of 11 February 2010 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of vehicles running on gaseous fuels.
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 29 of 26 January 2010 On approval of the technical regulation on safety requirements for blood and its products, blood-substituting solutions and technical means used in the fluid transfusion therapy (as amended 12 October 2010).
- Federal Law of the Russian Federation No. 384-FZ of 30 December 2009 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of buildings and structures.
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 782 of 2 October 2009 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of lifts (as amended 3 March 2011).
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 753 of 15 September 2009 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of machinery and equipment (as last amended 24 March 2011).
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 720 of 10 September 2009 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of wheeled vehicles (as last amended 6 October 2011).
- Federal Law of the Russian Federation No. 268-FZ of 22 December 2008 on approval of the technical regulation on tobacco products.
- Federal Law of the Russian Federation No. 178-FZ of 27 October 2008 on approval of the technical regulation on juice production from fruits and vegetables.
- Federal Law of the Russian Federation No. 123-FZ of 22 July 2008 on approval of the technical regulation on fire safety requirements (as amended 10 July 2012).
- Federal Law of the Russian Federation No. 90-FZ of 24 June 2008 on approval of the technical regulation on oil and fat products.
- Federal Law of the Russian Federation No. 88-FZ of 12 June 2008 on approval of the technical regulation on milk and milk products (as amended 22 July 2010).

- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 118 of 27 February 2008 on approval of the technical regulation on requirements for automotive and aviation gasoline, diesel and marine fuel, jet fuel and heating oil (as last amended 7 September 2011).
- Resolution of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 609 of 12 October 2005 On approval of the technical regulation on emission requirements for motor vehicles manufactured in the circulation in the territory of the Russian Federation, harmful substances (pollutants) (as last amended 20 January 2012).

#### ANNEX IV

##### **LIST OF ADOPTED (NOT ENTERED INTO FORCE) TECHNICAL REGULATIONS OF THE CUSTOMS UNION**

- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 710 of 15 July 2011 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of railway rolling-stock, high-speed railway transport, railway transport infrastructure.
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 710 of 15 July 2011 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of railway rolling-stock, high-speed railway transport, railway transport infrastructure.
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 710 of 15 July 2011 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of railway rolling-stock, high-speed railway transport, railway transport infrastructure.
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 768 of 16 August 2011 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of low-voltage equipment (as amended on 9 December 2011).
- Customs Union Commission Decision No. 823 of 18 October 2011 on approval of the technical regulation on safety of machinery and equipment.
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