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## **Committee on Import Licensing**

## **AGREEMENT ON IMPORT LICENSING PROCEDURES**

## NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE 5.1 TO 5.4 OF THE AGREEMENT<sup>1</sup>

## **PHILIPPINES**

The following notification, originally received on 3 November 2022, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the Philippines.

	Category	Notification details		
1	Notifying Member	Philippines		
2	Title of new legislation/procedure	Department Administrative Order No. 22-02 - Updating of the Reference Standards Used in the BPS Mandatory Product Certification		
3	Date of Publication	28 May 2022		
4	Date of entry into force	11 June 2022		
5	Website link/Official publication of the new regulation/procedure	DAO 22-02 "Updating of the Reference Standards Used in the BPS Mandatory Product Certification"		
6	Have you attached a copy of the regulation (PDF) to the Secretariat	[X] Yes. ( <i>Please attach a copy of the regulation to the notification.</i> )  [ ] No.		
7	Type of notification	[X] (a) New licensing regulation/procedure <sup>2</sup> ; (please answer question 8 to 14)  [] (b) Changes to a regulation/procedure which has been previously notified in document: (please answer question 15 and 16)		
8	List of products subject to licensing	2523.10.90; 2523.90.00; 2804.40.00; 3604.10.00; 3605.00.00; 3819.00.00; 3917.21.00; 3917.23.00; 3917.29.00; 3917.31.00; 3917.32.90; 3917.33.00; 3919.10.10; 4011.10.00; 4011.20.10; 4011.20.90; 4011.90.10; 4013.10.11; 4013.10.19; 4013.10.21; 4013.10.29; 4013.90.20; 4013.90.31; 4013.90.39; 6506.10.10; 6910.10.00; 6910.90.00; 70.16; 7007.11.10; 7007.21.10; 7213.10.00; 7213.91.20; 7213.91.90; 7213.99.20; 7213.99.90; 7214.20.31; 7214.20.39; 7214.20.41; 7214.20.49; 7214.20.51; 7214.20.59; 7214.20.61; 7214.91.19; 7214.91.10; 7215.90.90; 7215.50.91; 7215.50.99; 7215.50.10; 7215.50.91; 7215.50.99; 7215.90.10; 7304.31.40; 7304.31.90; 7304.31.90; 7304.31.20; 7304.31.90; 7304.41.00; 7304.49.00; 7304.51.10;		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> It is understood that the notifying Member has also completed its notification obligations under Article 1.4(a) and Article 8.2(b) regarding the relevant law/regulation/procedure notified for by filling this form in a full and complete manner.

2 "New licensing regulation/procedure" is understood to refer to any newly introduced law, regulation or

procedure, and those which are in force but being notified for the first time to the Committee.

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		Notification details  7304.51.90; 7304.59.00; 7304.90.10; 7304.90.30; 7304.90.90; 7305.11.00; 7305.12.10; 7305.12.90; 7305.19.10; 7305.19.90; 7305.20.00; 7305.31.90; 7305.39.10; 7305.39.90; 7305.90.00; 7306.11.10; 7306.11.20; 7306.11.90; 7306.19.10; 7306.19.20; 7306.19.90; 7306.29.00; 7306.30.40; 7306.30.90; 7306.40.30; 7306.40.90; 7306.50.90; 7306.61.00; 7306.69.00; 7306.90.90; 7311.00.23; 7311.00.24; 7311.00.25; 7317.00.10; 8414.51.10; 8414.51.91; 8414.51.99; 8415.10.10; 8415.10.90; 8418.10.11; 8418.21.10; 8424.10.10; 8424.10.90; 8450.12.10; 8450.12.90; 8450.19.11; 8450.19.91; 8450.19.99; 8507.10.10; 8507.10.92; 8507.10.95; 8507.10.96; 8507.20.94; 8507.20.95; 8507.20.96; 8507.20.97; 8507.20.98; 8507.20.99; 8507.20.96; 8507.20.97; 8507.20.98; 8507.20.99; 8509.40.00; 8516.40.90; 8516.72.00; 8516.79.10, 8516.679.90; 8519.81.30; 8521.90.11; 8528.72.91; 8528.72.92; 8528.72.99; 8528.73.00; 8536.20.12; 8536.20.12; 8536.20.13; 8536.50.59; 8536.61.10; 8536.69.99; 8544.11.20; 8708.21.00; 9401.80.00; 9613.10.90; 9613.20.90; 9613.80.30		
9	Nature of licensing	Automatic: [ ]  Non-Automatic: [X]		
10	Administrative purpose/measure being implemented	(a) Protect public morals;  (b) [X] Protect human, animal or plant life and health; protect environment;  (c) Collect trade statistics or market surveillance;  (d) Protection of patents, trademarks and copyrights, and the prevention of deceptive practices;  (e) Pursue obligations under the UN Charter and other international treaties (i.e. CITES, Basel Convention, Rotterdam Convention, UNSC Resolutions etc.)  (f) Quota (including TRQ) administration;  (g) Regulate imports of arms, ammunition or fissionable materials and safeguard national security;  (h) Other:(please specify)		
11	Administrative body(ies) for submission of applications	Ministry/authority and Department: Bureau of Philippine Standards-Department of Trade and Industry Address: 361 Sen Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City Website: <a href="www.bps.dti.gov.ph">www.bps.dti.gov.ph</a> ; <a href="www.bps.dti.gov.ph">www.dti.gov.ph</a> Telephone: 7791.3124/7791.3130 E-Mail: <a href="mailto:bps@dti.gov.ph">bps@dti.gov.ph</a>		
12	Contact point for information on eligibility	Ministry/authority and Department: Bureau of Philippine Standards-Department of Trade and Industry Address: 361 Sen Gil Puyat Avenue, Makati City Website: <a href="www.bps.dti.gov.ph">www.bps.dti.gov.ph</a> ; <a href="www.bps.dti.gov.ph">www.dti.gov.ph</a> Telephone: 7791.3124/7791.3130 E-Mail: <a href="mailto:bps@dti.gov.ph">bps@dti.gov.ph</a>		
13	Expected duration of licensing procedure	Ongoing		
14	A summary of the notification in one of the WTO official languages	Updating of the Reference Standards Used in the BPS Mandatory Product Certification		

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15	\n the case of 7(b), please indicate the type of new change(s)	(a)		Termination	
		(b)		Suspension	
		(c)		Modification of specific details in existing procedures:	
			Product coverage;		
			Administrative purpose;		
			Automatic or Non-automatic;		
			Duration of licensing;		
			Change the nature of quantity/value restriction;		
			Eligibility of applicants;		
			Contact information on eligibility;		
			Administrative body(ies) for submission of application;		
			Documentation requirements (including application form)		
			Period for Application;		
			Administrative body(ies) to issue licence;		
			Processing time for issuing licence;		
			Licence fee/administrative charge;		
			Deposit/advance payment and relevant conditions;		
			Appeal regulations/procedures;		
			Validity of licence;		
			Other conditions of licence (extension, transferability, penalty of non-use etc.);		
			Foreign	exchange requirements;	
			Other: (	please specify).	
16	Please elaborate the changes in detail (in one of the WTO official languages)				