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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

- 1. Notifying Member: KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA
 If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
- 2. Agency responsible: Saudi Food and Drug Authority (SFDA)

 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:

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- 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): Milk Powders And Cream Powder (ICS Code: 67.100).
- 5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia/The Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf Draft Technical Regulation for "Milk Powders And Cream Powder", (8 pages in Arabic)
- **6. Description of content:** This technical regulation applies to milk powders and cream powder (whole milk skimmed partly skimmed) for direct consumption or use in manufacturing.
- **7. Objective** and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Food safety
- **8. Relevant documents:** Codex Alimentarius: CAC No 207/1999 "Milk Powders and Cream Powder" Adopted in 1999 Amendments 2010, 2013
- **9. Proposed date of adoption:** To be determined

Proposed date of entry into force: Six months after publication in official Gazette

10. Final date for comments: 60 days from the date of circulation

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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