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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 18 December 2015, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United States of America.

TITLE: Toys: Determination Regarding Heavy Elements Limits for Unfinished and Untreated Wood

AGENCY: U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission

ACTION: Final rule

SUMMARY: The Consumer Product Safety Commission ("Commission, or "CPSC") is issuing a final rule determining that unfinished and untreated trunk wood does not contain heavy elements that would exceed the limits specified in the Commission's toy standard, ASTM F963-11. Based on this determination, unfinished and untreated trunk wood in toys does not require third party testing for the heavy element limits in ASTM F963.

DATES: The rule is effective on 19 January 2016.

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2015/TBT/USA/15_4987_00_e.pdf
