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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.	Notifying Member: UNITED ARAB EMIRATES, KINGDOM OF BAHRAIN, STATE OF KUWAIT, OMAN, QATAR, KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA, YEMEN If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: Emirates Authority for Standardization and Metrology (ESMA) 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: Emirates Authority for Standardization and Metrology (ESMA) P O Box: 2166 Abu Dhabi United Arab Emirates Tel.: (+971) 2 403 2613 Fax: (+971) 2 671 0999 Email: esma@esma.ae Website: http://www.esma.ae
3.	Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [X], 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): Cosmetics and personal care products
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft of GCC Technical Regulations for Cosmetics and Personal Care Products (35 pages, in Arabic)
6.	Description of content: This GCC Technical Regulation shall apply to cosmetics and personal care products as defined in Article (2) of these Regulations. The basic requirements for such products shall be determined before they are placed or displayed on the market, in order to ensure facilitation of trading in the GCC market of Member States and maintaining the protection of human health and the environment.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Environment and consumer protection
8.	Relevant documents: -
9.	Proposed date of adoption: NA Proposed date of entry into force: 180 days from Publication day in official gazette
10.	Final date for comments: 60 days from notification

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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