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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: JAMAICA

If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):

**2. Agency responsible:** Bureau of Standards Jamaica

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): Pneumatic tyres (ICS: 83.160.10).
- **5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Jamaican Standard Specification for Pneumatic tyres for passenger cars (24 page(s), in English)
- **6. Description of content:** This document specifies tyre dimensions and laboratory test requirements for bead unseating resistance, strength, endurance, and high-speed performance; defines tyre load ratings and other relevant terms; and specifies labelling requirements for passenger car tyres.
- **7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** This document was developed to establish requirements to ensure safe and efficient performance of tyres used on passenger cars.
- **8. Relevant documents:** A notice of the *Jamaican Standard Specification for Pneumatic tyres for passenger cars* will appear in The Jamaica Gazette Supplement Proclamations, Rules and Regulations. The document will appear as a Jamaican Standard Specification, with mandatory status, and will be available for sale.
- **9. Proposed date of adoption:** Date of publication in the Jamaica Gazette Supplement Proclamations, Rules and Regulations.

**Proposed date of entry into force:** Six months following date of publication in the Jamaica Gazette Supplement - Proclamations, Rules and Regulations.

- 10. Final date for comments: 28 June 2017
- 11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

The full text of the proposed technical regulation (mandatory standard) can be directly accessed on the website of the Bureau Standards Jamaica: <a href="http://www.bsj.org.jm">http://www.bsj.org.jm</a>