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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: CANADA

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

2. Agency responsible: Health Canada

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:

Canada's Notification Authority and Enquiry Point Global Affairs Canada Technical Barriers and Regulations Division 111 Sussex Drive, Ottawa, ON K1A 0G2

Tel: (343)203-4273 Fax: 613-943-0346

Email: enquirypoint@international.gc.ca

- 3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [ ], 2.10.1 [X], 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): Prescription status of medicinal ingredients for human use (ICS: 11.120)
- **5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Notice of intent to amend: Prescription Drug List: Phytocannabinoids (2 pages, in English and French)
- **6. Description of content:** This Notice explains that all phytocannabinoids will be added to the prescription drug list upon coming into force of the *Cannabis Act* on 17 October 2018.
- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health or safety
- **8. Relevant documents:** Health Canada Website:

https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/drugs-health-products/drug-products/prescription-drug-list/notices-changes/notice-intent-cannabis.html (Posted 11 July 2018, available in French and English)

9. Proposed date of adoption: 11 July 2018

Proposed date of entry into force: 17 October 2018

**10. Final date for comments:** Not applicable.

## 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 electronic version of the regulatory text can be downloaded at:

https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/drugs-health-products/drug-products/prescription-drug-list/notices-changes/notice-intent-cannabis.html (English)

https://www.canada.ca/fr/sante-canada/services/medicaments-produits-sante/medicaments/liste-drogues-ordonnance/avis-concernant-modifications/avis-intention-modification-cannabis.html (French)

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