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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: <u>EUROPEAN UNION</u>

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

2. Agency responsible: European Commission

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:

European Commission EU-TBT Enquiry Point Fax: +(32) 2 299 80 43

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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): Cosmetics
- 5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft Commission Regulation amending Annexes III and V to Regulation (EC) No 1223/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council on cosmetic products (and its accompanying annex) (7 Pages including annex, in English)
- **Description of content:** This draft Commission Regulation aims at restricting the use of Climbazole as a preservative in hair lotion (0.2 %), face cream (0.2 %), rinse-off shampoo (0.5 %), foot care products (0.2 %) and as an anti-dandruff agent in rinse-off shampoo up to 2.0 %.
- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health and safety.
- 8. Relevant documents:
 - Regulation (EC) No 1223/2009 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 30 November 2009 on Cosmetic Products (OJ L 342, 22.12.2009, p. 59-209) http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legalcontent/EN/TXT/?qid=1415977955828&uri=CELEX:32009R1223
- **9. Proposed date of adoption:** 2nd guarter 2019

Proposed date of entry into force: 20 days from publication in the Official Journal of the EU.

10. Final date for comments: 60 days from notification

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

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The text is available on the EU-TBT Website:

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