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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.4.

1.	Party to Agreement notifying: <u>PHILIPPINES</u>
2.	Agency responsible: Department of Trade and Industry, Bureau of Product Standards
3.	Notified under Article 2.5.2 [X], 2.6.1 [], 7.3.2 [], 7.4.1 [], other:
4.	Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Household panelboards
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Low Voltage Panelboards for Household Use-Specification (English, 21 pages)
6.	Description of content: This draft standard specifies low voltage panelboards for household use, with rated current not exceeding 1.00 A intended for use in houses or the like, as the entrance service apparatus for electric circuit of 230 V a.c. single phase two-wire system or 115/230V a.c. single phase three-wire system at a frequency of 50 Hz or 60 Hz. However, panelboards of such special construction as water-proof type and explosion-proof type are excluded.
7.	Objective and rationale: Consumer protection
8.	Relevant documents: JIS C 8328:1988
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: 1 January 1995
10.	Final date for comments: 30 November 1994
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: