



NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>ISRAEL</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Israel WTO-TBT Enquiry Point 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: Israel WTO-TBT Enquiry Point Ministry of Economy and Industry Tel: + (972) 74 750 2236 E-mail: Yael.Friedgut@economy.gov.il
3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], 3.2 [], 7.2 [], other:
4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Cosmetics (HS code(s): 33); (ICS code(s): 71.100.70)
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Pharmacists' Regulations (Cosmetics) 5782-2022; (38 page(s), in Hebrew)
6. Description of content: New draft regulations announced by Israel's Ministry of Health called " <i>Pharmacists' Regulations (Cosmetics)</i> " that establish high and professional provisions for the production, marketing, and import of cosmetics. It aims to ensure the safety, quality, and effectiveness of cosmetics and to protect public health and safety. This draft sets the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The details, data, and documents required for the registration of a dealer and a representative responsible for cosmetics in the national register;• The conditions and attributes necessary for obtaining a general cosmetics import and distribution license;• The duties and responsibilities imposed on the authorized representative;• The instructions for conducting a cosmetics safety assessment, the content of the safety assessment, ways of updating, and the qualifications required to perform this assessment;• The technical details required for the cosmetic marketing announcement;• The list of prohibited substances or restricted substances in cosmetics;• The required information for the cosmetics packaging.

7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Consumer information, labelling; Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of human health or safety
8. Relevant documents: Pharmacist's Ordinance [New Version] 5741-1981
9. Proposed date of adoption: To be determined Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined
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: https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/TBT/ISR/22_4869_00_x.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/TBT/ISR/22_4869_01_x.pdf