NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 10 February 2022, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

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**Title:** Technical regulation for Restriction of Hazardous Substances

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| **Reason for Addendum:** |
| [  ] | Comment period changed - date:  |
| [X] | Notified measure adopted - date: 28 January 2021 |
| [X] | Notified measure published - date: 9 July 2021; [https://www.uqn.gov.sa/اللائحة-الفنية-للحد-من-المواد-الخطرة-ف/](https://www.uqn.gov.sa/%D8%A7%D9%84%D9%84%D8%A7%D8%A6%D8%AD%D8%A9-%D8%A7%D9%84%D9%81%D9%86%D9%8A%D8%A9-%D9%84%D9%84%D8%AD%D8%AF-%D9%85%D9%86-%D8%A7%D9%84%D9%85%D9%88%D8%A7%D8%AF-%D8%A7%D9%84%D8%AE%D8%B7%D8%B1%D8%A9-%D9%81/) |
| [X] | Notified measure enters into force - date: 4 July 2022; The transitional period for products not complying with the provisions specified in RoHS regulation may be traded for a period of no more than 365 days as of the date of each category as shown in the attached RoHS Guidance. |
| [X] | Text of final measure available from[[1]](#footnote-1): <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/TBT/SAU/final_measure/22_1518_01_x.pdf> |
| [  ] | Notified measure withdrawn or revoked - date: Relevant symbol if measure re-notified:  |
| [  ] | Content or scope of notified measure changed and text available from1: New deadline for comments (if applicable):  |
| [X] | Interpretive guidance issued and text available from1: <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/TBT/SAU/interpretative_guidance/22_1518_00_x.pdf>[www.saso.gov.sa/ar/Laws-And-Regulations/guidelines/Documents/الدليل\_الاسترشادي\_للائحة\_الفنية\_للحد\_من\_المواد\_الخطرة\_في\_الأجهزة\_والمعدات\_الكهربائية\_والالكترونية.pdf](http://www.saso.gov.sa/ar/Laws-And-Regulations/guidelines/Documents/%D8%A7%D9%84%D8%AF%D9%84%D9%8A%D9%84_%D8%A7%D9%84%D8%A7%D8%B3%D8%AA%D8%B1%D8%B4%D8%A7%D8%AF%D9%8A_%D9%84%D9%84%D8%A7%D8%A6%D8%AD%D8%A9_%D8%A7%D9%84%D9%81%D9%86%D9%8A%D8%A9_%D9%84%D9%84%D8%AD%D8%AF_%D9%85%D9%86_%D8%A7%D9%84%D9%85%D9%88%D8%A7%D8%AF_%D8%A7%D9%84%D8%AE%D8%B7%D8%B1%D8%A9_%D9%81%D9%8A_%D8%A7%D9%84%D8%A3%D8%AC%D9%87%D8%B2%D8%A9_%D9%88%D8%A7%D9%84%D9%85%D8%B9%D8%AF%D8%A7%D8%AA_%D8%A7%D9%84%D9%83%D9%87%D8%B1%D8%A8%D8%A7%D8%A6%D9%8A%D8%A9_%D9%88%D8%A7%D9%84%D8%A7%D9%84%D9%83%D8%AA%D8%B1%D9%88%D9%86%D9%8A%D8%A9.pdf) |
| [  ] | Other:  |

**Description:** SASO decided to postpone the implementation of the technical regulation for the restriction of hazardous substances in electrical and electronic devices and equipment as shown below:

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| Category | Mandatory date for product category in scope of technical regulation |
| 1A- Small home appliances | 07/04/2022  |
| 1B- Large home appliances | 10/02/2022  |
| 2- Telecommunication & Information Technology Equipment | 12/31/2022  |
| 3- lighting equipment | 03/31/2023  |
| 4- Electrical and electronic equipment and tools | 06/29/2023  |
| 5- Toys, recreation equipment and sports equipment | 09/27/2023  |
| 6- Monitoring and control tools | 12/26/2023 |

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1. This information can be provided by including a website address, a pdf attachment, or other information on where the text of the final/modified measure and/or interpretive guidance can be obtained. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)