NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Kingdom of Saudi Arabia  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization (SASO)  **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:**  Saudi Standards, Metrology and Quality Organization  P.O. BOX: 3437 Riyadh 11471  Tel: +966(11)252 Ext : (9065-9081-9072)  Fax: +966(11)4520193  Email: [enquirypoint@saso.gov.sa](mailto:enquirypoint@saso.gov.sa) |
| **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):** 8428 8431; Lifting, handling, loading or unloading machinery, e.g. lifts, escalators, conveyors, teleferics (excl. pulley tackle and hoists, winches and capstans, jacks, cranes of all kinds, mobile lifting frames and straddle carriers, works trucks fitted with a crane, fork-lift trucks and other works trucks fitted with lifting or handling equipment) (HS 8428); Parts suitable for use solely or principally with the machinery of heading 8425 to 8430, n.e.s (HS 8431) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Technical Regulation for Escalators and Moving Walkways |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This regulation specifies the following: Terms and Definitions, Scope, Objectives, Supplier Obligations, Obligations of the Operation/Maintenance Entity, Obligations of Inspection body, Labelling, Conformity Assessment Procedures, Responsibilities of Regulatory Authorities, Responsibilities of Market Surveillance Authorities, Violations and Penalties, General Provisions, Transitional Provisions, Appendix (lists of standards , HS code, classification of products, (Type 1a & and Supplier Declaration of Conformity Form). |
| **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; Protection of the environment |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**  Annex (1-a) list of related standards, page 16. |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** 31 March 2022  **Proposed date of entry into force:** 6 months from adoption |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** 60 days from notification |
| **11.** | **Texts available from: National enquiry point [****X]** **or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**  [enquirypoint@saso.gov.sa](mailto:enquirypoint@saso.gov.sa)  Website: http://www.saso.gov.sa/en/eservices/tbt/Pages/default.aspx  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/TBT/SAU/22_1011_00_x.pdf> |