NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** THE SEPARATE CUSTOMS TERRITORY OF TAIWAN, PENGHU, KINMEN AND MATSU**If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):**  |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection (BSMI)**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:** Please submit comments to: WTO TBT Enquiry Point, Email: tbtenq@bsmi.gov.tw |
| **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):** Gas Meters (HS: 902810) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Draft Amendments to Technical Specification for Verification and Inspection of Diaphragm Gas Meters; (10 page(s), in English), (10 page(s), in Chinese) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection proposes to amend the Technical Specification for Verification and Inspection of Diaphragm Gas Meters so as to ensure the accuracy of diaphragm gas meters. The proposed changes include:1. Additional labelling requirement;
2. Changes to permissible errors; and
3. Changes to the validity period for verification.
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| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:** The Weights and Measures Act; Enforcement Rules of the Weights and Measures Act. |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** To be determined**Proposed date of entry into force:** 1 July 2024 |
| **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:** WTO/TBT Enquiry PointBureau of Standards, Metrology and InspectionMinistry of Economic AffairsNo. 4, Sec. 1, Jinan Rd., Zhongzheng Dist.Taipei City 100, TaiwanTel: +(886-2) 23431916Fax: +(886-2) 23431804Email: tbtenq@bsmi.gov.tw<https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/TBT/TPKM/23_13742_00_e.pdf><https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/TBT/TPKM/23_13742_00_x.pdf> |