NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:**  Trinidad and Tobago Bureau of Standards  1-2 Century Drive Trincity Industrial Estate  Macoya, Tunapuna  Tel : 868-645-6222  Fax: 868-663-4335  Email: [ttbs@ttbs.org.tt](mailto:ttbs@ttbs.org.tt)  Website: [www.gottbs.com](http://www.gottbs.com)  **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:** |
| **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):** Parts suitable for use solely or principally with the machines of heading 85.01 or 85.02. (HS code(s): 8503); Parts of electromechanical domestic appliances, with self-contained electric motor, n.e.s. (excl. of vacuum cleaners, dry and wet vacuum cleaners) (HS code(s): 850990); Parts of electric shavers, hair clippers and hair-removing appliances, with self-contained electric motor, n.e.s. (HS code(s): 851090); Electrical ignition or starting equipment of a kind used for spark-ignition or compression-ignition internal combustion engines, e.g. ignition magnetos, magneto-dynamos, ignition coils, sparking plugs, glow plugs and starter motors; generators, e.g. dynamos and alternators, and cut-outs of a kind used in conjunction with such engines; parts thereof (HS code(s): 8511); Electrical apparatus for switching or protecting electrical circuits, or for making connections to or in electrical circuits, e.g., switches, fuses, lightning arresters, voltage limiters, surge suppressors, plugs and other connectors, junction boxes, for a voltage > 1.000 V (excl. control desks, cabinets, panels etc. of heading 8537) (HS code(s): 8535); Electrical apparatus for switching or protecting electrical circuits, or for making connections to or in electrical circuits, e.g., switches, relays, fuses, surge suppressors, plugs, sockets, lamp holders and junction boxes, for a voltage <= 1.000 V (excl. control desks, cabinets, panels etc. of heading 8537) (HS code(s): 8536); Electrical parts of machinery or apparatus, not specified or included elsewhere in this Chapter. (HS code(s): 8548) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Electrical accessories and components - Compulsory requirements; (16 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This National Standard specifies safety requirements for all electrical accessories and components for use in Trinidad and Tobago. It also specifies labelling information to be placed on the electrical accessories and components as well as information to be placed on the packaging for such accessories and components.  This standard applies to electrical accessories and components intended for use at either of the following nominal supply voltages:  a) 115 volts, with a relative tolerance of ± 6 %; or  b) 230 volts, with a relative tolerance of ± 6 %.  NOTE These nominal supply voltages have been declared by the Trinidad and Tobago Electricity Commission (T&TEC) in their publication entitled "Wiring for Light and Power". The Electricity Supply Rules made under Section 15 of the Electricity (Inspection) Act Chapter 54:72 provides for variations of six percent above or below the declared voltages.  This standard does not apply to accessories and components designed exclusively for industrial purposes or accessories intended to be used in locations where special conditions prevail, e.g. the presence of a corrosive or explosive atmosphere (caused by dust, vapour or gas).  This standard does not apply to electrical lighting products or electrical appliances. |
| **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; Quality requirements; Harmonization |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**  - |
| **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/2023/TBT/TTO/23_11972_00_e.pdf> |