NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 8 April 2024, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United States of America.

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**Title:** Notice of extension of public comment period for SB 54 Plastic Pollution Prevention and Packaging Producer Responsibility Act Regulations

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| **Reason for Addendum:** | |
| [X] | Comment period changed - date: 8 May 2024 |
| [ ] | Notified measure adopted - date: |
| [ ] | Notified measure published - date: |
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| [ ] | Text of final measure available from[[1]](#footnote-1): |
| [ ] | Notified measure withdrawn or revoked - date:  Relevant symbol if measure re-notified: |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): |
| [ ] | Interpretive guidance issued and text available from1: |
| [ ] | Other: |

**Description:** The Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) has begun formal rulemaking activities regarding the SB 54 Plastic Pollution Prevention and Packaging Producer Responsibility Act regulations. The Notice of Proposed Action (Notice) was published by California's Office of Administrative Law on 8 March 2024, and the public comment period began on 8 March 2024. CalRecycle will also hold a hybrid public hearing regarding this rulemaking on 23 April 2024. CalRecycle is extending the public comment period, and the public comment period will now end on 8 May 2024.

Visit [Public Notice: Notice of SB 54 Plastic Pollution Prevention and Packaging Producer Responsibility Act Regulations 45-Day Comment Period and Public Hearing (ca.gov)](https://www2.calrecycle.ca.gov/PublicNotices/Details/5387) for more information about this rulemaking, including how to participate in the scheduled hybrid public hearing on 23 April 2024. Simultaneous Spanish interpretation will be available in-person at the hearing and remotely via Zoom or webcast. For in-person interpretation services, headsets will be available and can be provided by CalRecycle staff prior to or during the hearing. For interpretation services in a language other than Spanish, notify the Department at [regulations@calrecycle.ca.gov](mailto:regulations@calrecycle.ca.gov) by 12 April 2024, and the staff will do their best to accommodate such requests.

For additional information about this rulemaking, visit [SB 54 Plastic Pollution Prevention and Packaging Producer Responsibility Act Permanent Regulations - CalRecycle Home Page](https://calrecycle.ca.gov/Laws/Rulemaking/SB54Regulations/).

WTO Members and their stakeholders are asked to submit comments to the [USA TBT Enquiry Point](mailto:usatbtep@nist.gov). Comments received by the USA TBT Enquiry Point from WTO Members and their stakeholders by [4pm](http://time-time.net/times/time-zones/usa-canada/current-eastern-time-est.php) [Eastern Time](https://24timezones.com/time-zone/et) on 8 May 2024.will be shared with CalRecycle.

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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)