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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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### NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>UNITED ARAB EMIRATES</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Emirates Authority for Standardization and Metrology (ESMA) <b>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:</b>  Emirates Authority for Standardization and Metrology (ESMA) P.O. Box: 2166 Abu Dhabi United Arab Emirates Tel.: (+971) 2 403 2613 Fax: (+971) 2 671 0999 Email: <a href="mailto:esma@esma.ae">esma@esma.ae</a> Website: <a href="http://www.esma.ae">http://www.esma.ae</a>
<b>3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ ], other:</b> Federal law
<b>4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> All products are being traded in the local market, the following products are excluded from the provisions of the law: <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Medicines and veterinary, vaccines, Serums, and the like.</li><li>2. Goods to be classified as antiques.</li><li>3. Used products that need to be repaired, rehabilitated or modified during the period prior to their placement in the market</li></ol>
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Federal Law for product safety and its executive regulation (13 page(s), in Arabic)
<b>6. Description of content:</b> UAE Federal Law for product safety and its executive regulation, the provisions of this law shall apply to all products are being traded in the local market, including free zones and the like.  The following products are excluded from the provisions of the law: <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Medicines and veterinary, vaccines, Serums, and the like.</li><li>2. Goods to be classified as antiques.</li><li>3. Used products that need to be repaired, rehabilitated or modified during the period prior to their placement in the market</li></ol>

<b>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of human health or safety; Protection of the environment; Quality requirements
<b>8. Relevant documents:</b> -
<b>9. Proposed date of adoption:</b> NA <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> NA
<b>10. Final date for comments:</b> 60 days from notification
<b>11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:</b>  Emirates Authority for Standardization and Metrology (ESMA) UAE TBT Enquiry Point Tel.: (+971) 2 403 2657 Fax: (+971) 2 671 5999 E-mail: <a href="mailto:uaetbt@esma.gov.ae">uaetbt@esma.gov.ae</a> Website: <a href="http://www.esma.gov.ae">http://www.esma.gov.ae</a>