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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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## NOTIFICATION

### *Addendum*

The following communication, dated 25 March 2026, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Egypt.

**Title:** The Egyptian Standard ES 1521 for "Canned Finfish "(13 pages, in Arabic).

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**Description: Products covered:** Fish and fishery Products (ICS 67.120.30)

This addendum concerns the notification of the Ministerial Decree No. 57/2026 (2 pages, in Arabic) that gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian Standard ES 1521 for "Canned Finfish "(13 pages, in Arabic).

It should be noted that the Ministerial Decree No.515/2005 (10 pages, in Arabic) which was formerly notified in G/TBT/N/EGY/2 dated 14 December 2005 and the Ministerial Decree No. 1001/2017 (2 pages, in Arabic) which was formerly notified in G/TBT/N/EGY/2/Add.2 dated 10 January 2018, mandated among others the earlier versions of this standard and the draft of this standard was formerly notified in G/TBT/N/EGY/2/Add.32 dated 1 July 2025.

Worth mentioning is that this standard complies with Codex Standard 119 – 1981 (CXS 119- 1981) "Canned finfish", adopted in 1981, revised in 1995, amended in 2011, 2013, 2016, 2018 and 2024.

<sup>1</sup> 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.

Producers and importers are kept informed of any amendments in the Egyptian standards through the publication of administrative orders in the official gazette.

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