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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

1.	**Notifying Member:** EGYPT **If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):**
2.	**Agency responsible:** Egyptian Organization for Standardization and Quality 16 Tadreeb El-Modarrebeen St., Ameriya, Cairo – Egypt E-mail: eos@eos.org.eg / eos.tbt@eos.org.eg Website: http://www.eos.org.eg Tel.: + (202) 22845528 Fax: + (202) 22845504
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 codes or national tariff lines. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** Surface active agents (ICS code(s): 71.100.40)
5.	**Details of notified document(s) (title, number of pages and languages, means of access):** The Ministerial Decree No.210 /2026 (1 page, in Arabic) and the Ministerial Decree No.229/2026 (1 page, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian standard ES 9324 for "Liquid synthetic detergents for cleaning of child care articles".; (16 page(s), in Arabic) **Link to notified document(s) and/or contact details for agency or authority which can provide copies upon request:** Egyptian Organization for Standardization and Quality 16 Tadreeb El-Modarrebeen St., Ameriya, Cairo – Egypt E-mail: eos@eos.org.eg / eos.tbt@eos.org.eg Website: http://www.eos.org.eg Tel.: + (202) 22845528 Fax: + (202) 22845504
6.	**Description of content:** The Ministerial Decree No. 210 /2026 and the Ministerial Decree No.229/2026 give the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 9324 which specifies the requirements for liquid synthetic detergents for washing and cleaning child care articles and supplies, such as feeding bottles and their components, eating and drinking utensils, and children's toys that may be placed in the child's mouth and are intended to be used manually with water. Worth mentioning is that this standard complies with: - Regulation (EC) No. 648/2004 of the European parliament and of the council on detergents - Commission Regulation (EU) No. 10/2011 on plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with food.

	- Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 - Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH). - Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 - classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (CLP). - JIS K 3370/2019 Synthetic Detergents for Kitchen. - GSO 2238/2021 Liquid Detergent for Manual Dishwashing.
7.	**Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Safety requirements.; Quality requirements
8.	**Relevant documents:** **-** The Ministerial Decree No.210/2026 (1 page, in Arabic). - The Ministerial Decree No.229/2026 (1 page, in Arabic). - Regulation (EC) No. 648/2004 of the European parliament and of the council on detergents. - Commission Regulation (EU) No. 10/2011 on plastic materials and articles intended to come into contact with food. - Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 - Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH). - Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 - classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (CLP). - JIS K 3370/2019 Synthetic Detergents for Kitchen - GSO 2238/2021 Liquid Detergent for Manual Dishwashing.
9.	**Proposed date of adoption:** 21 September 2026 **Proposed date of entry into force:** The day following the date of publication in the official gazette.
10.	**Provision of comments** **Final date for comments:** 20 December 2026 **[X] 60 days from notification** **Contact details of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification:** Egyptian Organization for Standardization and Quality 16 Tadreeb El-Modarrebeen St., Ameriya, Cairo – Egypt E-mail: eos@eos.org.eg / eos.tbt@eos.org.eg Website: http://www.eos.org.eg Tel.: + (202) 22845528 Fax: + (202) 22845504