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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>VIET NAM</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Directorate for Standards, Metrology and Quality 8 Hoang Quoc Viet Str., Cau Giay Dist. Ha Noi, Vietnam Tel: (84.24) 37911627; (84.24) 37911628 Fax: (84.24) 37911595 Website: <a href="http://www.tcvn.gov.vn">http://www.tcvn.gov.vn</a>  <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>  Vietnam Standard and Quality Institute Directorate for Standards, Metrology and Quality No 8 Hoang Quoc Viet Street, Cau Giay District, Ha noi. Tel: (84.24) 38361462 Fax: (84.24) 38361771 Email: <a href="mailto:info@vsqi.gov.vn">info@vsqi.gov.vn</a> Website: <a href="http://www.vsqi.gov.vn">www.vsqi.gov.vn</a>
<b>3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ ], other:</b>
<b>4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Toys (ICS 97.200.50).
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Draft National Technical Regulation on Safety of toys (12 page(s), in Vietnamese)
<b>6. Description of content:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>This draft technical regulation is a proposed amendment to QCVN 03/2009-BKHCN National Technical Regulation on Safety of toys, in which two new technical requirements are inserted, which are (1) the limit of each phthalates in toys (not exceed 0.1% by weight), use TCVN 6238-6 (ISO 8124-6) Safety of toys as test method; (2) requirement for electric toys that according to TCVN 11332 (IEC 62115: Electric toys – Safety.)</li><li>In this draft technical regulation, new labelling requirement according to the Vietnamese new law on labelling (43/2017/NĐ-CP) is added.</li><li>This draft technical regulation specifies safety requirements for toys, respective tests and quality requirements for toys produced domestically, imported and made available on the market</li></ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Those products listed in Appendix are not within the scope of this draft technical regulation.</li> </ul>
<b>7.</b>	<b>Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Protection of human health or safety
<b>8.</b>	<b>Relevant documents:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>TCVN 6238-6 (ISO 8124-6) Safety of toys - Part 6: Certain phthalate esters in toys and children's products</li> <li>TCVN 11332 (IEC 62115) Electric toys - Safety</li> </ul>
<b>9.</b>	<b>Proposed date of adoption:</b> To be determined <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> To be determined
<b>10.</b>	<b>Final date for comments:</b> 60 days from notification
<b>11.</b>	<b>Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:</b>  Vietnam Standard and Quality Institute Directorate for Standards, Metrology and Quality No 8 Hoang Quoc Viet Street, Cau Giay District, Ha noi. Tel: 02438361462 Fax: 024 38361771 Email: <a href="mailto:info@vsqi.gov.vn">info@vsqi.gov.vn</a> Website: <a href="http://www.vsqi.gov.vn">www.vsqi.gov.vn</a>  Or can be downloaded at:  <a href="http://vsqi.gov.vn/en/lay-y-kien-cho-du-thao-qcvn-ve-do-choi-tre-em-a174">http://vsqi.gov.vn/en/lay-y-kien-cho-du-thao-qcvn-ve-do-choi-tre-em-a174</a> <a href="http://tbt.gov.vn/To%20Link%20lin%20kt/QCVN%203-2017%20(DT3)%20toy%20safety.doc">http://tbt.gov.vn/To%20Link%20lin%20kt/QCVN%203-2017%20(DT3)%20toy%20safety.doc</a>