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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: VIET NAM

If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):

2. Agency responsible:

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- 3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], other:
- 4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): 5G Nonstandalone User Equipment intended to be used in Vietnam (HS code: 8517.12.00). 5G Non-standalone User Equipment operate in specific frequency bands and can integrate any or a combination of following functions: E-UTRA land mobile terminal equipment W-CDMA FDD land mobile terminal equipment GSM land mobile terminal equipment Radio equipment operating in the 2.4 GHz band and using spread spectrum modulation techniques Radio access equipment operating in the 5 GHz band Short range devices (transmitters, transceivers); Telephones for cellular networks "mobile telephones" or for other wireless networks (HS 851712)
- **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Draft National technical regulation on Non-standalone 5G User Equipment Radio Access (69 page(s), in Vietnamese)

- **6. Description of content:** The draft National technical regulation on Non-standalone 5G User Equipment Radio access is based on:
 - ETSI TS 138 101-3 V16.6.0 (2021-04): 5G User Equipment (UE) radio transmission and reception; Part 3: Range 1 and Range 2 Interworking operation with other radios (3GPP TS 38.101-3 version 16.7.0 Release 16);
 - ETSI TS 138 521-3 (V16.7.0) (05-2021): "5G User Equipment (UE) conformance specification; Radio transmission and reception; Part 3: Range 1 and Range 2 Interworking operation with other radios (3GPP TS 38.521-3 version 16.7.0 Release 16).

This draft technical regulation specifies the radio access technical requirements for Non-Standalone 5G User Equipment operating on all or one of the band combiners specified in Table 1 and complying with the requirements of this draft Regulation and the regulations on management and use of radio frequencies in Vietnam;

This draft technical regulation applies to Vietnamese and foreign organizations and individuals that manufacture and trade in equipment covered by this regulation in the territory of Vietnam.

7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Quality requirements

8. Relevant documents:

- The Law on quality of products and goods;
- The Law on standards and technical regulations;
- Circular No.30/2011/TT-BTTTT dated 31October, 2011 specifying mandatory certification and declaration of products and goods in information technology and communications sector;
- Circular No.15/2018/TT-BTTTT dated 15 November, 2018 providing modifications and amendments for the Circular No.30/2011/TT-BTTTT;
- Circular No.10/2020/TT-BTTTT dated 7 May, 2020 providing modifications and amendments for the Circular No.30/2011/TT-BTTTT;
- Circular No.11/2020/TT-BTTTT dated 14 May, 2020 specifying the list of products and goods with unsafe capability under management responsibility of Ministry of Information and Communications.
- Circular No.01/2021/TT-BTTTT dated 14 May, 2021 providing modifications and amendments for the Circular No.11/2020/TT-BTTTT.
- **9. Proposed date of adoption:** 1 November 2021

Proposed date of entry into force: 1 January 2022

10. Final date for comments: 60 days from notification

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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