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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: <u>VIET NAM</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment No.10 Ton That Thuyet Street, Nam Tu Liem District Ha Noi, Viet Nam Tel: (84-4) 37956868 Fax : (84-4) 38359221 Website: http://www.monre.gov.vn/wps/portal/Trangchu 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: Vietnam Environment Administration No.10 Ton That Thuyet Street, Nam Tu Liem District Ha Noi, Viet Nam Tel: (84-4) 37956868 (3241) Fax: (84-4) 38223189 E-mail: pcvepa@gmail.com Website: http://www.vea.gov.vn
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): -
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft Decree implementing a number of articles of the Law on Environmental Protection (511 page(s), in Vietnamese)
6. Description of content: This Decree details several articles of the Law on Environmental Protection on the protection of environmental components; environmental zoning, strategic environmental assessment, environmental impact assessment; environmental license, environmental registration; environmental protection in production, business, service, urban, rural, and several fields; waste management; responsibility for recycling and handling discarded products and packages of producing or importing organizations and individuals; environmental monitoring; environmental information system and database; prevention and response to environmental incidents, compensation for environmental damage; economic tools and resources for environmental protection; State management, inspection, inspection and provision of online public services on environmental protection.

This Decree applies to agencies, organizations, communities, households, and individuals engaged in activities related to the contents mentioned above in the territory of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam.	
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of the environment
8.	Relevant documents: -
9.	Proposed date of adoption: To be determined Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined
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: Vietnam Environment Administration No.10 Ton That Thuyet Street, Nam Tu Liem District Ha Noi, Viet Nam Tel: (84-4) 37956868 (3241) Fax: (84-4) 38223189 E-mail: pcvepa@gmail.com Website: http://www.vea.gov.vn https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/TBT/VNM/21_5016_00_x.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/TBT/VNM/21_5016_01_x.pdf