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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: Quality Assurance and Testing Center 3 (QUATEST 3) Commission for Standards, Metrology and Quality of Viet Nam Ministry of Science and Technology 49 Pasteur Street, Nguyen Thai Binh Ward, District 1, Ho Chi Minh City Tel: +84 28 3829 4274 Email: info@quatest3.com.vn 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:
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 or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Commercial natural gas, including PNG, CNG and LNG
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft National technical regulation on commercial natural gas; (17 page(s), in Vietnamese)
6. Description of content: This draft technical regulation prescribes the limits for technical criteria related to safety, health, environment and quality management requirements for commercial natural gas, including pipeline natural gas (PNG), compressed natural gas (CNG) and liquefied natural gas (LNG) with HS codes specified in the List of export and import goods issued by the Ministry of Finance under Circular No. 31/2022/TT-BTC dated June 8, 2022 (see Appendix A). This draft technical regulation applies to agencies, organizations and individuals that involve the production, trading, processing, blending, import and distribution of commercial natural gas in Vietnam.
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health or safety
8. Relevant documents: - Circular No. 31/2022/TT-BTC dated June 8, 2022
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 [] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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