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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 Labour - Invalids and Social Affairs 12 Ngo Quyen Str, Hoan Kiem District Ha Noi, Viet Nam Tel: (84-24) 62703613; (84-24) 62730615 Fax: (84-24) 62703609 Website: http://www.molisa.gov.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: Ministry of Labour - Invalids and Social Affairs Department of Work Safety No3, 7 Alley, Ton That Thuyet Str, Cau Giay District Ha Noi, Viet Nam Tel: (84-24) 9362950 Fax: (84-24) 9362920 Website: http://www.antoanlaodong.gov.vn Email: bsw@antoanlaodong.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): Leg and foot protection (ICS 13.340.50).
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft National technical regulation for Protection Equipment - Safe Shoes (16 page(s), in Vietnamese)
6. Description of content: This draft technical regulation specifies basic technical requirements for safety shoes or boots protecting workers against the impact of heavy weight objects that may fall or crush when working. This draft technical regulation applies to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Organizations and individuals who produce, import, supply, make available and use safety shoes or boots;• State management authorities and other relevant organizations and individuals. Shoes or boots without both soles and lining or without soles yet with removable lining are not subject to the provisions of this technical regulation.

7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health or safety
8.	Relevant documents: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Circular 28/2012/TT-BKHCHN Providing for Announcement of Standard Conformity and Announcement of Technical-Regulation Conformity and Method to Assess Conformity with Standards and Technical Regulations • TCVN 7652:2007 (ISO 20345:2004) Personal protective equipment – Safety footwear
9.	Proposed date of adoption: December 2017 Proposed date of entry into force: May 2018
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: Department of Work Safety No 3, 7 Alley, Ton That Thuyet Str, Cau Giay District Ha Noi, Viet Nam Tel: (84-24) 9362950 Fax: (84-24) 9362920 Website: http://www.antolanlaodong.gov.vn Email: bsw@antolanlaodong.gov.vn Or download at: http://antolanlaodong.gov.vn/catId/Pages/chitiettin.aspx?IDNews=1790