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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.	<b>Member to Agreement notifying:</b> <u>THE SEPARATE CUSTOMS TERRITORY OF TAIWAN, PENGHU, KINMEN AND MATSU</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
2.	<b>Agency responsible:</b> The Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection (BSMI) Ministry of Economic Affairs 4 Chinan Road, Section 1, Taipei, 100, Taiwan Telephone: (8862) 2396 7148 Fax: (886-2) 2397 0715 E-mail: metrology@bsmi.gov.tw <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>
3.	<b>Notified under Article 2.9.2 [ ], 2.10.1 [ X ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ X ], other:</b>
4.	<b>Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Laser Speedometers (HS: 809 239)
5.	<b>Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Amendment of Technical Specification for Verification and Inspection of Laser Speedometers (6 pages, in Chinese).
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> This draft amendment of Technical Specification for Verification and Inspection of Laser Speedometers is referring to the American national standards of Speed-Measuring Device Performance Specifications (DOT HS809 239) issued by NIST (National Institute of Standards and Technology) trusted by IACP (International Association of Chief's of Police) & NHTSA (National Highway Traffic Safety Administration). After the amendment becomes effective, all manufacturing and importing laser speedometers shall be verified according to the requirements of this technical specification before selling .
7.	<b>Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> In order to ensure fair trade and to maintain proper public safety and health and environmental protection.
8.	<b>Relevant documents:</b> Speed-Measuring Device Performance Specifications: Lidar Module

<b>9.</b>	<b>Proposed date of adoption:</b> <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b>	15 August 2009 1 January 2010
<b>10.</b>	<b>Final date for comments:</b> 1 August 2009	
<b>11.</b>	<b>Text available from: National enquiry point [ X], or address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body:</b> WTO/TBT Enquiry Point The Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection Ministry of Economic Affairs 4 Chinan Road, Section 1, Taipei, 100, Taiwan Telephone: (886-2) 3343-5140 Fax: (886-2) 2343 1804 E-mail: tbtenq@bsmi.gov.tw	