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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION 台灣 通知－固定通信多媒體內容傳輸平臺機上盒

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1.	Notifying Member: <u>THE SEPARATE CUSTOMS TERRITORY OF TAIWAN, PENGHU, KINMEN AND MATSU</u> 台灣 If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: National Communications Commission (NCC) 5th floor, No.16, Sec. 2, Ji-Nan Road Taipei City 10054, Taiwan Tel: +886-2-3343-8246 Fax: +886-2-2343-3636 Email: tsaich@ncc.gov.tw 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 [X], 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): Set-Top Box of Multimedia Content Distribution Platform. 固定通信多媒體內容傳輸平臺機上盒
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Technical Specifications for Set-Top Box of Multimedia Content Distribution Platform on a Fixed Telecommunications Network Draft (12 page(s), in English; 16 page(s), in Chinese)
6.	Description of content: At the current stage, subscribers need to install a set-top box for receiving the multimedia on demand (MOD) services provided by the local network operators through the multimedia content distribution platform. With a view to implementing Article 1 of the "Fundamental Communications Act" to protect the rights and interests of consumers, NCC proposes "Technical Specifications for Set-Top Box of Multimedia Content Distribution Platform on a Fixed Telecommunications Network" according to Paragraph 1, Article 42 of the Telecommunications Act as well as relevant national and international standards. Below are the key elements of the Technical Specifications: 考量現行市內網路業務經營者經由多媒體內容傳輸平臺，提供之多媒體隨選視訊服務，訂戶端仍須加裝數位機上盒始得收視。為落實通訊傳播基本法第一條維護國民權利及保障消費者利益之立法意旨，爰依電信法第四十二條第一項規定，復參酌相關國家標準、國際標準，訂定固定通信多媒體內容傳輸平臺機上盒技術規範。訂定重點如下： 1. Legal basis (point 1); 法源依據（第一點） 2. Scope of Applications (point 2); 適用範圍（第二點） 3. Technical Standards (point 3); 技術標準（第三點） 4. Definition of Terms (point 4); 名詞定義（第四點）

5. Testing Items and Approval Standards (point 5). 測試項目及合格標準（第五點）	
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Streamlining administrative procedures and consumer protection.
8.	Relevant documents: Telecommunications Act.
9.	Proposed date of adoption: 15 September 2017 Proposed date of entry into force: 15 September 2017
10.	Final date for comments: 28 July 2017
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body: TPKM-WTO/TBT Enquiry Point The Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection Ministry of Economic Affairs 4 Chinan Road, Section 1 Taipei City 100, Taiwan Tel.: (+886 2) 2343 1813 Fax: (+886 2) 2343 1804 E-mail: tbteng@bsmi.gov.tw https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2017/TBT/TPKM/17_2746_00_e.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2017/TBT/TPKM/17_2746_00_x.pdf