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NOTIFICATION 美國 通知-非易燃電氣設備

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), U.S. Department of Labor (DOL) [2269]
3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], 3.2 [], 7.2 [], Other [X]: Remove withdrawn test standards from the Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratories program's list and its scope of recognition and substitute updated replacement standards where applicable.
4. Products covered (HS codes or national tariff lines. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Product safety testing and certification services; Services (ICS code(s): 03.080); Quality (ICS code(s): 03.120); Occupational safety. Industrial hygiene (ICS code(s): 13.100); Test conditions and procedures in general (ICS code(s): 19.020); Electrical and electronic testing (ICS code(s): 19.080); Electrical engineering in general (ICS code(s): 29.020); Electrical equipment for working in special conditions (ICS code(s): 29.260) 產品安全測試與認證服務；服務（ICS 編碼：03.080）；品質（ICS 編碼：03.120）；職業安全與工業衛生（ICS 編碼：13.100）；一般測試條件與程序（ICS 編碼：19.020）；電氣與電子測試（ICS 編碼：19.080）；一般電機工程（ICS 編碼：29.020）；特殊條件作業用電氣設備（ICS 編碼：29.260）
5. Details of notified document(s) (title, number of pages and languages, means of access): Proposed Modification to the List of Appropriate NRTL Program Test Standards and the Scope of Recognition of Several NRTLs; (6 page(s), in English) Link to notified document(s) and/or contact details for agency or authority which can provide copies upon request: https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/USA/25_06073_00_e.pdf
6. Description of content: Notice - In this notice, the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) proposes to: (1) delete test standards from the Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratories (NRTL) Program's list of appropriate test standards; and (2) modify the scope of recognition of several NRTLs. 通知 — 本通知中，職業安全與健康管理局（OSHA）擬提出以下兩項內容：(1) 從全國認可測試實驗室（NRTL）計畫的適用測試標準清單中刪除某些測試標準；以及 (2) 修改數個 NRTL 的認可範圍。

7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health or safety; Quality requirements
8.	<p>Relevant documents:</p> <p>90 Federal Register (FR) 44242, 15 September 2025: https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-09-12/html/2025-17647.htm https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-09-12/pdf/2025-17647.pdf</p> <p>This notice is identified by Docket Number OSHA-2013-0012. The Docket Folder is available on Regulations.gov at https://www.regulations.gov/docket/OSHA-2013-0012/document and provides access to primary and supporting documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from Regulations.gov by searching the Docket Number.</p> <p>Relevant notifications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • G/TBT/N/USA/1458 • G/TBT/N/USA/1476 • G/TBT/N/USA/1549 • G/TBT/N/USA/1798
9.	<p>Proposed date of adoption: To be determined</p> <p>Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined</p>
10.	<p>Provision of comments</p> <p>Final date for comments: 14 October 2025</p> <p>[] 60 days from notification</p> <p>WTO Members and their stakeholders are asked to submit comments to the USA TBT Enquiry Point by or before 4pm Eastern Time on 14 October 2025. Comments received by the USA TBT Enquiry Point from WTO Members and their stakeholders will be shared with OSHA and will also be submitted to the Docket on Regulations.gov if received within the comment period.</p> <p>Contact details of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification:</p> <p>Please submit comments to: USA WTO TBT Enquiry Point, Email: usatbtep@nist.gov</p>



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NOTIFICATION 歐洲 通知-含合成塑膠微粒產品

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>EUROPEAN UNION</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: European Commission EU-TBT Enquiry Point, Fax: +(32) 2 299 80 43, E-mail: grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu Website: https://technical-barriers-trade.ec.europa.eu/en/home
3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [X], 5.7.1 [], 3.2 [], 7.2 [], Other:
4. Products covered (HS codes or national tariff lines. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Products containing intentionally-added microplastics (particles with dimensions below 5 mm that are formed or coated by synthetic solid organic polymers which are insoluble and non-biodegradable). 含有刻意添加微塑膠的產品（微塑膠為尺寸小於 5 毫米、由不溶解且不可生物分解的合成固態有機聚合物形成或塗覆的微粒）。
5. Details of notified document(s) (title, number of pages and languages, means of access): Draft Commission Regulation (EU) .../... amending Annex XVII to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards synthetic polymer microparticles; (4 page(s), in English), (2 page(s), in English) Link to notified document(s) and/or contact details for agency or authority which can provide copies upon request: https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/EEC/25_06123_00_e.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/EEC/25_06123_01_e.pdf European Commission EU-TBT Enquiry Point Fax: + (32) 2 299 80 43 E-mail: grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu The text is available on the Website: https://technical-barriers-trade.ec.europa.eu/en/home
6. Description of content: This draft Regulation would amend entry 78 of Annex XVII to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 on synthetic polymer microparticles. Feedback from Member States and stakeholders highlighted that the current enacting terms of entry 78 do not accurately reflect the intention of the regulators (i) to derogate all medicinal products, including those used in clinical trials, (ii) to derogate uses for product and process-oriented research and development, and (iii) not to derogate

<p>synthetic polymer microparticles permanently incorporated in a solid matrix that is intended to be frequently removed and replaced.</p> <p>本擬議法規將修訂 (EC) 第 1907/2006 號法規附錄 XVII 第 78 條關於合成聚合物微粒的內容。來自會員國及相關利益方的意見指出，目前第 78 條的措辭未能準確反映監管機構的意圖，具體包括：(i) 豁免所有藥品，包括臨床試驗中使用的藥品；(ii) 豁免用於產品與流程導向的研發用途；以及 (iii) 不豁免永久嵌入於固態基質中且預期經常拆卸更換的合成聚合物微粒。</p>
<p>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of the environment</p>
<p>8. Relevant documents:</p> <p>- Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH Regulation): http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?qid=1423064258789&uri=CELEX:32006R1907</p> <p>- Annex XV dossier for restriction and opinions of ECHA Committees</p>
<p>9. Proposed date of adoption: Fourth quarter of 2025</p> <p>Proposed date of entry into force: 20 days from publication in the Official Journal of the EU. The amendments to the derogations on medicinal products and product- and process-oriented research and development would apply retroactively as of 17 October 2023.</p>
<p>10. Provision of comments</p> <p>Final date for comments: 16 November 2025</p> <p>[X] 60 days from notification</p> <p>Contact details of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification:</p> <p>European Commission, EU-TBT Enquiry Point, Fax: + (32) 2 299 80 43, E-mail: grow-eu-tbt@ec.europa.eu</p>



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NOTIFICATION 中國 通知-耐火電纜槽盒

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>CHINA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: State Administration for Market Regulation (Standardization Administration of the P.R.C.)
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 codes or national tariff lines. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Fire-resistant cable trunking (HS code(s): 853890); (ICS code(s): 13.220.50) 耐火電纜槽管 (HS 編碼: 853890) ; (ICS 編碼: 13.220.50)
5. Details of notified document(s) (title, number of pages and languages, means of access): National Standard of the P.R.C., Fire-resistant cable trunking; (14 page(s), in Chinese) Link to notified document(s) and/or contact details for agency or authority which can provide copies upon request: https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/CHN/25_06096_00_x.pdf
6. Description of content: This document specifies the classification and codes, specifications, models, general requirements, technical requirements, test methods, inspection rules, markings, packaging, transportation, and storage of fire-resistant cable trunking. This document applies to the design, manufacturing, and quality inspection of fire-resistant cable trunking used in industrial and civil buildings for laying cables below 1kV. 本文件規定了防火電纜橋架的分類與編碼、規格、型號、一般要求、技術要求、試驗方法、檢驗規則、標誌、包裝、運輸及儲存。本文件適用於工業及民用建築中，用於敷設低於 1 千伏電纜的防火電纜橋架的設計、製造及質量檢驗。
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of human health or safety; Protection of animal or plant life or health; Protection of the environment; Quality requirements
8. Relevant documents: -
9. Proposed date of adoption: To be determined

Proposed date of entry into force: 12 months after approval
10. Provision of comments Final date for comments: 16 November 2025 [X] 60 days from notification Contact details of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification: WTO/TBT National Notification and Enquiry Center of the People's Republic of China Tel : +86 10 57954633/ 57954627 E_mail: tbt@customs.gov.cn



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NOTIFICATION 通知 中國-消防風機

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>CHINA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: State Administration for Market Regulation (Standardization Administration of the P.R.C.)
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 codes or national tariff lines. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Fire fighting fan (HS code(s): 841459); (ICS code(s): 13.220.50) 消防風機 (HS 編碼: 841459) ; (ICS 編碼: 13.220.50)
5. Details of notified document(s) (title, number of pages and languages, means of access): National Standard of the P.R.C., General technical requirement for fire fighting fan; (14 page(s), in Chinese) Link to notified document(s) and/or contact details for agency or authority which can provide copies upon request: https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/CHN/25_06095_00_x.pdf
6. Description of content: This document specifies the terms and definitions, classification and codes, specifications, models, materials and accessories, technical requirements, test methods, and inspection rules for fire fighting fans. This document applies to the design, production, manufacturing, and inspection of fire positive pressure air supply fans and fire exhaust fume fans. 本文件規定了消防風機的術語與定義、分類與編碼、規格、型號、材料與配件、技術要求、試驗方法及檢驗規則。本文件適用於消防正壓送風機與消防排煙風機的設計、生產、製造及檢驗。
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of human health or safety; Protection of animal or plant life or health; Protection of the environment; Quality requirements
8. Relevant documents: -
9. Proposed date of adoption: To be determined

Proposed date of entry into force: 12 months after approval
10. Provision of comments Final date for comments: 16 November 2025 [X] 60 days from notification Contact details of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification: WTO/TBT National Notification and Enquiry Center of the People's Republic of China Tel : +86 10 57954633/ 57954627 E_mail: tbt@customs.gov.cn



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NOTIFICATION 日本 通知-含 PFHxS 之防水紡織品及半導體製程品

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>JAPAN</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI), Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare (MHLW), Ministry of the Environment (MOE)
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 codes or national tariff lines. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): The following chemical substances · Perfluoro (hexane-1-sulfonic acid) (PFHxS)-related compounds The following products in which PFHxS-related compounds are used 1. Water-repellent textiles and oil-repellent textiles 2. Etching agents used for metal processing 3. Etchants used in the manufacture of semiconductors 4. Surface treatment agents for plating or such preparation additives 5. Antireflection agents used in semiconductor manufacturing 6. Resists for semiconductors 7. Water repellent, oil repellent and fabric protection agents 8. Fire extinguishers, fire-extinguishing agents, and fire-extinguishing foam 9. Water-repellent clothes and oil-repellent clothes 10. Water-repellent floor coverings and oil-repellent floor coverings 以下化學物質： · 全氟（己烷-1-磺酸）（PFHxS）相關化合物 以下使用 PFHxS 相關化合物的產品： 1. 防水紡織品與防油紡織品 2. 用於金屬加工的蝕刻劑 3. 用於半導體製造的蝕刻液 4. 用於電鍍的表面處理劑或相關添加劑 5. 用於半導體製造的抗反射劑 6. 半導體光阻劑

7. 防水、防油與布料保護劑
8. 滅火器、滅火劑與滅火泡沫
9. 防水與防油衣物
10. 防水與防油地板覆蓋材料

- 5. Details of notified document(s) (title, number of pages and languages, means of access):** Revision of the Order for Enforcement of the Act on the Regulation of Manufacture and Evaluation of Chemical Substances; (2 page(s), in English)

Link to notified document(s) and/or contact details for agency or authority which can provide copies upon request:

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/JPN/25_06105_00_e.pdf

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- 6. Description of content:** Based on Article 17 and 22 of the Act on the Regulation of Manufacture and Evaluation of Chemical Substances (hereinafter referred to as the "Act"), the following will be designated as Class I Specified Chemical Substances which need authorization to be manufactured or imported.

Perfluoro (hexane-1-sulfonic acid) (PFHxS)-related compounds

Based on Article 24 of the Act, the following will be designated as products prohibited from being imported when PFHxS-related compounds are used in them.

1. Water-repellent textiles and oil-repellent textiles
2. Etching agents used for metal processing
3. Etchants used in the manufacture of semiconductors
4. Surface treatment agents for plating or such preparation additives
5. Antireflection agents used in semiconductor manufacturing
6. Resists for semiconductors
7. Water repellent, oil repellent and fabric protection agents
8. Fire extinguishers, fire-extinguishing agents, and fire-extinguishing foam
9. Water-repellent clothes and oil-repellent clothes
10. Water-repellent floor coverings and oil-repellent floor coverings

根據《化學物質製造與評估管理法》（以下簡稱「本法」）第 17 條及第 22 條，下列物質將被指定為第一類特定化學物質，其製造或進口須取得授權：

- 全氟（己烷-1-磺酸）（PFHxS）相關化合物

根據本法第 24 條，若下列產品中使用 PFHxS 相關化合物，則將被指定為禁止進口產品：

1. 防水紡織品與防油紡織品
2. 用於金屬加工的蝕刻劑
3. 用於半導體製造的蝕刻液
4. 電鍍用的表面處理劑或相關配製添加劑
5. 用於半導體製造的抗反射劑

6. 半導體光阻劑 7. 防水、防油及布料保護劑 8. 滅火器、滅火劑與滅火泡沫 9. 防水衣物與防油衣物 10. 防水與防油地板覆蓋材料
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health or safety; Protection of animal or plant life or health; Protection of the environment
8. Relevant documents: - Act on the Regulation of Manufacture and Evaluation of Chemical Substances (Act No. 117 of October 16, 1973) https://www.japaneselawtranslation.go.jp/en/laws/view/3350 - Order for Enforcement of the Act on the Regulation of Manufacture and Evaluation of Chemical Substances (Cabinet Order No. 202 of June 7, 1974) https://www.japaneselawtranslation.go.jp/en/laws/view/4668 Relevant notifications: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • G/TBT/N/JPN/830 • G/TBT/N/JPN/805 • G/TBT/N/JPN/781 • G/TBT/N/JPN/781/Add.1 • G/TBT/N/JPN/685 • G/TBT/N/JPN/685/Add.1 • G/TBT/N/JPN/572 • G/TBT/N/JPN/506 • G/TBT/N/JPN/447 • G/TBT/N/JPN/307 • G/TBT/N/JPN/216 • G/TBT/N/JPN/139
9. Proposed date of adoption: December 2025 Proposed date of entry into force: June 2026
10. Provision of comments Final date for comments: 16 November 2025 [X] 60 days from notification Contact details of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification: International Trade Division Economic Affairs Bureau Ministry of Foreign Affairs 2-2-1 Kasumigaseki, Chiyoda-ku Tokyo 100-8919, Japan Tel.: + (81) 3 5501 8344

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NOTIFICATION 美國 通知-溫室氣體

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) [2271]
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 codes or national tariff lines. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Greenhouse Gas Reporting; Maintenance services. Facilities management (ICS code(s): 03.080.10); Air quality (ICS code(s): 13.040) 溫室氣體申報；維護服務。設施管理（ICS 編碼：03.080.10）；空氣品質（ICS 編碼：13.040）
5. Details of notified document(s) (title, number of pages and languages, means of access): Reconsideration of the Greenhouse Gas Reporting Program; (28 page(s), in English) Link to notified document(s) and/or contact details for agency or authority which can provide copies upon request: https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/USA/25_06094_00_e.pdf
6. Description of content: Proposed rule - The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is proposing to amend the Greenhouse Gas Reporting Program (GHGRP) to remove program obligations for most source categories, including the distribution segment of the petroleum and natural gas systems source category (subpart W--Petroleum and Natural Gas Systems), and suspend program obligations for the remaining subpart W segments until reporting year 2034. 擬議規則 — 美國環境保護署（EPA）擬修訂《溫室氣體申報計畫》（GHGRP），取消大多數排放源類別的申報義務，包括石油與天然氣系統排放源類別中的配銷環節（W 子部分 — 石油與天然氣系統），並暫停其餘 W 子部分各環節的申報義務，直至 2034 申報年度。
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Cost saving and productivity enhancement

8. Relevant documents:

90 Federal Register (FR) 44591, 16 September 2025; [Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations \(CFR\) Part 98](#):

<https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-09-16/html/2025-17923.htm>

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This proposed rule is identified by Docket Number EPA-HQ-OAR-2025-0186. The Docket Folder is available from Regulations.gov at <https://www.regulations.gov/docket/EPA-HQ-OAR-2025-0186/document> and provides access to primary and supporting documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from [Regulations.gov](https://www.regulations.gov) by searching the Docket Number.

Relevant notifications:

- [G/TBT/N/USA/1880/Add.3](#)
- [G/TBT/N/USA/2027/Add.3](#)

9. Proposed date of adoption: To be determined

Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined

10. Provision of comments

Final date for comments: 3 November 2025

[] 60 days from notification

WTO Members and their stakeholders are asked to submit comments to the [USA TBT Enquiry Point](#) by or before [4pm Eastern Time](#) on 3 November 2025. Comments received by the USA TBT Enquiry Point from WTO Members and their stakeholders will be shared with EPA and submitted to the [Docket](#) if received within the comment period.

Contact details of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification:

Please submit comments to: USA WTO TBT Enquiry Point, Email: usatbtep@nist.gov



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NOTIFICATION 美國 追加通知-三氯乙烯

Addendum

The following communication, dated 18 September 2025, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United States of America.

Title: Trichloroethylene; Regulation Under the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA); Compliance Date Extension

Reason for Addendum:	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Comment period changed - date: 17 October 2025
<input type="checkbox"/>	Notified measure adopted - date:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Notified measure published - date: 17 September 2025
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Notified measure enters into force - date: 15 September 2025
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Text of final measure available from ¹ : https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/USA/final_measure/25_06130_00_e.pdf
<input type="checkbox"/>	Notified measure withdrawn or revoked - date: Relevant symbol if measure re-notified:
<input type="checkbox"/>	Content or scope of notified measure changed and text available from ¹ : New deadline for comments (if applicable):
<input type="checkbox"/>	Interpretive guidance issued and text available from ¹ :
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:

Description: The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA or Agency) is taking interim final action on the Regulation of Trichloroethylene ([TCE](#)) under the Toxic Substances Control Act ([TSCA](#)) to revise certain compliance deadlines finalized in 2024. Specifically, EPA is amending the prohibition compliance date for the use of TCE as a processing aid in the manufacture of nuclear fuel, with corresponding changes to the compliance dates for the manufacturing, processing and distribution in commerce of TCE to support such use, to a prohibition on 15 September 2028. EPA is also amending the prohibition compliance date for the disposal of TCE to wastewater by processors of TCE and processors and industrial and commercial users of TCE as a processing aid, to begin on 18 December 2026. EPA is also amending the compliance deadline for downstream notification, and the text required to be present in Safety Data Sheets, to accurately reflect the new prohibition compliance deadline for TCE used as a processing aid in the manufacture of nuclear fuel. EPA is amending this compliance deadline to allow for 90 days after the publication of the final rule for

¹ This information can be provided by including a website address, a pdf attachment, or other information on where the text of the final/modified measure and/or interpretive guidance can be obtained.

manufacturers, processors, and distributors in commerce of TCE to make such a change. These revisions are necessary to address new information presented to EPA about inadvertent oversights in the original rulemaking and serious concerns that the facilities at issue will be unable to comply with the relevant requirements by the existing deadlines. EPA is requesting comments on all aspects of this interim final rule and will consider all comments received in determining whether amendments to this rule are appropriate after the conclusion of the comment period.

This interim final rule is effective on 15 September 2025. Comments must be received on or before 17 October 2025.

90 Federal Register (FR) 44772, 17 September 2025; [Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations \(CFR\) Part 751](#):

<https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-09-17/html/2025-17948.htm>

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This action and previous actions notified under the symbol [G/TBT/N/USA/2062](#) are identified by Docket Number EPA-HQ-OPPT-2020-0642. The Docket Folder is available on Regulations.gov at <https://www.regulations.gov/docket/EPA-HQ-OPPT-2020-0642/document> and provides access to primary and supporting documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from [Regulations.gov](#) by searching the Docket Number. WTO Members and their stakeholders are asked to submit comments to the [USA TBT Enquiry Point](#) by or before [4pm Eastern Time](#) on 17 October 2025. Comments received by the USA TBT Enquiry Point from WTO Members and their stakeholders will be shared with EPA and will also be submitted to the [Docket](#) on Regulations.gov if received within the comment period.

美國環境保護署（EPA 或本署）正在根據《有害物質管制法》（TSCA）對三氯乙烯（TCE）相關規定採取臨時最終措施，修訂 2024 年已確定的部分合規期限。具體而言，EPA 將修改禁止使用 TCE 作為核燃料製造過程中助劑的合規日期，並相應調整支持此用途的 TCE 製造、加工及商業流通的合規日期，將禁止使用的日期設定為 2028 年 9 月 15 日。

EPA 同時修改禁止將 TCE 排放至廢水的合規日期，該規定適用於 TCE 加工者及作為助劑的工業與商業用戶，新的開始日期為 2026 年 12 月 18 日。此外，EPA 亦調整下游通知的合規期限及安全數據表（SDS）中所需載明的內容，以準確反映核燃料製造中使用 TCE 作為助劑的新禁止合規期限。此合規期限調整允許製造商、加工商及商業流通者在最終規則公布後有 90 天時間進行變更。

這些修訂是基於 EPA 獲悉的有關原規則制定過程中無意遺漏的新資訊，以及對相關設施無法在現行期限內完成合規的嚴重關切所做出的必要調整。EPA 現正徵求公眾對本臨時最終規則各方面的意見，並將在意見期結束後，考慮是否有必要修訂規則。

本臨時最終規則自 2025 年 9 月 15 日起生效。意見須於 2025 年 10 月 17 日或之前送達。

參 考 資 料：
《聯邦公報》（FR）第 90 卷 44772 頁，2025 年 9 月 17 日；《聯邦法規彙編》（CFR）第 40 編第 751 部分：

- HTML 版本
- PDF 版本

本次行動及先前相關行動於 WTO 以 G/TBT/N/USA/2062 通報，案卷號為 EPA-HQ-OPPT-2020-0642。完整案卷可於 [Regulations.gov](#) 網站查閱：

<https://www.regulations.gov/docket/EPA-HQ-OPPT-2020-0642/document>

該網站提供主要與支援性文件及已接收評論意見的查閱。您也可透過輸入案卷號於 Regulations.gov 搜尋。

敬請 WTO 會員國及其利益相關者於美東時間 2025 年 10 月 17 日下午 4 點前，向美國 TBT 諮詢點提交意見。會員國及相關方所提交的意見將分享給 EPA，並於收到期限內轉送案卷。



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NOTIFICATION 美國 修正通知-化學物質

Revision

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6.

1. Notifying Member: <u>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], 3.2 [], 7.2 [], Other [X]: Comments sought on burden estimates and on how the proposed changes may reduce burdens, with supporting data and examples.
4. Products covered (HS codes or national tariff lines. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Chemical substances; Environmental protection (ICS code(s): 13.020); Production in the chemical industry (ICS code(s): 71.020); Products of the chemical industry (ICS code(s): 71.100) 化學物質；環境保護（ICS 編碼：13.020）；化學工業生產（ICS 編碼：71.020）； 化學工業產品（ICS 編碼：71.100）
5. Details of notified document(s) (title, number of pages and languages, means of access): Procedures for Chemical Risk Evaluation Under the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA); (28 page(s), in English) Link to notified document(s) and/or contact details for agency or authority which can provide copies upon request: https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/USA/25_06388_00_e.pdf
6. Description of content: Proposed rule - The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA, "the Agency") is proposing to amend the procedural framework rule for conducting existing chemical risk evaluations under the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA). When conducting an existing chemical risk evaluation under TSCA, EPA must determine whether a chemical substance presents an unreasonable risk of injury to health or the environment, without consideration of costs or non-risk factors, including unreasonable risk to a potentially exposed or susceptible subpopulation identified as relevant to the risk evaluation, under the conditions of use. In this action, EPA proposes to rescind or revise certain 2024 amendments to the procedural framework rule to effectuate the best reading of the statute and ensure that the procedural framework rule does not impede the timely completion of risk evaluations or impair the effective and efficient protection of health and the environment.

美國環境保護署（EPA，「本署」）擬修訂《有害物質管制法》（TSCA）下現有化學物質風險評估的程序框架規則。依據 TSCA 進行現有化學物質風險評估時，EPA 必須判斷該化學物質是否對健康或環境造成不合理風險，且該判斷不得考慮成本或非風險因素，並應包括對已識別為相關的潛在暴露或易感亞群體在使用條件下的不合理風險評估。

本次行動中，EPA 擬撤銷或修訂 2024 年對程序框架規則的部分修正。此舉旨在提供對法規的最佳解釋，並確保程序框架規則不會延誤風險評估的及時完成，也不會削弱對健康與環境有效且高效的保護。

7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health or safety; Protection of animal or plant life or health; Protection of the environment

8. Relevant documents:

90 Federal Register (FR) 45690, 23 September 2025; [Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations \(CFR\) Part 702](#):

<https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-09-23/html/2025-18431.htm>

<https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-09-23/pdf/2025-18431.pdf>

This proposed rule is identified by Docket Number EPA-HQ-OPPT-2025-0260. The Docket Folder is available on Regulations.gov at <https://www.regulations.gov/docket/EPA-HQ-OPPT-2025-0260/document> and provides access to primary and supporting documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from [Regulations.gov](#) by searching the Docket Number.

Earlier actions notified under the symbol [G/TBT/N/USA/1276](#) are identified by Docket Numbers [EPA-HQ-OPPT-2016-0654](#) and [EPA-HQ-OPPT-2023-0496](#) and provide access to primary and supporting documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from [Regulations.gov](#) by searching the Docket Number.

9. Proposed date of adoption: To be determined

Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined

10. Provision of comments

Final date for comments: 7 November 2025

[] 60 days from notification

WTO Members and their stakeholders are asked to submit comments to the [USA TBT Enquiry Point](#) by or before [4pm Eastern Time](#) on 7 November 2025. Comments received by the USA TBT Enquiry Point from WTO Members and their stakeholders will be shared with EPA and submitted to the [Docket](#) if received within the comment period.

Contact details of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification:

Please submit comments to: USA WTO TBT Enquiry Point, Email: usatbtep@nist.gov



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NOTIFICATION 美國 通知-核電廠工程標準

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Nuclear Regulatory Commission [2273]
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 codes or national tariff lines. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Nuclear power plant engineering standards; Nuclear power plants. Safety (ICS code(s): 27.120.20) 核電廠工程標準；核電廠 — 安全性（ICS 編碼：27.120.20）
5. Details of notified document(s) (title, number of pages and languages, means of access): Approval of American Society of Mechanical Engineers Unconditioned Code Cases; (3 page(s), in English) Link to notified document(s) and/or contact details for agency or authority which can provide copies upon request: https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/USA/25_06460_00_e.pdf
6. Description of content: Proposed rule - The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) is proposing to amend its regulations to incorporate by reference a regulatory guide that approves unconditioned code cases published by the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME). This action would allow nuclear power plant applicants and licensees to use the code cases as voluntary alternatives to engineering standards for nuclear power plant components. These standards are set forth in the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code and ASME Operation and Maintenance of Nuclear Power Plants, which are currently incorporated by reference into the NRC's regulations. The NRC is requesting comments on this proposed rule. 擬議規則 — 美國核能管理委員會（NRC）擬修訂其法規，通過引用一項法規指南，納入美國機械工程師學會（ASME）發布的無條件代碼案例。 此舉將允許核能發電廠的申請人和持證人，將這些代碼案例作為核電廠零組件工程標準的自願替代方案。 這些標準載於《ASME 鍋爐與壓力容器規範》以及《ASME 核電廠運轉與維護規範》，目前均已被 NRC 法規所引用納入。 NRC 現正就本擬議規則徵求意見。

7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health or safety; Cost saving and productivity enhancement
8.	<p>Relevant documents:</p> <p>90 Federal Register (FR) 28406, 26 September 2025; Title 30 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 50:</p> <p>https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-09-26/html/2025-18768.htm</p> <p>https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-09-26/pdf/2025-18768.pdf</p> <p>This proposed rule is identified by Docket Number NRC-2024-0163. The Docket Folder is available on Regulations.gov at https://www.regulations.gov/docket/NRC-2024-0163/document and provides access to primary documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from Regulations.gov by searching the Docket Number.</p> <p>Approval of American Society of Mechanical Engineers Unconditioned Code Cases, Direct Final Rule published 26 September 2025 will be notified as Add.1:</p> <p>https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-09-26/html/2025-18769.htm</p> <p>https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-09-26/pdf/2025-18769.pdf</p>
9.	<p>Proposed date of adoption: To be determined</p> <p>Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined</p>
10.	<p>Provision of comments</p> <p>Final date for comments: 25 November 2025</p> <p>[] 60 days from notification</p> <p>WTO Members and their stakeholders are asked to submit comments to the USA TBT Enquiry Point by or before 4pm Eastern Time on 25 November 2025. Comments received by the USA TBT Enquiry Point from WTO Members and their stakeholders will be shared with NRC and will also be submitted to the Docket on Regulations.gov if received within the comment period.</p> <p>Contact details of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification:</p> <p>Please submit comments to: USA WTO TBT Enquiry Point, Email: usatbtep@nist.gov</p>



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NOTIFICATION 通知 中國-藥品

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1.	Notifying Member: <u>CHINA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: National Medical Products Administration
3.	Notified under Article 2.9.2 [], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [X], 5.7.1 [], 3.2 [], 7.2 [], Other:
4.	Products covered (HS codes or national tariff lines. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Drugs (HS code(s): 30); (ICS code(s): 11.120.10) 藥品 (HS 編碼 : 30) ; (ICS 編碼 : 11.120.10)
5.	Details of notified document(s) (title, number of pages and languages, means of access): Good Clinical Practice (Exposure Draft); (25 page(s), in Chinese) Link to notified document(s) and/or contact details for agency or authority which can provide copies upon request: https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/CHN/25_06499_00_x.pdf
6.	Description of content: This GCP comprises 48 articles, stipulating the quality standards for the entire process of clinical trials. 本良好臨床規範 (GCP) 包含 48 條，規定了臨床試驗全過程的品質標準。
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health or safety
8.	Relevant documents: -
9.	Proposed date of adoption: To be determined Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined
10.	Provision of comments Final date for comments: 29 November 2025 [X] 60 days from notification Contact details of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification: WTO/TBT National Notification and Enquiry Center of the People's Republic of China

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