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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

Notifying Member: <u>EGYPT</u>
 If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):

2. Agency responsible:

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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 [], other:
- 4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Labelling of detergents and cleaning products
- 5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Ministerial Decree No. 692 for the year 2015 mandating the application of the Egyptian Standard ES 6910/2015 "Labelling of Detergents and Cleaning Products" (9 pages, in Arabic)
- **Description of content:** This Ministerial Decree mandates that labelling of detergents and cleaning products must comply with ES 6910/2015. Producers and importers are given a transitional period of six months to abide by the Standard.

This Egyptian Standard is concerned with the labelling of detergents for the purposes of washing and cleaning, which are used for household purposes.

This Standard complies with 89/542/EEC Labelling of Detergents and Cleaning Products and EC No 648/2004, amendment 907/2006 on detergents.

 Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Safety requirements

8. Relevant documents:

- Ministerial Decree No. 692/2015
- 89/542/EEC
- EC No 648/2004, amendment 907/ 2006 on detergent
- **9. Proposed date of adoption:** 15 September 2015

Proposed date of entry into force: 6 November 2016

10. Final date for comments: 60 days from the date of the 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:

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