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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:

Egyptian Organization for Standardization and Quality

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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): Audio, video and audiovisual equipment (ICS: 33.160.99)
- 5. **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Ministerial Decree No. 243/2016 (3 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 7993/2016 "Energy Efficiency for Television" (19 pages, in Arabic)
- 6. Description of content: The Ministerial decree mandates that the producers and importers must abide by ES 7993/2016. A transitional period of twelve months is given to abide by the standard.

This standard applies to:

The energy efficiency class of a television which shall be determined on the basis of its Energy Efficiency Index (EEI) according to the annual power consumption.

Worth mentioning is that this standard complies with European Directive (EU) No. 1062/2010.

 Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Energy efficiency and labelling requirement

## 8. Relevant documents:

- Ministerial Decree No. 243/2016
- European Directive (EU) No. 1062/2010
- Project of Energy Efficiency Labelling in Egypt

9. Proposed date of adoption: 19 March 2016Proposed date of entry into force: 21 April 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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