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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: EGYPT

If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):

2. Agency responsible:

Egyptian Organization for Standardization and Quality 16 Tadreeb El-Modarrebeen St., Ameriya, Cairo – Egypt

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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): ICS: 97.040.20 Cooking ranges, working tables, ovens and similar appliances.
- 5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Ministerial Decree no1002/2017 (3 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standards ES 164 with its issued parts:
 - Egyptian Standard ES 164-1-3 / 2017 Domestic Cooking Appliances Burning Gas Part 1-3 :Safety - Appliances Having A Glass Ceramic Hotplate (18 pages, in English)
 - Egyptian Standard ES 164-1-4 / 2017 Domestic Cooking Appliances Burning Gas Safety Part 1-4: Appliances Having One Or More Burners With An Automatic Burner Control System (101 pages, in English)
- 6. **Description of content:** Ministerial Decree No.1002/2017 gives the producers and importers a transitional period of six months to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 164 with its issued parts specifying the construction and performance characteristics as well as the requirements and methods of test for the safety and marking of freestanding and built-in domestic cooking appliances burning the combustible gases.

Worth mentioning is that this standard complies with EN 30-1-3:2003+A1:2006, EN 30-1-4:2012

7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Safety and Energy consumption

8. Relevant documents:

• Ministerial Decree No. 1002 /2017

• EN 30-1-3:2003+A1:2006

• EN 30-1-4:2012

9. Proposed date of adoption: 13 July 2017

Proposed date of entry into force: 2 August 2017

10. **Final date for comments**: 60 days from 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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