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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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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:

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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): Sacks. Bags (ICS 55.080)
- 5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft of Egyptian standard for "Plastics sacks for household waste collection Types, requirements and test methods" (44 page(s), in Arabic)
- 6. Description of content: This draft standard specifies the General characteristics, test methods and requirements for sacks bags, plastic bags and bag linings made of plastic films, used for collection of household waste, or collection of selective household waste including collection of biodegradable waste for biodegradation (biodegradability, compost and fertilizer).

Worth mentioning is that this draft standard is technically identical with EN 13592/2017

- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Safety and environmental requirements
- 8. Relevant documents:
 - EN 13592/2017
- **9. Proposed date of adoption:**To be determined

Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined

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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