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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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## NOTIFICATION

### Addendum

The following communication, dated 31 August 2021, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Egypt.

**Title:** The Egyptian Standard ES 446 "Containers and accessories for pharmaceutical preparations"

Reason for Addendum:	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Comment period changed - date:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Notified measure adopted - date: 20 May 2021
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Notified measure published - date: 13 June 2021
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Notified measure enters into force - date: 14 June 2021
<input type="checkbox"/>	Text of final measure available from <sup>1</sup> :
<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	Notified measure withdrawn or revoked - date: Relevant symbol if measure re-notified: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 <sup>1</sup> : New deadline for comments (if applicable):
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:

**Description:** Products covered: Other standards related to pharmaceuticals (ICS 11.120.99)

This addendum concerns the notification of the Ministerial Decree No. 221/2021 (2 pages, in Arabic) that gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian Standard ES 446 "Containers and accessories for pharmaceutical preparations" (12 page(s), in Arabic).

It should be noted that the draft of this standard was formerly notified in G/TBT/N/EGY/249 dated 5 March 2020.

Worth mentioning is that this standard is technically identical with ISO 11418-4/2005 (confirmed in 2019).

Producers and importers are kept informed of any amendments in the Egyptian standards through the publication of administrative orders in the official gazette.

Proposed date of adoption: 20 May 2021.

Proposed date of entry into force: 14 June 2021.

<sup>1</sup> 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.

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