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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: <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 16 Tadreeb El-Modarrebeen St., Ameriya, Cairo – Egypt E-mail: eos@idsc.net.eg / eos.tbt@eos.org.eg Website: http://www.eos.org.eg Tel.: + (202) 22845528 Fax: + (202) 22845504 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): Lifts. Escalators (ICS 91.140.90)
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: The Ministerial Decree No. 609 /2020 (3 pages, in Arabic) mandating the Egyptian Standard ES 6010 for "passenger lifts and service lifts – Guide rails for lift cars and counterweights – T Type" (24 page(s), in Arabic)
6. Description of content: The Ministerial Decree No. 609 /2020 gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian standard ES 6010. This standard specifies the grades and quality, the dimensional characteristics, the dimensional and geometrical tolerances, and the surface finish of standardized guide rails and their fishplates. In addition, it defines a designation system for guide rails. This Standard is applicable to guide rails used in passenger lift and service lift installations to provide guiding for the car and the counterweight. This standard cancels and supersedes its last edition in 2007. Worth mentioning is that this standard is technically identical with ISO 7465/2007.
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Safety requirements; Quality requirements; Other
8. Relevant documents: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ISO 7465/2007• Ministerial Decree No. 609 /2020.

9.	Proposed date of adoption: 4 December 2020 Proposed date of entry into force: 15 January 2021
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: Egyptian Organization for Standardization and Quality Address: 16 Tadreeb El-Modarrebeen St., Ameriya, Cairo- Egypt E-mail: eos@idsc.net.eg / eos.tbt@eos.org.eg Website: http://www.eos.org.eg Tel: + (202) 22845528 Fax: + (202) 22845504