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## **Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade**

## **NOTIFICATION**

## Addendum

The following communication, dated 29 March 2021, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of  $\underline{\text{Egypt}}$ .

**Title:** The Egyptian Standard ES 1595-2 "Rubber Gloves Used For Medical Purposes Part 2: Single – Use Medical Examination Gloves Made From Rubber Latex Or Rubber Solution" (21 pages, in English).

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**Description:** Products covered: (ICS 11.140) Hospital equipment, (ICS 83.140.99) Other rubber and plastics products.

This addendum concerns the notification of the Ministerial Decree No. 609 /2020 (3 pages, in Arabic) that gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian Standard ES 1595-2 "Rubber Gloves Used For Medical Purposes Part 2: Single – Use Medical Examination Gloves Made From Rubber Latex Or Rubber Solution " (21 pages, in English).

It should be noted that the Ministerial Decree No. 423/2005 (25 pages, in Arabic) which was formerly notified in G/TBT/N/EGY/3 dated 14 December 2005, mandated among others the earlier version of this Egyptian standard.

Worth mentioning is that this standard adopts the technical content of ISO 11193-1 /2020 .

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;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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