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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: moi@idsc.net.eg/tbteos@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): Building units
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Ministerial Decree No. 975/2014 (2 pages, in Arabic) mandating Egyptian Standard ES 269-2/2014 for Terrazzo Tiles – Part (2): Terrazzo Tiles for External Use (43 pages, in Arabic)
6.	Description of content: Ministerial Decree No. 975/2014 mandates that the producers and importers must comply with ES 269-2/2014, this Egyptian Standard supersedes its last edition in 2005 and it specifies materials, properties and methods of testing for unreinforced cement-bound terrazzo tiles which are factory made and sold ready to be placed. The tiles are intended for external use (including roofing applications) in pedestrian areas, e.g. walkways, terraces, commercial centers and swimming-pools, etc., where the decorative aspect of the covering is predominant. This standard complies with EN 13748-2/2004.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Safety and quality requirements; Protection of human health or safety
8.	Relevant documents: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ministerial Decree No. 975/2014• EN 13748-2/2004 Terrazzo tiles – Part 2: Terrazzo Tiles for External Use
9.	Proposed date of adoption: 18 December 2014 Proposed date of entry into force: Six months from the date of adoption
10.	Final date for comments: 60 days from the date of 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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