NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** China  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:**  State Administration for Market Regulation (Standardization Administration of the P.R.C.)  **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):** Cleaning Agents; Acyclic hydrocarbons (HS 2901); Halogenated derivatives of hydrocarbons (HS 2903); Other organic compounds (HS 2942); Organic surface- Active agents (other than soap); surface- Active preparations, washing preparations (including auxiliary washing preparations) and cleaning preparations, whether or not containing soap, other than those of heading 34.01 (HS 3402); Polishes and creams, for footwear, furniture, floors, coachwork, glass or metal, scouring pastes and powders and similar preparations (whether or not in the form of paper, wadding, felt, nonwovens, cellular plastics or cellular rubber, impregnated, coated or covered with such preparations), excluding waxes of heading 34.04 (HS 3405); Pickling preparations for metal surfaces; fluxes and other auxiliary preparations for soldering, brazing or welding; soldering, brazing or welding powders and pastes consisting of metal and other materials; preparations of a kind used as cores or coatings for welding electrodes or rods (HS 3810); Organic composite solvents and thinners, not elsewhere specified or included; prepared paint or varnish removers (HS 3814); Other products of the chemical industry (ICS 71.100.99) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** National Standard of the P.R.C., Limit Standard for Volatile Organic Compounds Content in Cleaning Agents (8 page(s), in Chinese) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This standard specifies the content limits of volatile organic compounds (VOCs) in industrial cleaning agents. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Protection of human health or safety; Protection of the environment; Quality requirements |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:** - |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** To be determined  **Proposed date of entry into force:** 6 months after adoption |
| **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:**  WTO/TBT National Notification and Enquiry Center of the People's Republic of China Tel：+86 10 57954630 / 57954627 E\_mail: [tbt@customs.gov.cn](mailto:tbt@customs.gov.cn)  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/TBT/CHN/19_5658_00_x.pdf> |