NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Thailand **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):**  |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Department of Industrial Works (DIW), Ministry of Industry**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:** Hazardous Substances Management Division, Department of Industrial Works (DIW), Ministry of Industry Tel.: (662) 202 4108 Fax: (662) 202 4015 E-mail: icrsu@diw.mail.go.th Website: <http://www.diw.go.th> |
| **3.** | **Notified under Article 2.9.2 [****],** **2.10.1 [****],** **5.6.2 [****],** **5.7.1 [****X],** **other****:**  |
| **4.** | **Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** Hazardous Substances |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Notification of Department of Industrial Works: Submission the request form and the certificate concerning the Hazardous substance under the responsibility of the Department of Industrial Works in the situation of a pandemic of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (6 page(s), in Thai) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** To define the operation guideline of the hazardous substances under the responsibility of the Department of Industrial Works by using electronic media to facilitate the entrepreneurs about the operation of the hazardous substances in the situations of coronavirus infection pandemic.Any  person  who  has  intention  to produce  or  import  hazardous  substance are able to apply for a registration and a certificate of hazardous substance through the electronic platform called HSSS (Hazardous Substance Single Submission); and will remain in effect until further notice.This notification published in the Royal Gazette and in effect on 18 April 2020. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** For preventing and controlling the Infectious disease, Coronavirus 2019, and reducing the spread of the pathogen which will affect the health of entrepreneurs and officials. |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:** * Communicable Diseases Act, B.E. 2558 (2015)
* Notification of Ministry of Industry: Designation of a Specialized Person Responsible for Safety of Hazardous Substance Storage under Authorization of Department of Industrial Works at the Hazardous Substance Business Facility B.E. 2551
* Notification of Ministry of Industry: Registration of Hazardous Substance, Issuance and Renewal of Registration Certificate Listed under Responsibility of Department of Industrial Works B.E. 2552
* Notification of Ministry of Industry: Criteria, methods, and conditions for Notification, applying for permission and issuance of a transit license of a hazardous substance under the responsibility of the Department of Industrial Works B.E 2562
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| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** Not applicable**Proposed date of entry into force:** 17 April 2020 |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** Not applicable |
| **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 Enquiry Point and Notification AuthorityThai Industrial Standards InstituteTel: (66 2) 202 3504Fax: (66 2) 202 3511E-mail: thaitbt@tisi.mail.go.thWebsite: <http://www.tisi.go.th><https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/TBT/THA/20_3038_00_x.pdf> |