NOTIFICATION

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** United States of America  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Federal Communications Commission (FCC) [1510]  **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:**  Please submit comments to: USA WTO TBT Enquiry Point, Email: usatbtep@nist.gov |
| **3.** | **Notified under Article 2.9.2 [****X],** **2.10.1 [ ],** **5.6.2 [****X],** **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):** Equipment authorization rules; Standardization. General rules (ICS 01.120), Radiocommunications (ICS 33.060), Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) (ICS 33.100), Noise emitted by machines and equipment (ICS 17.140.20), Test conditions and procedures in general (ICS 19.020), Electrical and electronic testing (ICS 19.080), Quality (ICS 03.120) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** OET Seeks Comment on Modifying the Equipment Authorization Rules To Reflect the Updated Versions of the Currently Referenced ANSI C63.4 and ISO/IEC 17025 Standards (2 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** In this document, the Commission's Office of Engineering and Technology (OET) sought comment on updating the Commission's rules and procedures to reflect recent changes to two standards: (1) ANSI C63.4a- 2017 "American National Standard for Methods of Measurement of Radio- Noise Emissions from Low-Voltage Electrical and Electronic Equipment in the Range of 9 kHz to 40 GHz, Amendment 1: Test Site Validation;" and (2) ISO/IEC 17025:2017(E) "General requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories." |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Quality requirements; Harmonization; Cost saving and productivity enhancement |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**   * 84 Federal Register (FR) 20088, 8 May 2019; Title 47 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Parts 2 and 95:   <https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2019-05-08/html/2019-09416.htm> <https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2019-05-08/pdf/2019-09416.pdf>   * [G/TBT/N/USA/1020 and subsequent addenda](http://tbtims.wto.org/en/Notifications/Search?ProductsCoveredHSCodes=&ProductsCoveredICSCodes=&DoSearch=True&ExpandSearchMoreFields=False&NotifyingMember=&DocumentSymbol=G%2FTBT%2FN%2FUSA%2F1020&DistributionDateFrom=&DistributionDateTo=&SearchTerm=&ProductsCovered=&DescriptionOfContent=&CommentPeriod=&FinalDateForCommentsFrom=&FinalDateForCommentsTo=&ProposedDateOfAdoptionFrom=&ProposedDateOfAdoptionTo=&ProposedDateOfEntryIntoForceFrom=&ProposedDateOfEntryIntoForceTo=) - Equipment Authorization and Electronic Labeling for Wireless Devices |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** To be determined  **Proposed date of entry into force:** To be determined |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** 7 June 2019 |
| **11.** | **Texts available from: National enquiry point [** **]** **or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/TBT/USA/19_2766_00_e.pdf> |