NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** United States of America  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):**  State of New York Department of Environmental Conservation 625 Broadway, Albany, NY 12233 <https://www.dec.ny.gov/index.html> |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Department of Environmental Conservation, State of New York [1608]  **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](mailto:usatbtep@nist.gov) |
| **3.** | **Notified under Article 2.9.2 [****],** **2.10.1 [****],** **5.6.2 [****],** **5.7.1 [****],** **other****:** Technical Regulation - Local Government (Article 3.2) |
| **4.** | **Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** Toxic chemicals in children's products; Domestic safety (ICS 13.120), Protective equipment (ICS 13.340), Clothes (ICS 61.020), Products of the chemical industry (ICS 71.100), Equipment for children (ICS 97.190) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Act to amend the environmental conservation law, in relation to regulation of toxic chemicals in children's products (13 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** Establishes disclosure program for chemicals of concern used in the manufacturing of children's products and a process to review high priority chemicals of concern for future regulatory actions. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of human health or safety |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**   * New York State Assembly - Regulation of Toxic Chemicals in Children's Products:  [<https://nyassembly.gov/leg/?default_fld=&leg_video=&bn=S07735&term=2019&Summary=Y&Actions=Y&Committee%26nbspVotes=Y&Floor%26nbspVotes=Y&Memo=Y&Text=Y&LFIN=Y&Chamber%26nbspVideo%2FTranscript=Y>](https://nyassembly.gov/leg/?default_fld=&leg_video=&bn=S07735&term=2019&Summary=Y&Actions=Y&Committee%26nbspVotes=Y&Floor%26nbspVotes=Y&Memo=Y&Text=Y&LFIN=Y&Chamber%26nbspVideo%2FTranscript=Y) * New York Senate Bill S501B: [<https://www.nysenate.gov/legislation/bills/2019/s501/>](https://www.nysenate.gov/legislation/bills/2019/s501/) * New York State Senate - How a Bill Becomes a Law: [<https://www.nysenate.gov/how-bill-becomes-law>](https://www.nysenate.gov/how-bill-becomes-law) |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** To be determined  **Proposed date of entry into force:** To be determined |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** 19 April 2020 |
| **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/2020/TBT/USA/20_1295_00_e.pdf> |