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 [****], 3.2 [****], 7.2 [****],** **other****:** |
| **4.** | **Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** Chemicals (ICS code(s): 43.020) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** National Standard of the P.R.C., Rules for classification and labelling of chemicals — Part X:Desensitized explosives; (11 page(s), in Chinese) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This document specifies the terms and definitions, classification criteria, decision logic and guidance, labelling of desensitized explosives.  This document applies to the classification and labelling of desensitized explosives in accordance with the *United Nations Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals* (GHS). |
| **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; Protection of the environment; Harmonization |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**  *Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals* (GHS) |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** To be determined  **Proposed date of entry into force:** 1 July 2024 |
| **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 57954633/ 57954627  E\_mail: [tbt@customs.gov.cn](mailto:tbt@customs.gov.cn)  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/TBT/CHN/23_12040_00_x.pdf> |