NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Republic of Korea  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Ministry of Food and Drug Safety  **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:**  Documents are available from the Ministry of Food and Drug safety(MFDS) website ([www.mfds.go.kr](http://www.mfds.go.kr)). Also available from:  International Cooperation Office Ministry of Food and Drug Safety 187 Osongsaengmyeong2-ro, Osong-eup, Heungdeok-gu, Cheongju-si, Chungcheongbuk-do, 28159 Republic of Korea Tel: (+82) 43 719-1564Fax: (+82) 43-719-1550 Email: [wtokfda@korea.kr](mailto:wtokfda@korea.kr) |
| **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):** Quasi-drugs |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Proposed amendments to the "Regulation on Labels of Quasi-drugs" (13 page(s), in Korean) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The Ministry of Food and Drug Safety (MFDS) of the Republic of Korea has amended the "Regulation on Labels of Quasi-drugs" as stated below: Among quasi-drug products for use inside the mouth, products that contain fluorine are newly required to label the content of fluorine in the product.  Energy drinks that contain caffeine are now required to place the caffeine content on its label. If sanitary pads use fragrances containing the raw materials that the Minister of Food and Drug Safety determines and publicly notifies as allergens, they should present the name of such raw materials on the label. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** To guarantee consumers with the right to know and the right of choice, promote appropriate use of quasi-drugs |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**   * MFDS NOTIFICATION No. 2019-286 (10 June 2019) |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** To be determined  **Proposed date of entry into force:** To be determined |
| **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:**  Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT) Division Korean Agency for Technology and Standards (KATS)  93, Isu-ro, Maengdong-myeon, Eumseong-gun, Chungcheongbuk-do, 27737 Republic of Korea Tel.: (+82) 43 870 5525 Fax: (+82) 43 870 5682 E-mail: [tbt@kats.go.kr](mailto:tbt@kats.go.kr) website: <http://www.knowtbt.kr>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/TBT/KOR/19_3541_00_x.pdf> |