**Comments from P.R.China on Korea. Notification G/TBT/N/KOR/234**

The government of the People’s Republic of China thanks the government of Korea for your effort in protecting the consumer, to allow other WTO Members to make comments on the notification G/TBT/N/KOR/234. According to Article 2.9.4 of WTO/TBT Agreement that “*without discrimination, allow reasonable time for other Member to make comments in writing, discuss these comments and the results, and take these written comments and the results of these discussions into account*”, China would like to put forward the following comments on the notified regulation for your careful consideration:

1. Corresponding to CISPR 15 ED7.1:2007, article 5.2.4 “*luminaires equipt with the LED(light-emitting diode)*” is added into section 5.2 “ *Indoor luminaires*” to the notified draft standard, however, in clause 5.5 “*Outdoor lighting appliances*” ,there is no corresponding additional article to “*lighting equipment equipted wih LED*”, which makes inconsistent, logically confused and difficult for the users. Regarding to the standard’s Stringency and consistency, China suggests Korea add the corresponding article “*luminaires equipted with the LED*” to section 5.5 “*Outdoor lighting appliances*” of the draft standard, or please make further explanation.

2. Article 5.3.7 “*convertor for LED lamp*” is added into section 5.3 of the draft standard, which specifies the terminal voltage limits of this kind of independent auxiliary. However, there is no corresponding method of measurement of disturbance voltages for convertors for LED lamps could not be found in part 8 “Method of measurement of terminal disturbance voltages” of the draft standard, which could be bad to the effective implementation of the standard. Under the consideration of stringency and operability of standards, China suggest Korea add corresponding section about the method of measurement of disturbance voltages for convertors for LED lamps into part 8 of the draft standard.

3. Article 5.3.7 “*convertor for LED lamp*” is added into section 5.3 of the draft standard, which specifies the radiated disturbance limits of this kind of independent auxiliary. However, there is no corresponding method of measurement of radiated electromagnetic disturbances for converts for LED lamps could be found in part 9 “Method of measurement of radiated electromagnetic disturbances” of the notified draft standard, which could be bad to the effective implementation of the standard. Under the consideration of stringency and operability of standards, China suggest Korea add corresponding section about the method of measurement of radiated electromagnetic disturbances for convertors for LED lamps into part 9 of the draft standard.

4. The explanatory note “including self-ballasted LED lamps” in brackets is added to the title of section 5.4 of the draft standard to show that the limits to self-ballasted lamps is also suit for the self-ballasted LED lamps. However, in the title of section 8.6 and section 9.6, such explanation note could not be found, it will bring troubles to users ’ understanding of this standard, and also makes the standard inconsistent and logically confused. Considering to the Stringency and consistency of standards, China suggests Korea add the same explanatory note to the title of section 8.6 and section 9.6.

5. As it mentioned in the forward of the notified draft standard, the purpose to modifying this standard is to “cope with the technical change of international standards rapidly” .In October 2008, IEC published the second amendment to CISPR 15-am2 ed7.0 to CISPR 15（ed 7.0）, China suggest this draft adopt the new technical requirement in CISPR 15-am2 ed7.0 .