NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Thailand  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI), Ministry of Industry  **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:**  WTO/TBT Enquiry Point and Notification Authority  Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI), Ministry of Industry  Tel.: (662) 202 3504, 202 3523  Fax: (662) 202 3511, 354 3041  E-mail: [thaitbt@tisi.mail.go.th](mailto:thaitbt@tisi.mail.go.th)  Website: <http://www.tisi.go.th> |
| **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):** Domestic refrigerating appliances (HS Chapter 8418, ICS: 97.040.30) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Draft Thai Industrial Standard for Household Refrigerator and Refrigerator-Freezer: Environmental Requirements: Energy Efficiency (TIS 2186 - 25XX (20XX)) (6 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI) has proposed to withdraw TIS 2186-2547 (2004): Household Refrigerators: Environmental Requirements: Energy Efficiency, and replace it with TIS 2186-25XX(20XX): Household Refrigerator and Refrigerator-Freezer: Environmental Requirements: Energy Efficiency as a mandatory standard.  This standard deals with energy efficiency of A.C. electric refrigerators and refrigerator-freezers cooled by vapor compression systemfor household and similar use.  It prescribes scope; definitions; characteristics; marking and labeling; sampling and criteria for conformity. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Safety |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**   * TIS 455 Part 1-25XX Household Refrigerating Appliances - Characteristics and Test Methods - Part 1: General Requirements * TIS 455 Part 3-25XX Household Refrigerating Appliances - Characteristics and Test Methods - Part 3: Energy Consumption and Volume |
| **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:**  WTO/TBT Enquiry Point and Notification Authority Thai Industrial Standards Institute Tel: (66 2) 202 3504, 202 3523 Fax: (66 2) 202 3511, 354 3041 E-mail: [thaitbt@tisi.mail.go.th](mailto:thaitbt@tisi.mail.go.th) Website: <http://www.tisi.go.th>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2018/TBT/THA/18_4469_00_x.pdf> |