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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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### NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>VIET NAM</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Directorate for Standards, Metrology and Quality 8 Hoang Quoc Viet Str., Cau Giay Dist. Ha Noi, Vietnam Tel: (84.24) 37911627; (84.24) 37911628 Fax: (84.24) 37911595 Website: <a href="http://www.tcvn.gov.vn">http://www.tcvn.gov.vn</a> <b>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:</b> Quality Assurance and Testing Center 1ITY ASSURANCE AND TESTING CENTER 1 Directorate for Standards, Metrology and Quality 8 Hoang Quoc Viet Str., Cau Giay Dist. Ha Noi, Vietnam Tel: (84.24) 37564525 Fax: (84.24) 37564525 Email: <a href="mailto:nghiepvu1@quatest1.com.vn">nghiepvu1@quatest1.com.vn</a> Website: <a href="http://quatest1.com.vn">http://quatest1.com.vn</a>
<b>3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ ], other:</b>
<b>4. Products covered (HS or CCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Stainless steels (ICS 77.140.20).
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Draft National technical regulation on Stainless steel (10 page(s), in Vietnamese)
<b>6. Description of content:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• This draft technical regulation specifies the limit of chemical contents of stainless steels, technical requirements and the requirements on quality management of stainless steels for domestic production, imported and circulated on the market.</li><li>• This draft technical regulation applies to stainless steels under HS codes 7218, 7219, 7220, 7221, 7222 and 7223.</li><li>• This draft technical regulation applies for the organizations, individuals who manufacture, import, distribution and use of stainless steels, the state management agencies and other relevant organizations and individuals.</li></ul>
<b>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection

<b>8. Relevant documents:</b> -
<b>9. Proposed date of adoption:</b> To be determined <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> To be determined
<b>10. Final date for comments:</b> 60 days from notification
<b>11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:</b>  Quality Assurance and Testing Center 1ITY ASSURANCE AND TESTING CENTER 1 Directorate for Standards, Metrology and Quality 8 Hoang Quoc Viet Str., Cau Giay Dist. Ha Noi, Vietnam Tel: (84.24) 37564525 Fax: (84.24) 37564525 Email: <a href="mailto:nghiepvu1@quatest1.com.vn">nghiepvu1@quatest1.com.vn</a> Website: <a href="http://quatest1.com.vn">http://quatest1.com.vn</a>  Or can be downloaded at: <a href="http://tbt.gov.vn/To%20Link%20lin%20kt/VNNR%20stainless%20steel.doc">http://tbt.gov.vn/To%20Link%20lin%20kt/VNNR%20stainless%20steel.doc</a>