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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

1. Notifying Member: <u>TURKEY</u>

If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):

2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Industry and Technology / The General Directorate for Metrology and Standardization

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:

Turkey-TBT Enquiry Point Ministry of Trade, DG of Product Safety and Inspection, Söğütözü Mahallesi, 2176. Sk. No:63, 06510 Çankaya/Ankara Telephone: +90 312 204 89 93 Fax: +90 312 212 68 64 E-mail: <u>tbt@ticaret.gov.tr</u> Website: <u>http://www.teknikengel.gov.tr</u>

- 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): Construction materials and building (Vocabularies) (ICS 01.040.91).
- 5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Communiqué on TS 12432 "Hexagon Fit Bolts for Steel Structures Supplied with or without Hexagon Nuts" standard (2 page(s), in English)
- **6. Description of content:** This standard covers the dimensions and technical delivery requirements for hexagon fit bolts M12 to M30, with product quality C, used in bolting of steel constructions. This standard also covers the nuts and washers used with the fit bolts mentioned above.
- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Other; The purpose of this Communiqué is to identify issues related to the implementation of application of TS 12432 (April 2017) "Hexagon Fit Bolts for Steel Structures Supplied with or without Hexagon Nuts" standard.
- 8. Relevant documents:
 - TS 12432 (1998) "Hexagon Fit Bolts for Steel Structures Supplied with or without Hexagon Nuts" standard
- **9. Proposed date of adoption:** The regulation will be adopted upon its publication.

Proposed date of entry into force: The regulation will enter into force 6 months after its publication.

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10. Final date for comments: 60 days from notification

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

The text of regulation is provided in English in the attached file. https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2018/TBT/TUR/18 6524 00 e.pdf