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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>ISRAEL</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Israel WTO-TBT Enquiry Point <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>  Israel WTO-TBT Enquiry Point Ministry of Economy and Industry Tel: + (972) 3 7347501 E-mail: <a href="mailto:Yael.Friedgut@economy.gov.il">Yael.Friedgut@economy.gov.il</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 CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Diaper changing units for public use; HS: 9403; ICS: 97.190
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> SI 5115 part 3 - Diaper changing units: Diaper changing units for public use - Safety requirements and test methods (4 page(s), in Hebrew)
<b>6. Description of content:</b> First amendment to the Mandatory Standard SI 5115 part 3 dealing with diaper changing units for public use. This amendment changes the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Change the normative reference (Section 2);</li><li>• Adds a new sub-section 4.6 dealing with phthalate content;</li><li>• Adds a new sub-section 4.7 dealing with formaldehyde content in wooden products.</li></ul> All requirements appearing in this new draft amendment will be declared mandatory.  Both the old standard and the new amended standard will apply from the date of entry into force of this amendment for a period of 3 months. During this time, products may be tested according to the old standard or the new amended standard.
<b>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Protection of human health or safety
<b>8. Relevant documents:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Israel Mandatory Standard SI 5115 part 3 (September 2009)</li></ul>

<b>9.</b>	<b>Proposed date of adoption:</b> To be determined <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> Generally, 60 days after publication in Israel Official Gazette, Section of Government Notices
<b>10.</b>	<b>Final date for comments:</b> 60 days from notification
<b>11.</b>	<b>Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:</b> <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/TBT/ISR/20_3347_00_x.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/TBT/ISR/20_3347_00_x.pdf</a>