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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: THE STATE OF KUWAIT

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

2. Agency responsible:

Public Authority for Industry (PAI)
Kuwait Standard & Metrology Department (KOWSMD)

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:

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- 3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], 3.2 [], 7.2 [], other:
- 4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): All products fall under scope of " Switches for Household and Similar Fixed Electrical Installations Part 2-1: Particular Requirements Electronic Control Devices " (ICS 29.120.40) switches
- **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** "Switches For Household and Similar Fixed Electrical Installations Part 2-1: Particular Requirements Electronic Control Devices"; (142 page(s), in English), (142 page(s), in French)
- **6. Description of content:** This Kuwait Technical Regulation applies to electronic control devices, a general term to cover electronic switches, home and building electronic systems (HBES) / building automation and control systems (BACS) switches and electronic extension units.

It applies to electronic switches and to HBES/BACS switches, for alternating current (AC) only with a rated switching voltage not exceeding 250 V and a rated current not exceeding 16 A, intended for household and similar fixed electrical installations, either indoors or outdoors.

It also applies to electronic extension units with a rated supply voltage not exceeding $250 \, \text{V}$ AC and $120 \, \text{V}$ DC, such as sensors and push buttons.

7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health or safety

8. Relevant documents:

GSO IEC 60669-2-1:2024 (Switches for Household and Similar Fixed Electrical Installations - Part 2-1: Particular Requirements - Electronic Control Devices)

9. Proposed date of adoption: 30 days from final date for comments

Proposed date of entry into force: 6 months from adoption

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:

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