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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 18 July 2024, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Viet Nam.

Title: Draft National technical regulation on Specific Absorption Rates for Mobile Phone

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Content or scope of notified measure changed and text available from ¹ : The Draft National technical regulation on Specific Absorption Rates for Mobile Phone has changes in the title, scope, the requirement of SAR limit, management methods, and effective dates for mobile phones and for other equipment. https://mic.gov.vn/du-thao-quy-chuan-ky-thuat-quoc-gia-de-lay-y-kien-gop-y-19724040913414944.htm https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/TBT/VNM/modification/24_04650_00_x.pdf New deadline for comments (if applicable): 60 days from notification
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Description: TITLE: The Draft National technical regulation on Specific Absorption Rates for hand-held and body-worn wireless communication devices (24 pages, in Vietnamese)

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¹ This information can be provided by including a website address, a pdf attachment, or other information on where the text of the final/modified measure and/or interpretive guidance can be obtained.

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SUMMARY: The Draft National technical regulation on Specific Absorption Rates for Mobile Phone is subject to the following amendments:

- + Title: has been changed to "National technical regulation on Specific Absorption Rates for hand-held and body-worn wireless communication devices";
 - + Scope: addition of DECT equipment (mobile handset) (HS code 8517.11.00), Laptop and portable computer (HS code 8471.30.20), Tablet (HS Code 8471.30.90).
 - + Requirement of SAR limit (clause 2);
 - + Management methods (certification, declaration of conformity);
 - + Effective dates: for Mobile phones (01 July 2026), and for other equipment (01 July 2027).
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