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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>SWEDEN</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Statens energimyndighet Box 310, 631 04 Eskilstuna 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: Kommerskollegium – National Board of Trade Sweden, Box 6803, SE-113 86 Stockholm, Sweden Tel: +46 8 690 48 00 E-mail: Registrator@kommerskollegium.se Web: www.kommerskollegium.se
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): Electricity meters
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Proposed regulatory change of the Swedish Energy Agency's secondary legislation and general advice (STEMFS 2011:4) of electricity certificates (Föreskrifter om ändring i Statens energimyndighets föreskrifter och allmänna råd (STEMFS 2011:4) om elcertifikat); (9 page(s), in Swedish)
6. Description of content: The main change in the proposed regulation compared to the previous wording regards chapter 3 paragraph 3 which regulates how electricity produced in power plants connected to a non-concessional grid should be measured. The change implies that electricity sent out on the grid should be measured on a 15-minute basis instead of hourly basis. Equivalent regulation already exists for power plants connected to a concessional grid. The regulatory changes imply a harmonization of rules for the producers no matter the grid connection (non- concessional or concessional). Measuring electricity on a 15-minute basis is already enforced in Commission Regulation (EU) 2017/2195 which establishing a guideline on electricity balancing. This is already implemented in national legislation through the electricity act(1997:857), government ordinance (1999:716) and secondary legislation (2023:1). Measuring electricity on a 15-minute basis in concessional grid for issuing of electricity certificates is already implemented. However, there is yet no regulation regarding measuring on a 15- minute basis in non-concessional grid. The Swedish government have already made changes in government ordinance that regulates the use of 15-minutes measuring for issuing electricity certificates in non-concessional grid. Therefore The Swedish Energy Agency now

<p>propose to adjust the secondary legislation according to the government ordinance. The proposed changes to the secondary legislation will also equalize the rules for power plants connected to a concessional grid and those connected to a non-concessional grid.</p> <p>Unofficial translations will be available via the TRIS database, see link: Detalj anmälan TRIS - European Commission (europa.eu)</p>
<p>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Harmonization</p>
<p>8. Relevant documents:</p> <p>Detalj anmälan TRIS - European Commission (europa.eu) (EU TRIS database, include draft proposal, impact assessment and once adopted - the final text.)</p> <p>Draft and impact assessment attached.</p>
<p>9. Proposed date of adoption: To be determined</p> <p>Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined</p>
<p>10. Final date for comments: 3 October 2024</p>
<p>11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:</p> <p>https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/TBT/SWE/24_04318_00_x.pdf https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/TBT/SWE/24_04318_01_x.pdf</p>