Sub: TBT Notification issued by Tanzania on textile products

Dear Member,

Tanzania has issued two TBT Notifications G/TBT/N/TZA/73 and G/TBT/N/TZA/74 related to textile products.

The Tanzania Bureau of Standards has issued this notification concerning draft regulations on textile products.

G/TBT/N/TZA/73: This Standard describes the system of graphic symbols, intended for use in the permanent marking of textile articles, providing information essential for their care. This guide provides a comprehensive system of symbols to represent care instructions in order to reduce language dependent care instruction. This Standard covers the following treatments: washing, bleaching, ironing, dry cleaning, and drying (after washing). This Draft Tanzania Standard is applicable to all textiles products including accessories and trims in the form in which they are supplied to the consumer.

G/TBT/N/TZA/74: This Standard prescribes a code of practice for inspection and acceptance criteria for used textile products. It also applies to used garments of all types, sizes and fibre composition.

The Tanzanian authorities are of the view that, the focus of these notifications are safety and quality requirement.

For more details, please also refer the TBT notifications no. 73 (click here) and no. 74 (click here) and regulations for no. 73 (click here) and no. 74
(click here) attached in this mail.

Kindly forward your comments or suggestions to the Council at
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Regards,

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