

# WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

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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.	<b>Member to Agreement notifying:</b> <u>THAILAND</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
2.	<b>Agency responsible:</b> Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI), Ministry of Industry <b>Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:</b>
3.	<b>Notified under Article 2.9.2 [ X ], 2.10.1 [   ], 5.6.2 [   ], 5.7.1 [   ], other:</b>
4.	<b>Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> HS Chapter: 3402, ICS : 71.100.40 (Surface active agents)
5.	<b>Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Draft Ministerial Notification (No ...) B.E.25XX(20XX) Issued Under the Industrial Product Standards Act B.E.2511(1968) : Amendment No.2 to Compulsory Standard TIS 78-2541(1998) Laundry Detergent Powder (3 pages, available in Thai language)
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> The Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI) has proposed to amend the compulsory standard TIS 78-2541(1998) Laundry Detergent Powder which was notified as G/TBT/Notif.98.219 on 29 April 1998 so as to cover laundry detergent in other forms, i.e. flake, tablet, paste, bar, etc., as well.
7.	<b>Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Consumer protection
8.	<b>Relevant documents:</b>  Publication in which the notification is published when adopted:  - Government Gazette
9.	<b>Proposed date of adoption:</b> <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> } To be determined.
10.	<b>Final date for comments:</b> 60 days from the circulation date
11.	<b>Texts available from:</b> National enquiry point [ X ] or address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body: