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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: CHINA

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

2. Agency responsible:

State Administration for Market Regulation (Standardization Administration of the P.R.C.)

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:

- 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): penetration-resistant insert

(HS code(s): 640340); (ICS code(s): 13.340.50)

- 5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: National Standard of the P.R.C., Foot protection—Penetration-resistant insert; (18 page(s), in Chinese)
- **6. Description of content:** This document specifies the terms and definitions, technical requirements, test methods, and labeling of foot protection puncture-resistant pads.

This document applies to puncture-resistant pads used as components of footwear in foot protection equipment.

7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of human health or safety; Quality requirements

8. Relevant documents:

9. **Proposed date of adoption:** To be determined

Proposed date of entry into force: 12 months after approval

10. Final date for comments: 60 days from notification

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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