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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 15 September 2025, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Egypt.

Title: The Egyptian Standard ES 9109-2 "buoyant aids for swimming instruction part 2: safety requirements and test methods for buoyant aids to be held "

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Description: Products covered: Lifejackets, buoyancy aids and flotation devices (ICS code(s): 13.340.70); Outdoor and water sports equipment (ICS code(s): 97.220.40)

This addendum concerns the notification of the Ministerial Decree No.245/2025 (4 pages, in Arabic) that gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian Standard ES 9109-2 "buoyant aids for swimming instruction part 2: safety requirements and test methods for buoyant aids to be held "; (55 page(s), in Arabic)

It should be noted that the draft of this standard was formerly notified in [G/TBT/N/EGY/487](#) dated 9 October 2024

Worth mentioning is that this standard is technically identical with EN 13138-2/2021

Producers and importers are kept informed of any amendments in the Egyptian standards through the publication of administrative orders in the official gazette.

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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