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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 25 March 2026, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Egypt.

Title: The Egyptian Standard ES 1003 for "building hardware - single-axis hinges- requirements and test methods"; (39 page(s), in Arabic).

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Description: Products covered: Building accessories (ICS code(s): 91.190).

This addendum concerns the notification of the Ministerial Decree No.59/2026 (2 pages, in Arabic) that gives the producers and importers a six-month transitional period to abide by the Egyptian Standard ES 1003 "building hardware - single-axis hinges- requirements and test methods" (39 page(s), in Arabic).

It should be noted that the draft of this standard was formerly notified in G/TBT/N/EGY/556 dated 15 October 2025.

Worth mentioning is that this standard is technically identical with EN 1935:2002/AC: 2003.

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

Date of adoption: 22 February 2026.

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