

Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6.

1.	Member to Agreement notifying: <u>ISRAEL</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Industry and Trade of the State of Israel Agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:
3.	Notified under Article 2.9.2 [], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [X], 5.7.1 [], other:
4.	Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Ophthalmic Optics, HS 90.01, ICS 11.040.70
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Ophthalmic Optics - Uncut Finished Spectacle Lenses: Specifications for Single-Vision and Multifocal Lenses, 1996, (8 pages), (National Modifications in HE). Identical, with modifications to ISO 8980-1 - 1996. Revision of SI 798, 1988, Official under Section of Government Notices #3757 08/04/90
6.	Description of content: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Optic, geometric and mechanical requirements for uncut single-vision and multifocal lenses for spectacles;- ultra-violet resistance;- proposal for a new notice on the official status of the revised standard.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Safety and Health
8.	Relevant documents: Notice will be published in the Official Gazette, Section of Government Notices, when adopted.
9.	Proposed date of adoption: May 1998 Proposed date of entry into force: July 1998
10.	Final date for comments: April 1998
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, e-mail and telefax number of other body: