

WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

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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 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: Israel WTO-TBT Enquiry Point – Ministry of Industry and Trade – Tel: +972-3-7101562 – Fax: +972-3-5603140 – e-mail: bernadette@moit.gov.il
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): Medical Syringes and Needles - ICS: 11.040.20 HS: 9018
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Syringes and needles: Revision of SI 1268 parts 1, 3, 4, 5, 7 (Hebrew/English)
6.	Description of content: The official standard, aligned with international requirements, is divided in several parts, of which are concerned here: Part 1 (ISO 595 part 1); Part 3 (ISO 7886 part 1; Part 4 (ISO 7886 part 2); Part 5 (ISO 8537) Part 7 (ISO 7864) The revision concerns labelling requirements in the frame of the Consumer Protection Act, as regards products marketed to end consumers.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health
8.	Relevant documents: Notice will be published in the Official Gazette, Section of Government Notices, when adopted.
9.	Proposed date of adoption: Proposed date of entry into force: } To be determined
10.	Final date for comments: 60 days from date of notification
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body: