

# WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

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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.	<b>Member to Agreement notifying:</b> GUYANA <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
2.	<b>Agency responsible:</b> Guyana National Bureau of Standards <b>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:</b>
3.	<b>Notified under Article 2.9.2 [ X ], 2.10.1 [   ], 5.6.2 [   ], 5.7.1 [   ], other:</b>
4.	<b>Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> All commodities. (ICS number: 13.300).
5.	<b>Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Specification for labelling of commodities: Part 1 – General principles. (3 pages, available in English).
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> This Technical regulation specifies general labelling requirements for commodities. It is applicable to all commodities which are customarily labelled in the course of trade, except for which more specific requirements have been prescribed elsewhere.
7.	<b>Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Prevention of fraud or misrepresentation arising from misleading advertising and labelling.
8.	<b>Relevant documents:</b> Guyana National Bureau of Standards Act 11 of 1984 (Section 20 and 22) and Guyana National Bureau of Standards (Compulsory Standard Specifications) Order.
9.	<b>Proposed date of adoption:</b> } <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> } To be determined
10.	<b>Final date for comments:</b> 31 October 2003
11.	<b>Texts available from:</b> National enquiry point [ X ] or address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body: