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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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## NOTIFICATION

### Addendum

The following communication, dated 28 March 2022, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United States of America.

**Title:** Energy Conservation Program for Consumer Products and Certain Commercial and Industrial Equipment: Test Procedures for Showerheads, Faucets, Water Closets, Urinals, and Commercial Prerinse Spray Valves

Reason for Addendum:	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Comment period changed - date:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Notified measure adopted - date: 22 April 2022
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Notified measure published - date: 23 March 2022
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Notified measure enters into force - date: 19 September 2022
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Text of final measure available from <sup>1</sup> : <a href="https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2022-03-23/html/2022-06138.htm">https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2022-03-23/html/2022-06138.htm</a> <a href="https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2022-03-23/pdf/2022-06138.pdf">https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2022-03-23/pdf/2022-06138.pdf</a> <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/TBT/USA/final_measure/22_2401_00_e.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/TBT/USA/final_measure/22_2401_00_e.pdf</a> The final rule changes will be mandatory for product testing starting 19 September 2022. The incorporation by reference of certain material listed in this rule is approved by the Director of the Federal Register as of 22 April 2022.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Notified measure withdrawn or revoked - date: Relevant symbol if measure re-notified:
<input type="checkbox"/>	Content or scope of notified measure changed and text available from <sup>1</sup> : New deadline for comments (if applicable):
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:

**Description:** TITLE: Energy Conservation Program: Test Procedures for Water Closets and Urinals

AGENCY: Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, Department of Energy

ACTION: Final rule

<sup>1</sup> 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.

SUMMARY: This final rule amends the test procedures for water closets and urinals to reference the most recent update to the relevant industry standard, American Society of Mechanical Engineers ("ASME") Standard A112.19.2-2018. In this final rule, the Department of Energy ("DOE") is also amending certain definitions and adding definitions for certain terms that are currently used in the Federal test procedures but are not defined.

DATES: The effective date of this rule is 22 April 2022. The final rule changes will be mandatory for product testing starting 19 September 2022. The incorporation by reference of certain material listed in this rule is approved by the Director of the Federal Register as of 22 April 2022.

This final rule, the request for information; extension of public comment period notified as [G/TBT/N/USA/708/Add.7](#) and the request for information notified as [G/TBT/N/USA/708/Add.6](#) are identified by Docket Number EERE-2019-BT-TP-0021. The Docket Folder is available at <https://www.regulations.gov/docket/EERE-2019-BT-TP-0021/document> and provides access to primary documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from [Regulations.gov](#) by searching the Docket Number.

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