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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. Notifying Member: <u>THAILAND</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI), Ministry of Industry Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above: WTO/TBT Enquiry Point and Notification Authority Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI), Ministry of Industry Tel.: (662) 202 3504, 202 3523 Fax: (662) 202 3511, 354 3041 E-mail: thaitbt@tisi.mail.go.th Website: http://www.tisi.go.th
3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 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): Electrical apparatus for switching or protecting electrical circuits, or for making connections to or in electrical circuits (for example, switches, relays, fuses, surge suppressors, plugs, sockets, lamp-holders, junction boxes), for a voltage not exceeding 1,000 volts (HS 8536); Fluorescent lamps. Discharge lamps (ICS 29.140.30)
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft Thai Industrial Standard for Glow-starters for Fluorescent Lamps (TIS 183 – 25XX(20XX)) (28 page(s), in Thai)
6. Description of content: The Thai Industrial Standards Institute (TISI) has proposed to withdraw TIS 183 – 2547(2004): Glow-starters for Fluorescent Lamps and replace it with TIS 183 – 25XX(20XX): Glow-starters for Fluorescent Lamps as a mandatory standard. This standard specifies glow-starters used with pre-heat type fluorescent lamps and glow-starters for class II fluorescent lamp luminaires. The standard comprises 2 sections as the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Section 1 - general and safety requirements• Section 2 - performance specification.
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Safety and consumer protection; Other

8. Relevant documents:
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• IEC 60155:1993 - Glow-Starter for Fluorescent Lamps• IEC 60155:1993/ AMD1: 1995 - Glow-Starter for Fluorescent Lamps• IEC 60155:1993/ AMD2: 2006 - Glow-Starter for Fluorescent Lamps
9. Proposed date of adoption: To be determined Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined
10. Final date for comments: 60 days from notification
11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body: WTO/TBT Enquiry Point and Notification Authority Thai Industrial Standards Institute Tel: (66 2) 202 3504, 202 3523 Fax: (66 2) 202 3511, 354 3041 E-mail: thaitbt@tisi.mail.go.th Website: http://www.tisi.go.th https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/TBT/THA/19_2919_00_x.pdf