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Addendum

The following communication, received on 16 March 2022, is being circulated at the request of the Delegations of the United Arab Emirates, the Kingdom of Bahrain, the State of Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Yemen.

Technical Regulation for Energy Drinks

This draft technical regulation is concerned with the requirements to be met in energy drinks ready for human consumption.

On 8 February 2019, GCC countries and Yemen notified WTO (SPS) about this Technical Regulation (G/SPS/N/SAU/389). The updated draft includes modifications in the definition of energy drinks and the caffeine content.

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/SAU/22_2260_00_x.pdf

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