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## **Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade**

## **NOTIFICATION**

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

- 1. Notifying Member: CHINA
  - If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
- **2. Agency responsible:** Standardization Administration of China (SAC)

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:

- 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): Heavy duty gear oils for automobile

Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, other than crude; preparations not elsewhere specified or included, containing by weight 70% or more of petroleum oils or of oils obtained from bituminous minerals, these oils being the basic constituents of the preparations; waste oils. (HS 2710). Lubricants, industrial oils and related products (ICS 75.100).

- **5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** National Standard of the P.R.C., Heavy duty gear oils for automobile (GL-5) (9 page(s), in Chinese)
- **6. Description of content:** The standard regulates on Heavy duty gear oils for automobile (GL-5) which is blend of base stock made by refined mineral oil, synthetic base stock or their mixture and various additives. The standard specifies related test methods, inspection rules, marking, packaging, transportation and storage requirements. The standard is mainly applicable to automotive axles, particularly the hypoid gears operated under the condition of high-speed/shock-load, high-speed/ low-torque and low-speed/high-torque.
- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Saving energy
- 8. Relevant documents: None
- Proposed date of adoption: 90 days after circulation by the WTO SecretariatProposed date of entry into force: 6 months after adoption
- **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:

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