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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>REPUBLIC OF KOREA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Korean Agency for Technology and Standards 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: Documents are available from the Korean Agency for Technology and Standards website (www.kats.go.kr). Also available from: Electrical & Telecommunications Product Safety Division Korean Agency for Technology and Standards 93 Isu-ro, Maengdong-myeon, Eumseong-gun, Chungcheongbuk-do, 27737 Republic of Korea Tel: (+82) 43- 870-5447 Fax: (+82) 43-870-5676 Email: psd0@korea.kr
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 Vehicles' Chargers and Components
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft Amendment of Technical Regulation for 5 Items under Electrical Vehicles' Chargers and Components (326 page(s), in Korean)
6. Description of content: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Korea's existing safety standards for electrical vehicles' chargers and components correspond to the IEC 61851 and IEC 62196.- The safety standards for three out of the five items will be amended or enacted in accordance with the updated IEC 62196, and furthermore independent methods for charging developed by Tesla Motors will be applied to all of our existing safety standards.
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Safety
8. Relevant documents: KATS NOTIFICATION No 2018-108 (13.04.2018)

9.	Proposed date of adoption: 30 June 2018 Proposed date of entry into force: 31 December 2018
10.	Final date for comments: 60 days from notification
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body: WTO TBT Division Korean Agency for Technology and Standards (KATS) 93, Isu-ro, Maengdong-myeon, Eumseong-gun, Chungcheongbuk-do, Republic of Korea, 27737 Tel.: (+82) 43 870 5525 Fax: (+82) 43 870 5682 E-mail: tbt@korea.kr Website: http://www.knowtbt.kr https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2018/TBT/KOR/18_1981_00_x.pdf