NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 17 December 2018, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United States of America.

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TITLE: Safety Standard for Cigarette Lighters; Adjusted Customs Value for Cigarette Lighters

AGENCY: Consumer Product Safety Commission

ACTION: Final rule

SUMMARY: The Commission's safety standard for disposable and novelty lighters includes specified requirements for child resistance. The standard defines "disposable lighters," in part, as refillable lighters that use butane or similar fuels that have a Customs Value or ex-factory price below a threshold value (initially set at $2.00 in 1993). The standard provides that the initial $2.00 value adjusts every 5 years for inflation. This document revises the cigarette lighter standard to adjust the import value to $2.75.

The rule is effective 3 December 2018.

<https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2018/TBT/USA/18_6455_00_e.pdf>

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