NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** United States of America **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** State of Iowa |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Iowa Department of Education, State of Iowa [1522]**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:** Please submit comments to: USA WTO TBT Enquiry PointEmail: usatbtep@nist.gov |
| **3.** | **Notified under Article 2.9.2 [****],** **2.10.1 [****],** **5.6.2 [****],** **5.7.1 [****],** **other [****]:** Technical Regulation - Local Government (Article 3.2) |
| **4.** | **Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** School bus construction; Motor vehicles for the transport of ten or more persons, including the driver (HS 8702); Buses (ICS 43.080.20) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** School Bus Construction Standards (48 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** Changes the construction standards as recommended by the National School Transportation Specifications and Procedures Manual 2015 and the Department of Education's Chapter 44 Update Group and requests from the field. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Protection of human health or safety |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:** * Vol. XLI, No. 25, Iowa Administrative Bulletin 5 June 2019 (pages 3008-3056):[<https://www.legis.iowa.gov/law/administrativeRules/ruleMaking?pubDate=06-05-2019>](https://www.legis.iowa.gov/law/administrativeRules/ruleMaking?pubDate=06-05-2019)
* Iowa Administrative Code 281 (44.2 thru 44.5):[<https://www.legis.iowa.gov/law/administrativeRules/rules?agency=281&chapter=44&pubDate=06-05-2019>](https://www.legis.iowa.gov/law/administrativeRules/rules?agency=281&chapter=44&pubDate=06-05-2019)
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| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** To be determined**Proposed date of entry into force:** To be determined |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** 25 June 2019 |
| **11.** | **Texts available from: National enquiry point [** **]** **or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:** <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/TBT/USA/19_3513_00_e.pdf> |