

Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6.

1.	Member to Agreement notifying: <u>SRI LANKA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: Sri Lanka Standards Institution which functions under the Ministry of Science and Technology 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): Synthetic / Artificial Cordials
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Sri Lanka Standard Specification for synthetic/Artificial Cordials (SLS 221:1985) (13 pages, in English)
6.	Description of content: This specification prescribes requirements and methods of sampling and test for Synthetic / artificial cordials or syrups intended for consumption after dilution. It also prescribes requirements and methods of sampling and test for synthetic / artificial drinks or beverages intended for direct consumption. This specification does not cover products intended for diabetic or dietetic use.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: For consumer protection.
8.	Relevant documents: A Regulation will be published in the Gazette of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka under the Imports and Exports (Control) Act where import of synthetic / artificial cordials to Sri Lanka will not be permitted unless it conforms to SLS 221:1985
9.	Proposed date of adoption: Proposed date of entry into force: January 2001
10.	Final date for comments:

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, e-mail and telefax number of the other body:

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