NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 14 February 2023, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United States of America.

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**Title:** Energy Conservation Program: Energy Conservation Standards for Packaged Terminal Air Conditioners and Packaged Terminal Heat Pumps

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**Description:** TITLE: Energy Conservation Program: Energy Conservation Standards for Packaged Terminal Air Conditioners and Packaged Terminal Heat Pumps

AGENCY: Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, Department of Energy

ACTION: Final determination

SUMMARY: The Energy Policy and Conservation Act, as amended ("EPCA"), prescribes energy conservation standards for various consumer products and certain commercial and industrial equipment, including Packaged Terminal Air Conditioners ("PTACs") and Packaged Terminal Heat Pumps ("PTHPs"). EPCA also requires the U.S. Department of Energy ("DOE") to periodically review standards. In this final determination, DOE has determined that it lacks clear and convincing evidence that more- stringent standards for PTACs and PTHPs would be economically justified. As such, DOE has determined that energy conservation standards for PTACs and PHTPs do not need to be amended.

DATES: The effective date of this determination is 15 March 2023.

This final determination, the notification of proposed determination; request for comment notified as [G/TBT/N/USA/923/Add.3](https://docs.wto.org/imrd/directdoc.asp?DDFDocuments/t/G/TBTN14/USA923A3.DOCX) and the request for information; early assessment review notified as [G/TBT/N/USA/923/Add.2](https://docs.wto.org/imrd/directdoc.asp?DDFDocuments/t/G/TBTN19/USA923A2.DOCX) are identified by Docket Number EERE-2019-BT-STD-0035. The Docket Folder is available on Regulations.gov at <https://www.regulations.gov/docket/EERE-2019-BT-STD-0035/document> and provides access to primary and supporting documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from [Regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov/) by searching the Docket Number.

Previous actions notified under the symbol [G/TBT/N/USA/923](https://eping.wto.org/en/Search?domainIds=1&documentSymbol=usa%2F923&distributionDateFrom=2014-09-01&distributionDateTo=2015-09-30) are identified by Docket Number EERE-2012-BT-STD-0029. The Docket Folder is available on Regulations.gov at <https://www.regulations.gov/docket/EERE-2012-BT-STD-0029/document> and provides access to primary and supporting documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from [Regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov/) by searching the Docket Number.

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