



AEPC Circular No. - 67.

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Dear Members,

Subject: Non-tariff measures (TBT) issue being faced by the exporters to be raised in the forthcoming WTO TBT committee meetings

The Ministry of Commerce & Industry has informed that the **WTO TBT Committee Meetings** are scheduled to be held on 9-11th March, 2022. These meetings give an opportunity to member countries to raise their concerns with regard to the non-tariff measures relating to SPS/TBT taken by any other member country.

2. In this regard, the Ministry has also requested that a small background to identify issues that could be raised as Specific Trade Concerns (STCs) during the forthcoming meetings of TBT Committee. The Ministry has also requested for a small background to the issue so identified along with details of its impact on our exports may please be provided in the format, as given below:

Country	Product	Any issues faced by you while exporting in the form certification, documentation, quality, labeling, packaging, transparency, technical barriers, chemical, dyes, design.
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3. In view of the above, you are requested to provide the requested information **by 24th January, 2022** at policycell@aepecindia.com so that it could be shared with the Ministry of Commerce & Industry accordingly.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

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Secretary General