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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

Revision

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

1. Notifying Member: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), Department of Transportation (DOT) 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 Point, Email: usatbtep@nist.gov
3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], 3.2 [], 7.2 [], other:
4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Compressed natural gas fuel container; Vessels and containers mounted on vehicles (ICS code(s): 23.020.20)
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards No. 304, Compressed Natural Gas Fuel Container Integrity; (4 page(s), in English)
6. Description of content: Notice of proposed rulemaking - The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) is proposing to remove obsolete directives from the phase-in reporting requirements in Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) No. 304 .
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Cost saving and productivity enhancement
8. Relevant documents: 90 Federal Register (FR) 22976, 30 May 2025; Title 49 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Parts 571 : https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-05-30/html/2025-09749.htm https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-05-30/pdf/2025-09749.pdf This notice of proposed rulemaking is identified by Docket Number NHTSA-2025-0044. The Docket Folder is available on Regulations.gov at https://www.regulations.gov/docket/NHTSA-2025-0044/document and provides access

to primary documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from [Regulations.gov](https://www.regulations.gov) by searching the Docket Number. WTO Members and their stakeholders are asked to submit comments to the [USA TBT Enquiry Point](#) by or before [4pm Eastern Time](#) on 29 July 2025. Comments received by the USA TBT Enquiry Point from WTO Members and their stakeholders will be shared with NHTSA and will also be submitted to the [Docket](#) on Regulations.gov if received within the comment period.

Previous actions notified under the symbol [G/TBT/N/USA/1498](#) are identified by Docket Numbers [NHTSA-2019-0055](#) and [NHTSA-2021-0004](#). Each Docket Folder available on [Regulations.gov](https://www.regulations.gov) provides access to primary and supporting documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from [Regulations.gov](https://www.regulations.gov) by searching the Docket Number.

- 9. Proposed date of adoption:** To be determined
Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined

- 10. Final date for comments:** 29 July 2025

- 11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [] or address, telephone or fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/USA/25_03690_00_e.pdf