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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 18 November 2026, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the United States of America.

Title: Safety Standard and Notification Requirements for Button Cell or Coin Batteries and Consumer Products Containing Such Batteries

Reason for Addendum:	
[ ]	Comment period changed - date:
[ ]	Notified measure adopted - date:
[X]	Notified measure published - date: 18 November 2026
[X]	Notified measure enters into force - date: 13 February 2027, unless CPSC receives a significant adverse comment by 18 December 2026. If CPSC receives such a comment, it will publish a document in the Federal Register, withdrawing this direct final rule before its effective date. The incorporation by reference of the publication listed in this rule is approved by the Director of the Federal Register as of 13 February 2027.
[X]	Text of final measure available from[1]: https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2026/TBT/USA/final_measure/26_06086_00_e.pdf
[ ]	Notified measure withdrawn or revoked - date: Relevant symbol if measure re-notified:
[ ]	Content or scope of notified measure changed and text available from[1]: New deadline for comments (if applicable):
[ ]	Interpretive guidance issued and text available from[1]:
[ ]	Other:

Description: In September 2023, the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC or Commission) issued a safety standard for button cell or coin batteries and consumer products containing such products in accordance with Reese's Law. The standard incorporated by reference ANSI/UL 4200A-2023, Standard for Safety for Products Incorporating Button Batteries or Coin Cell Batteries. UL Standards and Engagement (ULSE) has now issued a revised standard, ANSI/UL 4200A-2026. Consistent with Reese's Law, this direct final rule updates the mandatory safety standard to incorporate by reference ANSI/UL 4200A-2026.

[1] This information can be provided by including a website address, a pdf attachment, or other information on where the text of the final/modified measure and/or interpretive guidance can be obtained.

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91 Federal Register (FR) 74086, 18 November 2026, Title 16 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 1263:

https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2026-11-18/html/2026-23435.htm

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This direct final rule is identified by Docket Number CPSC-2023-0004. The Docket Folder is available on Regulations.gov at https://www.regulations.gov/docket/CPSC-2023-0004/document and provides access to primary and supporting documents as well as comments received. Documents are also accessible from Regulations.gov by searching the Docket Number. WTO Members and their stakeholders are asked to submit comments to the USA TBT Enquiry Point. Comments received by the USA TBT Enquiry Point from WTO Members and their stakeholders by 4pm Eastern Time on 18 December 2026 will be shared with CPSC 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/1964 are identified by Docket Numbers CPSC-2023-0004 and CPSC-2024-0004.