

**The Use of Electronic  
Tools in WTO/TBT  
Enquiry Point Work**

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# **In the Implementation of The WTO/TBT Agreement**

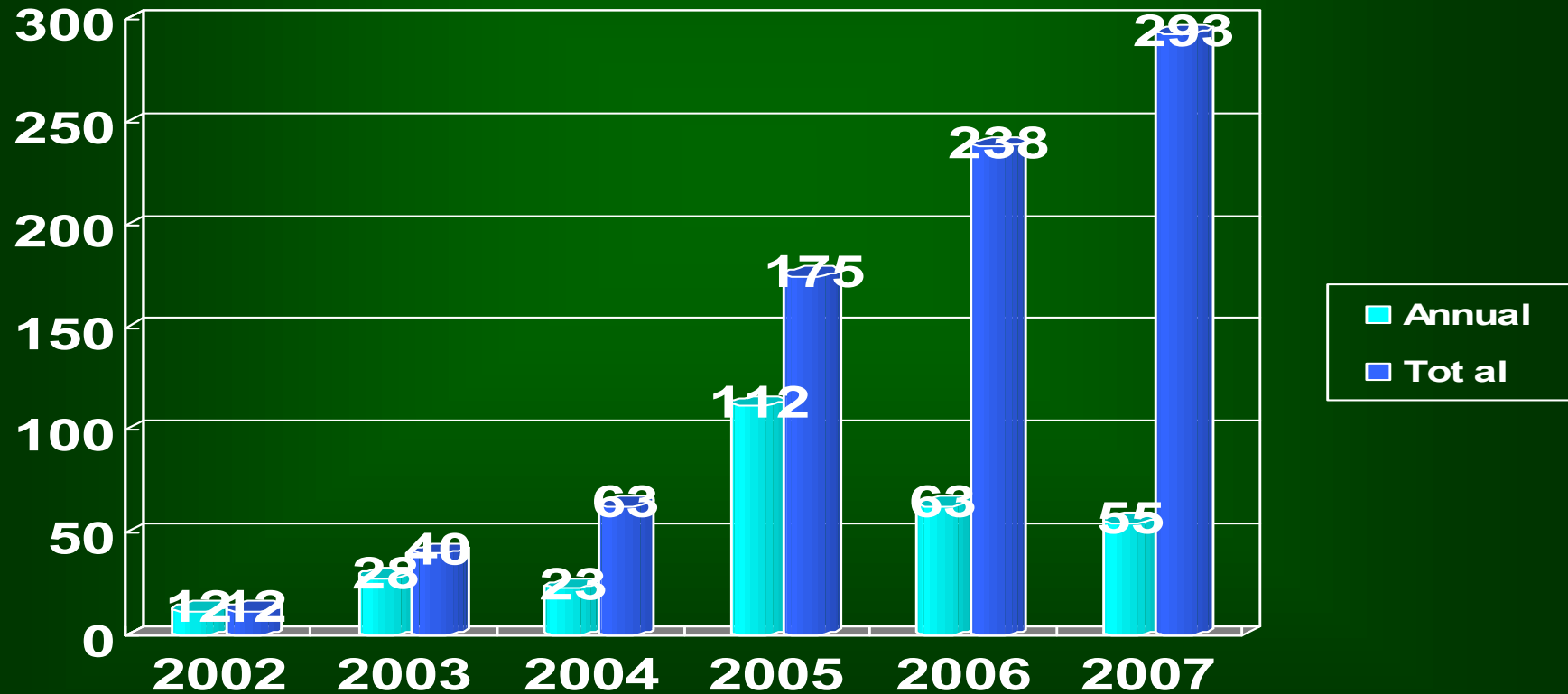
**Using electronic tools in the work of:**

- Publication of technical regulations**
- Conducting TBT Notifications**
- Offering TBT enquiry services**
- Commenting TBT notifications**
- Technical cooperation with partners**
- Popularization of TBT knowledge**
- Maintenance of the TBT-SPS website**

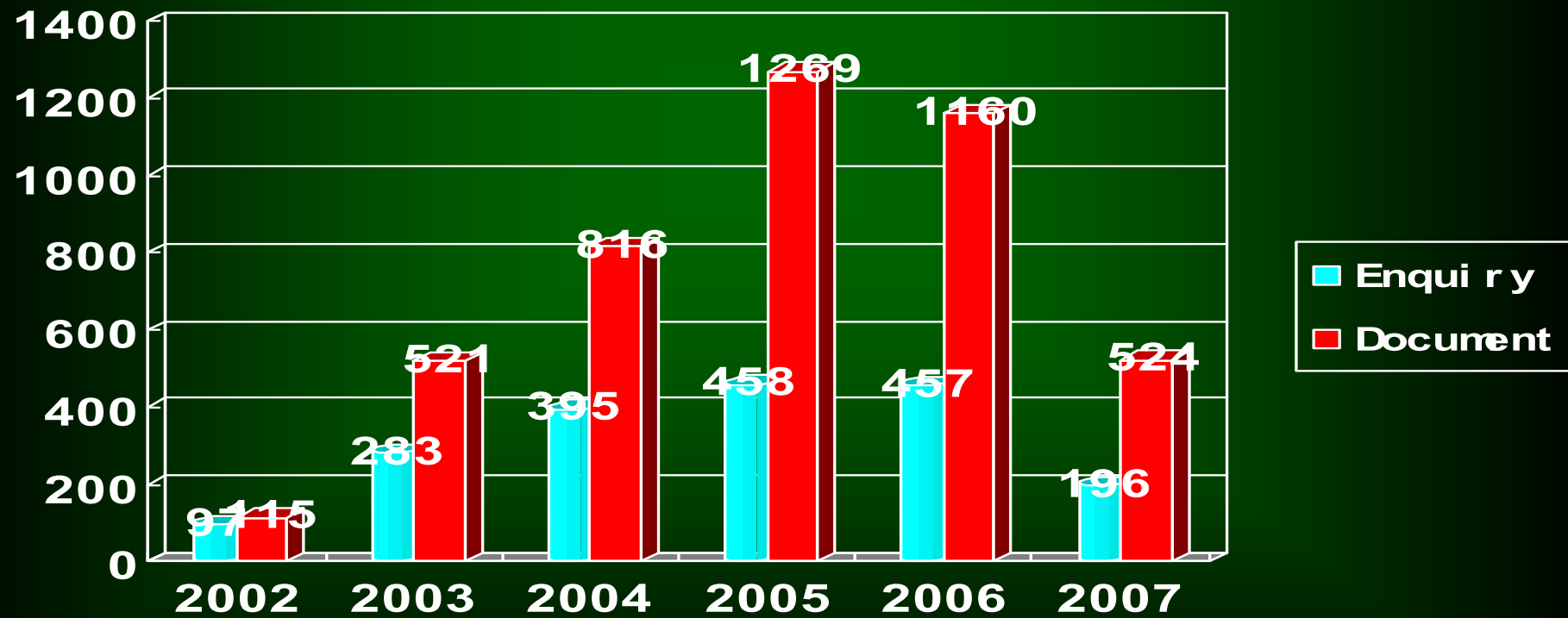
## **- Publication of technical regulations**

**Law of the P.R. China on Legislation,  
Law of the P.R. of China on Standardization,  
Law of the P.R. of China on Metrology,  
Law of the P.R. of China on Product Quality,  
Law of the P.R. of China on the Inspection of  
Import and Export Commodities,  
Administrative Regulation of the P.R. of China on  
Certification and Accreditation, etc.  
Department rules are available on related websites;**

# Using electronic tools in the work of: Notification of TBT Measures



## Using electronic tools in the work of: offering TBT enquiry services



## **Using electronic tools in the work of:**

### **Commenting TBT notifications**

- Receive comments on China's Notification;**
- Communicate with regulatory agency for reply;**
- Transfer TBT notifications to stakeholders;**
- Dealing with comments on other Member's Notifications;**
- Sending comments to related Enquiry Point;**
- Receive reply from other Members;**



## **Using electronic tools in the work of:**

- Technical cooperation with partners**
- Carry out technical study tour to other Members visits to Enquiry Points of US, EU, Japan, Korea Australia, Brazil, Chile, Sweden, Switzerland etc.**
- Receive visitors on Enquiry Point's work from private and public sectors of US, EU, Vietnam etc.**

## **Using electronic tools in the work of:**

- Popularization of TBT knowledge**
- Cooperation with major media such as CCTV, “China Daily”, “The Guomen Times ”, “The China Quality Newspaper” etc.**
- Training courses for related government officials and personnel of enterprises.**

## **Using electronic tools in the work of:**

**- Maintenance of the TBT-SPS website**

**[www.tbt-sps.gov.cn](http://www.tbt-sps.gov.cn)**

- for the implementation of the principle of transparency;**
- an official network in China being most authoritative and professional on technical measures to trade;**
- with rich storage of contents and database;**
- provide time and practical services to users.**

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**Authoritative:**

**- Designated by AQSIQ, the network contains a complete set of TBT notification information in bilingual forms provided by China WTO/TBT Enquiry Point;**

**Practical:**

**- Timely information on key issues of technical measures of domestic and importing Members for importers and exporters;**

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**Timely:**

**- Risk alert information related to Chinese exports**

## **Using electronic tools**

### **Maintenance of the TBT-SPS website**

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#### **mutual-action**

- **introduction on Agreements of the WTO**
- **on-line enquiry making,**
- **on-line information feedback,**
- **on-line information retrieval**
- **on-line subscription**
- **on-line discussion on issues relating technical measure on trade**
- **on-line submission of comments on notifications**

## **Use of electronic tools**

### **Maintenance of the TBT-SPS website**

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#### **Comprehensive**

- large amount of information on quality inspection**
- about 40 technical databases**
- over 6 000 moveable network pages**
- available of TBT notifications of all WTO Members**
- information about various technical regulations, standards, risk alert message and related news**
- storage of over 80 billion characters**
- linkage with other websites**

## **Conclusion**

- 1. Full attention by the central government**
  - Instruction of the State Council**
  - Budget for financial support**
- 2. Clear working procedures**
  - Strictly adhere to TBT rules**



# **Conclusion**

## **3. Solid infrastructure**

**Internal Local Area Network sharing data**

**Quick access to Internet at all time**

## **4. Active participation in TBT activities**

**TBT Committee Meetings**

**Special Meeting on Information Exchange**

**Thank you**