Chinese Taipei - Economy Report Highlights

Key Activities – 2018/19

Amendment of Regulations Governing Self-verification Conducted by Measuring Instrument Enterprises
- About this regulation
  - Requirements to be a self-verifier
  - Powers and duties of a self-verifier
  - Offences and penalties
- About this amendment
  - Make proficiency testing mandatory
  - Make penalties of unintentional offences lighter

Amendment of Enforcement Rules of the Weights and Measures Act
- About this Enforcement Rules
  - Define the categories and scopes of legal measuring instrument
  - Supplement explanations and requirements of the Act

Future Focus - 2020 & beyond

Review on Regulations Governing Management of Metrological Technical Personnel
- About this regulation
  - How to get a certificate
  - How to maintain and renew a certificate
- Issues to be reviewed
  - Loosening the eligibility requirements for candidate of Class A examination
  - Evaluating the requirement of learning credits for certificate renewal

Promotion of Self-verification Scheme
- Status quo
  - 5 kinds of measuring instrument manufacturers allowed
  - Only 2 kinds of measuring instrument manufacturers joined in
- To promote the scheme
  - To understand why not
  - To clarify misunderstandings and advantages
  - To ease the BSMI’s pressure

Some Measures Responding to Utility Meters Go Safer and Go Smart
- National policies:
  - 3 million households electricity meters go smart before 2024
  - Households mechanical gas meters go safer before 2021 plus the effect of LPG transaction by volume
- The countermeasures of the BSMI
  - To expand the scopes of authorized company self-verification
  - To hold extra metrological personnel examinations

Presenter – Chia-Hao Hsu