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## **Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade**

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## **NOTIFICATION**

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

1. Notifying Member: Brazil

If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):

2. Agency responsible: Brazilian Health Regulatory Agency (ANVISA)

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- 3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ ], other:
- 4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):

HS Code(s): 2941; 3003; 3004; 3005; 3006 (pharmaceutical products).

5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft Normative Instruction number 931, October 13<sup>th</sup>, 2020. Language(s): Portuguese. Number of pages: 4.

Draft:

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- **6. Description of content:** This draft normative instruction establishes new codes for the administrative request of market authorization for new and innovative synthetic and semisynthetic medicines.
- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health.

RDC No. 60, of October 10, 2014, had the criteria for granting and renewing the registration of drugs with synthetic and semisynthetic active ingredients, classified as new, generic and similar. The resolution brought greater regulatory robustness in understanding what is expected as proof of quality and safety and efficacy in the registration of synthetic and semisynthetic drugs in relation to previous regulations. However, the possible categories of registration by RDC 60/2014 were New Drug, New Association, New Fixed Dose Association, New Pharmaceutical Form, New Concentration, New Route of Administration, Drug with Same(s) IFA(s) Of New Drug Already Registered, Generic and Similar. For this categorization, RDC No. 60/2014 made it impossible to frame some drugs that brought an innovation that did not fall into any of the categories defined in the resolution, creating an administrative-regulatory – and non-technical – obstacle to the

entry of innovative drugs into the national market. This situation was a constant demand of the regulated sector and brought internal discussion about the need for a broad revision of the standard.

**8. Relevant documents:** 1) Brazilian Official Gazette 204 on 23 October 2020, section 1, page 480 2) Report of Impact Assessment

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9. Proposed date of adoption: To be defined

Proposed date of entry into force: To be defined

- 10. Final date for comments: 28 December 2020.
- 11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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