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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: <u>BRAZIL</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: National Institute of Metrology, Quality and Technology - INMETRO Telephone: +(55) 21 2145.3817 Email: barreirastecnicas@inmetro.gov.br Website: http://www.inmetro.gov.br/barreirastecnicas 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: National Institute of Metrology, Quality and Technology - INMETRO
3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [x], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [X], 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): Compulsory certification of surgical gloves and non-surgical procedure of natural rubber, synthetic rubber and synthetic rubber mixtures,
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Inmetro Ordinance 102, 20 March 2020 (1 page(s), in Portuguese)
6. Description of content: This Ordinance suspends for the period of 12 (twelve) months, from the publication of this Ordinance, the compulsory certification of surgical gloves and non-surgical procedure of natural rubber, synthetic rubber and synthetic rubber mixtures, previously established by Inmetro Ordinance 332, of 26 June 2012.
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health or safety
8. Relevant documents: (1) Brazilian Official Journal (Diário Oficial da União) 53, 23 March 202, section 1, page 94; (2) Not stated; (3) Brazilian Official Journal; (4) Inmetro Ordinance 332, of June 26 2012
9. Proposed date of adoption: Shall enter into force on the date of its publication Proposed date of entry into force: Shall enter into force on the date of its publication
10. Final date for comments: Not applicable

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

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