



## NOTIFICATION

### *Revision*

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

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| <p><b>1. Notifying Member:</b> Brazil<br/><b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):</b></p>   |
| <p><b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Institute of Metrology, Quality and Technology - INMETRO<br/><b>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:</b> National Institute of Metrology, Quality and Technology - INMETRO</p> <p>Telephone: +(55) 21 2563.2840<br/>Telefax: +(55) 21 2563.5637<br/>Email: barreirastecnicas@inmetro.gov.br<br/>Website: <a href="http://www.inmetro.gov.br/barreirastecnicas">http://www.inmetro.gov.br/barreirastecnicas</a></p>  |
| <p><b>3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [ ], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ X ], 5.7.1 [ ], other:</b></p>   |
| <p><b>4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Tubes, pipes and hollow profiles, seamless, of iron (other than cast iron) or steel. (HS 7304)</p> <p>Carbon steel tubes for common uses in conducting fluids and Seamless Carbon Steel Tubes for High Temperatures services.</p>  |
| <p><b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Inmetro Ordinance N°315, 07 July 2014. Improvement of Conformity Assessment Requirements for Carbon Steel Tubes for common uses in Conducting Fluids and Carbon Steel Tubes Seamless for Longitudinal Services at High Temperatures., , (25 pages, in Portuguese)</p>   |
| <p><b>6. Description of content:</b></p> <p>Improvement of Conformity Assessment Requirements for Carbon Steel Tubes for common uses in Conducting Fluids and, Seamless Carbon Steel Tubes for High Temperatures Longitudinal Services with a focus on safety through the certification mechanism, adhering to the Technical Regulations establishments approved for this object, with a view to preventing accidents.</p> <p>It revokes Inmetro Ordinance N° 15/2009, notified as document G/TBT/309/Add.1, within 36 (thirty six) months after the date of the Publication of this Ordinance N°315/2014.</p> <p>It revokes Inmetro Ordinance N° 277/2010, notified as document G/TBT/309/Add.2, within 36 (thirty six) months after the date of the Publication of this Ordinance N°315/2014.</p> |

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| <p><b>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Consumer protection and safety; Quality requirements.</p>   |
| <p><b>8. Relevant documents:</b> (1) Brazilian Official Journal (Diário Oficial da União) Nº 128, 08 July 2014, section 1, page 80/81; (2) Inmetro Ordinance Nº 491/2010 and their substitutives (Portaria Inmetro Nº 491/2010 e suas substitutivas); Inmetro Ordinance Nº 361/2011 and their substitutives (Portaria Inmetro Nº 361/2011 e suas substitutivas); Norma ABNT NBR 5426:1985, ABNT NBR 5580:2013, ABNT NBR 5590:2012 e ABNT NBR 6321:2011; (3) Brazilian Official Journal; (4) Not stated.</p> |
| <p><b>9. Proposed date of adoption:</b> Upon publication in the Official Journal after received comments have been taken into account.</p> <p><b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> Upon publication in the Official Journal after received comments have been taken into account.</p>  |
| <p><b>10. Final date for comments:</b> 07 August 2014</p>   |
| <p><b>11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [ ] or address, telephone or fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.inmetro.gov.br/legislacao/rtac/pdf/RTAC002134.pdf">http://www.inmetro.gov.br/legislacao/rtac/pdf/RTAC002134.pdf</a></p>  |