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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated October 9^{th} , 2019, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Brazil.

The Draft Normative Instruction number 708, September 13th, 2019, regarding technical requirements for statement of nutrition labelling for packaged food – previously notified through G/TBT/N/BRA/821/Add.2 – deviates from the General Standard for the Labelling of Prepackaged Foods, produced by Codex Alimentarius Commision. However, such regulation is in accordance with recommendations and scientific evidence supported by reports of WHO and FAO. The Impact Assessment Report on Nutrition Labelling, available in Portuguese below, describes the scientific evidence which the proposed regulations relies on. This regulation will be also notified to the SPS committee.