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Asunto: Proposed Notification (from Brazil) to the WTO

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Dear Sirs,

Please find attached a notification from Brazil issued by Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply - MAPA. The draft of the MERCOSUL Technical Resolution 174, of 12 september 2019, that opens a period for public consultation on identity and quality for garlics.

Best regards,

Brazilian WTO/TBT Enquiry Point

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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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 (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
- 2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply MAPA
 Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site
 addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments
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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 0703.20. garlic
- 5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: The notified regulation opens a 75-day period for public consultation on the draft of the MERCOSUL Technical Resolution on Identity and Quality for garlics (1 page in Portuguese).
- **6. Description of content:** The draft text establishes the identity, quality, packaging and labelling requirements for garlics.
- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Consumer information, labelling; Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of human health or safety; Quality requirements; Harmonization; Reducing trade barriers and facilitating trade.
- 8. Relevant documents:
 - MERCOSUR/XXXIX SGT No. 3/P.RES No. 20/19 (MERCOSUR/XXXIX Technical Subgroup (SGT) No. 3 / Draft Resolution No. 20/19);
 - Ordinance No. 174, 12 September 2019, published on the Brazilian Official Journal (Diário Oficial da União) No. 181, 18 September 2019, section 1, page 01
- Proposed date of adoption: Not applicable

Proposed date of entry into force: Not applicable

- 10. Final date for comments: Seventy-five days from the publication of the Ordinance
- 11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax

numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body:

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