



NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: Brazil If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: National Institute of Metrology, Quality and Technology - INMETRO 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 Telephone: +(55) 21 2563.2840 Telefax: +(55) 21 2563.5637 Email: barreirastecnicas@inmetro.gov.br Website: http://www.inmetro.gov.br/barreirastecnicas
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): Mechanical appliances (whether or not hand-operated) for projecting, dispersing or spraying liquids or powders; fire extinguishers, whether or not charged; spray guns and similar appliances; steam or sand blasting machines and similar jet projecting machines. (HS 8424) Fire protection (ICS 13.220.20) Powders fire extinguishers / Mechanical appliances for projecting/dispersing
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Inmetro Ordinance N°. 81, 14 February 2014: Fire extinguishing powder. (7 pages, in Portuguese)
6. Description of content: Draft technical regulation proposing requirements for physical and chemical properties to be complied by the chemical agents in the powder form used for firefighting in fire classes A, B, and C, focusing on performance and aiming at the efficiency to extinguish fire start.
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) N° 36, 20

