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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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a. 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 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 2563.2918 Telefax: +(55) 21 2563.5637 Email: barreirastecnicas@inmetro.gov.br Website: http://www.inmetro.gov.br/barreirastecnicas
3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [], 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): All measuring instruments covered by the legal metrology that are subject to administrative acts, procedures and requirements that should be used in the model evaluation process.
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Ordinance 302, June 19 th 2019 (5 pages, in Portuguese).
6. Description of content: Establish the guidelines and general requirements applicable to the evaluation process of the 'model' (physical representation of a weight or measure) that serves as the basis for 'approval of the model', such as the stage of legal control of the measuring instruments. It revokes Inmetro ordinance 484, December 7 th 2010 (Portaria Inmetro 484, de 7 de Dezembro de 2010).
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: National security requirements.
8. Relevant documents: 1. Brazilian Official Journal (Diário Oficial da União), section 1, number 121, June 26 th 2019, pages77/78; 2. Inmetro Ordinance 150, March 29 th 2016; Inmetro Ordinance 232, May 8 th 2012; Law 9933, December 20 th 1999; Law 9784/1999; Law 12.249, June 11 th , 2010; Interministerial Ordinance 44, January 27 th 2017; 3. Brazilian Official Journal; 4. Not stated.
9. Proposed date of adoption: June 26 th 2019 (date of its publication in the Brazilian Official Journal) Proposed date of entry into force:
10. Final date for comments: Not applicable

- 11. Text 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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