



Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

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

1.	<p>Notifying Member: <u>BRAZIL</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):</p>
2.	<p>Agency responsible: Presidency of the Republic - Civil House - Head for Legal Affairs (Subchefia para Assuntos Jurídicos da Casa Civil da Presidência da República). Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:</p> <p>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</p>
3.	<p>Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], other:</p>
4.	<p>Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): All foods containing originally lactose or food that have been altered and contain residual lactose.</p>
5.	<p>Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Law N°. 13.305, 4 July 2016 (1 page, in Portuguese).</p>
6.	<p>Description of content: This Law Adds art. 19a to the Decree-Law N°986, 21 October 1969, establishing basic rules about food, in order to turn mandatory the labelling advisory statement of food containing lactose, as well as Food labels whose lactose original content has been changed shall inform the remaining lactose content.</p>
7.	<p>Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Consumer safety and protection.</p>
8.	<p>Relevant documents: (1) Brazilian Official Journal (Diário Oficial da União) N° 127, 5 July 2016, section 1, page 1; (2) Law N°13.305, 4 July 2016 (Lei N°13.305, de 4 de Julho de 2016); Decree-Law N°986, 21 October 1969 (Decreto-Lei N°986, de 21 de Outubro de 1969); (3) Brazilian Official Journal; (4) Not stated.</p>
9.	<p>Proposed date of adoption: 5 July 2016 Proposed date of entry into force: } 5 January 2017</p>
10.	<p>Final date for comments: Not applicable</p>
11.	<p>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:</p>

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