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**Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade** 

## NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated xx August 2018, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the Brazil.

This addendum aims at informing that the Ministry of Mines and Energy – MME; Ministry of Science, Technology, Innovation and Communications – MCT and Ministry of Development, Industry and Foreign Trade - MDIC issued the Interministerial ordinance number 1, 31 July 2018 approving the Targets Program for refrigerators and freezers, previously notified under the document G/TBT/N/BRA/762, contemplated in the Interministerial Ordinance MME/MCTIC/MDIC 326, 26 May 2011, in compliance with the provisions of art. 2, of Law 10.295, 17 October 2001, on the maximum levels of specific energy consumption to machines and appliances manufactured or marketed in the country on the basis of the relevant technical indicators.

The mechanism for assessing conformity of the maximum levels of consumption (C/Cp) for refrigerators and freezers covered by this Program of Targets is that used by means of labeling, conducted by the National Institute of Metrology, Quality and Technology - Inmetro, through the Brazilian Labeling Program - PBE.

The full text of this measure is available in Portuguese and can be downloaded at:

http://pesquisa.in.gov.br/imprensa/jsp/visualiza/index.jsp?data=02/08/2018&jornal=515&pagina=61& totalArquivos=82 http://pesquisa.in.gov.br/imprensa/jsp/visualiza/index.jsp?data=02/08/2018&jornal=515&pagina =62&totalArquivos=82