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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: BRAZIL
 If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
- 2. Agency responsible: National Institute of Metrology, Quality and Technology INMETRO 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:

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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 8707) car body shell for road vehicles.

- **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Ordinance No. 105, 25 February 2015. The text proposes improvements on the Regulations for Road Vehicles and Equipment Manufacturers/Bodybuilders and / or vehicles transformers (17 pages, in Portuguese).
- **Description of content:** The text establishes the technical requirements that must be met by manufacturers, bodybuilders and / or transformers of road vehicles, and vehicles equipment manufacturers, in order to promote the vehicles and equipment safety, as well as user's safety.

This text applies to manufacturers of car body shell, bodybuilders and/or vehicles transformers and vehicle equipment manufacturers, with total yearly production of less than one thousand (1,000) units.

- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Quality requirements; Consumer safety and protection.
- **Relevant documents:** (1) Brazilian Official Journal (Diário Oficial da União) Nº 38, 26 February 2015, section 1, Pages 64 and 65; (2) Law Nº 9.503/1997 (Lei N.º 9.503, de 23 de setembro de 1997), Contran Ordinance N.º 232/2007 (Resolução Contran N.º 232, de 30 de março de 2007), Contran Ordinance N.º 24/1998 (Resolução Contran N.º 24/1998), Contran Ordinance N.º 429/2012 (Resolução Contran N.º 429/2012), ABNT NBR NM-ISO 10261:2006, ABNT NBR 6066:2001; (3) Brazilian Official Journal; (4) Not Stated.

- 9. Proposed date of adoption: To be determined after the end of the consultation period.
- 10. Final date for comments: 27 April 2015
- 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:

http://www.inmetro.gov.br/legislacao/rtac/pdf/RTAC002218.pdf