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## **Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade**

## NOTIFICATION

## Addendum

The following communication, dated xx July 2015, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of the <u>Brazil</u>.

This addendum aims at informing that the National Institute of Metrology, Quality and Technology – Inmetro, issued the Ordinance  $N^{\circ}$  349, 09 July 2015, approved adjustments and clarifications to the Conformity Assessment Process for Mattresses & Mats Flexible Polyurethane Foam, previously notified as Ordinance  $N^{\circ}$  79, 3 February 2011 (G/TBT/N/BRA/373/Add.1) and revised by Draft Ordinance  $N^{\circ}$  258, 5 June 2014 (G/TBT/N/BRA/373/Rev.1).

The Ordinance No 349, 09 July 2015:

- Add items: 1.1, 4.9 to 4.19, 6.1.1.4.1.2.1, 6.1.1.4.1.3.1, 6.1.1.4.1.3.2, 6.1.1.4.2.5, 12.1.12.1, 12.1.13 on Ordinance No 79, 3 February 2011;
- Rewording items: 4.2, 4.3, 4.8, 6.1.1.4.1.4, 6.1.1.4.1.5, 6.1.1.6.2(e), 6.1.2.2.1.2, 6.1.2.2.1.3, 6.1.2.2.1.4, 6.1.2.2.1.5, 6.1.2.2.2.1, 6.2.1.3.1.2, 11.1.3; 12.1.12 on Ordinance No 79, 3 February 2011;
- Excluding items: 6.1.2.2.1.6 and 6.1.2.2.1.7 from Ordinance Nº 79, 3 February 2011 appendix (G/TBT/N/BRA/373/Add.1), as well as renew it appendix 'C';
- Establishes that Electrical Mattresses and Mats remain covered by Inmetro Ordinances No. 371, 29 December 2009, and Ordinance No. 328, 8 August 2011;
- Sets that hospital mattresses indicated human prevention treatment or rehabilitation, defined as medical product are regulated by the Ordinance RDC ANVISA Nº 185/01, issued by the Brazilian Health Surveillance Agency – ANVISA;
- Revokes Inmetro Ordinance Nº 386, 2 August 2013, notified as G/TBT/N/BRA/373/Add.2.

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

http://www.inmetro.gov.br/legislacao/rtac/pdf/RTAC002291.pdf