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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

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

1. Member to Agreement notifying: <u>CHILE</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Ministry of the Economy, Development and Reconstruction 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:
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): Shut-off valves for gas appliances and hose terminals
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Shut-Off Valves for Gas Appliances and Hose Terminals (31 pages, in Spanish)
6. Description of content: This Standard establishes requirements for the manufacture, safety and operation of shut-off valves for gas appliances and hose terminals.
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Safety
8. Relevant documents: Chilean Standard NCh 2578-2001
9. Proposed date of adoption: Time needed for relevant processing once the period for comments has elapsed. Proposed date of entry into force:
10. Final date for comments: 30 April 2001
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: Departamento de Comercio Exterior, DECOEX Ministerio de Economía, Fomento y Reconstrucción Teatinos 120, piso 11, oficina 22 Tel: 56-2-6988148 Fax: 56-2-6974905 E-mail: decoex@minecon.cl