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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

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

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| 1. Member to Agreement notifying: <u>MEXICO</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2): |
| 2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Energy Agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above: Contact Point |
| 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): Portable liquified petroleum gas (LPG) containers. |
| 5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft Mexican Official Standard PROY-NOM-011-SEDG-1999 Portable Containers for Liquified Petroleum Gas Not Exposed to Heating by Artificial Means – Manufacture. (17 pages, Spanish) |
| 6. Description of content: The purpose of this Draft Mexican Standard is to establish the minimum specifications and testing methods for the manufacture of portable LPG containers, with a design pressure of 1.65 Mpa (16.9Kgf/cm ²) at 323K (50°C) and a maximum capacity of 45 kg., their useful life, the marking to identify the manufacturer and the retailer/owner, date of manufacture and the compliance evaluation procedure. |
| 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Safety |
| 8. Relevant documents: <i>Diario Oficial de la Federación</i> (Official Journal of the Federation) of 10 November 1999. |
| 9. Proposed date of adoption: Proposed date of entry into force: } To be determined |
| 10. Final date for comments: 9 January 2000 |
| 11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, e-mail and telefax number of the other body: |