

WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

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

1. Member to Agreement notifying: <u>BRAZIL</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: National Institute of Metrology, Standardization and Industrial Quality-INMETRO 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): Hygienic pads
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Project of Mercosur Technical Regulation on Quantity Indication of Pre-packaged Hygienic Pads (2 pages, available in Portuguese and Spanish)
6. Description of content: This regulation modifies the A Annex from GMC 58/92 Resolution in order to satisfy the requirements of quantitative indication..
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Facilitate the trade between Mercosur State Parts
8. Relevant documents: GMC 58/92 Resolution
9. Proposed date of adoption: Proposed date of entry into force: 1 March 2000
10. Final date for comments: 25 November 1999
11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, e-mail and telefax number of the other body: