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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 (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
- 2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply

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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 2204) Wine; (HS 200960) Grapejuice, sweetend or not; (HS 220900) Vinegar. Wine of fresh grapes, including fortified wines; grape must other than that of heading 20.09. (HS: 2204), Vinegar and substitutes for vinegar obtained from acetic acid. (HS: 220900)
- 5. **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Draft Ordinance Act N°. 374, 27 November 2014 (Portaria SDA/MAPA 374/2014). Establishes quality requirements for wine and derivatives of grape and wine (16 pages, in Portuguese)
- **6. Description of content:** Draft technical regulation to set the official identity and quality standards for wine and derivatives of grape and wine, as well as the requirements to be fulfilled.
- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Quality requirements.
- 8. Relevant documents:
  - 1. Brazilian Official Journal (Diário Oficial da União) N° 231, 28 November 2014, section 1, page 13;
  - 2. Law N° 7.678, 8 November 1988; Decree N° 8.198, 20 February 2014;
  - 3. Brazilian Official Journal:
  - 4. Not stated.
- 9. Proposed date of adoption: To be determined after the end of the consultation period
  Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined after the end of the consultation period
- 10. Final date for comments: 27 January 2015

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [ ] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body: <a href="http://pesquisa.in.gov.br/imprensa/jsp/visualiza/index.jsp?data=28/11/2014&jornal=1&pagina=13&totalArquivos=368">http://pesquisa.in.gov.br/imprensa/jsp/visualiza/index.jsp?data=28/11/2014&jornal=1&pagina=13&totalArquivos=368</a>