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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: <u>BRAZIL</u>
  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): Horses, live, breeding material. Pure-bred breeding animals (HS: 010.111)
- 5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft Ordinance N°. 305, 15 December 2014, Import and Export Requirements for Equine and Its Breeding Material (6 pages, in Portuguese)
- **6. Description of content:** Draft technical regulation setting the rules establishing the criteria for horses, and its breeding materials import. While the specific rules for each race are not approved shall be provisionally obeyed the criteria laid down in Instruction N°. 1 of 29 December 2009. It revokes Ordinance N° 1, 29 December 2009 (Instrução Normativa N° 1, 29 de Dezembro de 2009) as soon as the specific rules for each race will be approved.
- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of animal or plant life or health; Quality requirements
- 8. Relevant documents: (1) Brazilian Official Gazette (Diário Oficial da União) N° 245, 18 December 2014, section 1, pages 5/6; (2) Decree N° 8236, 5 May 2014; Law N° 4.716, 7 July 1965; Decree N° 96.993, 17 October 1988; Law N° 7.291, 19 December 1984; (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: 18 March 2015

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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