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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.	Notifying Member: <u>CHILE</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: <i>Ministerio de Obras Públicas</i> (Ministry of Public Works) Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above: <i>Dirección General de Relaciones Económicas Internacionales</i> (Directorate-General of International Economic Relations), <i>Ministerio de Relaciones Exteriores</i> (Ministry of Foreign Affairs).
3.	Notified under Article 2.9.2 [], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [X], 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): Concrete
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: <i>NCh 171-2008 Hormigón - Extracción de muestras del hormigón fresco</i> (Chilean Standard (NCh) No. 171-2008: Concrete - Sampling of fresh concrete) (9 pages, in Spanish)
6.	Description of content: The notified Standard sets forth procedures for obtaining representative spot and composite samples of fresh concrete, as delivered to the work site where the tests are to be performed, so as to determine compliance with the quality requirements of the specifications under which the concrete is furnished. The practice includes sampling from stationary mixers, truck mixers or agitators, concrete supplies, and other mixing or transportation equipment.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Quality requirements; protection of human health and safety.
8.	Relevant documents: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ISO 1920-1:2004 Testing of concrete - Part 1: Sampling of fresh concrete• ASTM C 172-07 Standard Practice for Sampling Freshly Mixed Concrete• Decree No. 964 of 15 September 1975 of the Ministry of Public Works
9.	Proposed date of adoption: - Proposed date of entry into force: -
10.	Final date for comments: 60 days from the date of notification.

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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