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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: *Superintendencia de Electricidad y Combustibles*, SEC (Electricity and Fuel Board)

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: Dirección General de Relaciones Económicas Internacionales (Directorate-General of International Economic Relations), Ministerio de Relaciones Exteriores (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): Non-metallic conduits for underground electrical installations.
- **5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** *PE N° 3/17 Proyecto de Protocolo Base de Análisis y/o Ensayos de Productos Eléctricos* (PE No. 3/17 Draft basic analysis and/or test protocol for electrical products) (10 pages, in Spanish)
- **6. Description of content:** The notified Protocol establishes the certification procedure for non-metallic conduits for underground electrical installations of a nominal diameter not exceeding 250 mm, in accordance with the scope and field of application of International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) Standard No. 61386-24:2004-07.
- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Safety

8. Relevant documents:

- IEC 61386-1:2008-02: Conduit systems for cable management Part 1: General requirements.
- IEC 61386-24:2004-07: Conduit systems for cable management Part 24: Particular requirements Conduit systems buried underground.
- IEC 60754-1 ed3.0 (2011-11): Test on gases evolved during combustion of materials from cables Part 1: Determination of the halogen acid gas content.
- IEC 60754-2 ed2.0 (2011-11): Test on gases evolved during combustion of materials from cables Part 2: Determination of acidity (by pH measurement) and conductivity.
- Law No. 18.410:1985
- Supreme Decree No. 298 of 2005 of the Ministry of the Economy, Development and Reconstruction
- Exempt Resolution No. 19 of 2 November 2016 of the Ministry of Energy

- 9. Proposed date of adoption: -Proposed date of entry into force: -
- **10. Final date for comments:** 30 days from the date of notification.

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

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