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Council for Trade in Services

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**NOTIFICATION PURSUANT TO ARTICLE III:3 OF THE
GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TRADE IN SERVICES**

The following notification from the delegation of the Republic of Paraguay, dated 14 October 2015, is being circulated to the members of the Council for Trade in Services.

1 MEMBER(S) NOTIFYING:

Republic of Paraguay

2 NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE(S):

Article III, paragraph 3, of the General Agreement on Trade in Services

3 DATE OF ENTRY INTO FORCE:

Resolution No. 332 of 21 May 2010

Resolution No. 925/11 of 16 September 2011

3.1 Duration:

Indefinite

4 AGENCY RESPONSIBLE FOR ENFORCEMENT OF THE MEASURE:

National Tourism Secretariat (SENATUR)

5 COMPLETE DESCRIPTION OF THE MEASURE:

Document required for registration

Market access (MA):

Resolution No. 332/10, Article 8, point 7: Permanent establishment for foreigners.

Registration in the National Tourism Register

Market access (MA):

Resolution No. 925/11, Article 12: Permanent registration certificates will be granted after 12 years of uninterrupted service.

Tourist guides of foreign nationality

National treatment (NT):

Article 30: To be recognized as a tourist guide, a foreign professional must have **permanent residency** and submit an authorization certificate issued by a competent body.

Article 32: In areas bordering MERCOSUR countries, foreign tourist guides certified in their countries of origin may guide in Paraguayan territory, provided that regional reciprocity agreements exist between the implementing authorities.

6 MEMBERS SPECIFICALLY AFFECTED, IF ANY:

None

7 TEXT AVAILABLE FROM:

Enquiry Point (<http://www.senatur.gov.py>)
