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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: BRAZIL If applicable, name of local government involved: 2. Agency responsible: Secretariat of Animal and Plant Health and Inspection SDA/Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply - MAPA Products covered (provide tariff item number(s) as specified in national 3. schedules deposited with the WTO; ICS numbers should be provided in addition, where applicable): Fish and fishery products 4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: All trading partners Not applicable to Argentina, Canada, Chile and Uruguay. LXJ Specific regions or countries: Γ1 5. Title of the notified document: Circular N° 295/2013/DIPES/CGI/DIPOA Language(s): Portuguese Number of pages: 2 http://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2013/sps/BRA/13_4073_00_x.pdf Description of content: The notified regulation standardizes the international 6. certificates for fish and fishery products to be exported to Brazil. 7. Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [X] animal health, [] plant protection, [] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [] protect territory from other damage from pests. 8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard: Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text) Codex Stan 36-1981; Rev 1-1995 and ГХЛ CAC/GL 38/2001 World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic [] Animal Health Code, chapter number) [] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number) [] None Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? [X] Yes [] No If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard: 9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:

10. Proposed date of adoption (*dd/mm/yy*): 10 September 2013

Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 10 September 2013

- 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (*dd/mm/yy*): 1 January 2014
 - [] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (*dd/mm/yy*): Not applicable

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