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**NOTIFICATION**

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.4.

1.	Party to Agreement notifying: <u>MEXICO</u>
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Health
3.	Notified under Article 2.5.2 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> , 2.6.1 <input type="checkbox"/> , 7.3.2 <input type="checkbox"/> , 7.4.1 <input type="checkbox"/> , other:
4.	Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Catheters
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Draft Mexican Official Standard NOM-097-SSA1-1994, Establishing the Sanitary Specifications for Nelaton-type catheters Made of Natural Latex Rubber for the Drainage of Urine
6.	Description of content: This Standard establishes the specifications for disposable Nelaton-type catheters made of natural latex rubber for the drainage of urine, in sterile and non-sterile packs, to safeguard health and reduce the risks of using catheters.
7.	Objective and rationale: Protection of health
8.	Relevant documents: Diario Oficial de la Federación (Official Journal) of 24 October 1994
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: On the day following definitive publication in the Official Journal
10.	Final date for comments: 22 January 1995
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> or address and telefax number of other body: