NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6.

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** PLURINATIONAL STATE OF BOLIVIA  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** *Ministerio de Desarrollo Productivo y Economía Plural* (Ministry of Productive Development and the Plural Economy)  **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:**  Av. Mariscal Santa Cruz, Edif. Centro de Comunicaciones, piso 17  La Paz, Bolivia  Tel.: (+591) (2) 2184343 |
| **3.** | **Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 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):** Milk in powder: 04.02 - Milk and cream, concentrated or containing added sugar or other sweetening matter; 0402.10 - In powder, granules or other solid forms, of a fat content, by weight, not exceeding 1.5%; 0402.10.10.00 - In containers holding not more than 2.5 kg, 0402.10.90.00 - Other (not applicable to milk in powder containing added sugar or other sweetening matter) - In powder, granules or other solid forms, of a fat content, by weight, exceeding 1.5%; 0402.21 - Not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter: Of a fat content, by weight, of 26% or more, on the dry product; 0402.21.11.00 - In containers holding not more than 2.5 kg; 0402.21.19.00 - Other - Other; 0402.21.91.00 - In containers holding not more than 2.5 kg; 0402.21.99.00 - Other - Evaporated milk 0402.91.10.00 - Evaporated milk - In powder, granules or other solid forms, of a fat content, by weight, not exceeding 1.5% (HS 040210) - Not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter (HS 040221). |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** *Proyecto de Reglamento Técnico de "Leche en polvo y leche evaporada"* (Draft Technical Regulation on milk in powder and evaporated milk) (24 pages, in Spanish) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The notified Technical Regulation applies to milk in powder and evaporated milk marketed in the Plurinational State of Bolivia. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** To prevent misleading practices and protect consumers; to protect human health and safety; to establish the technical requirements for milk in powder and evaporated milk, with a view to protecting human health and preventing practices likely to mislead consumers. |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**   * *Decreto Supremo 26510* |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** 5 December 2018  **Proposed date of entry into force:** 5 December 2019 |
| **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:**  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2018/TBT/BOL/18_5163_00_s.pdf> |