NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Brazil  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** National Institute of Metrology, Quality and Technology (INMETRO)  **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:**  National Institute of Metrology, Quality and Technology (INMETRO) Telephone: +(55) 21 2145.3817 Email: [barreirastecnicas@inmetro.gov.br](mailto:barreirastecnicas@inmetro.gov.br) Web-site: [www.inmetro.gov.br/barreirastecnicas](http://www.inmetro.gov.br/barreirastecnicas) |
| **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):** Activities associated with the release acts under the responsibility of INMETRO within the scope of Legal Metrology |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Inmetro Ordinance 265, 10 August 2020 <https://www.in.gov.br/en/web/dou/-/portaria-n-265-de-10-de-agosto-de-2020-271716318> (3 page(s), in Portuguese) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This Ordinance establishes the classification of risk of economic activities associated with the release acts under the responsibility of INMETRO within the scope of Legal Metrology. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** To provide the criteria and procedures for the classification of risk of economic activity and to set the deadline for tacit approval; Other |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**  1) Brazilian Official Gazette 154 on 12 August 2020, section 1, page 49 2) Law No. 13.874, 20 September 2019; Decree No. 10.178, 18 December 2019; Inmetro Ordinance 35, 29 January 2020  [http://www.planalto.gov.br/ccivil\_03/\_ato2019-2022/2019/lei/L13874.htm](http%3a%2f%2fwww.planalto.gov.br%2fccivil_03%2f_ato2019-2022%2f2019%2flei%2fL13874.htm)  [http://www.planalto.gov.br/ccivil\_03/\_ato2019-2022/2019/decreto/D10178.htm](http%3a%2f%2fwww.planalto.gov.br%2fccivil_03%2f_ato2019-2022%2f2019%2fdecreto%2fD10178.htm)  [http://www.inmetro.gov.br/legislacao/rtac/pdf/RTAC002619.pdf](http%3a%2f%2fwww.inmetro.gov.br%2flegislacao%2frtac%2fpdf%2fRTAC002619.pdf) |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** 1 September 2020  **Proposed date of entry into force:** 1 September 2020 |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** Not applied |
| **11.** | **Texts available from: National enquiry point [****X]** **or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**  <http://www.inmetro.gov.br/legislacao/rtac/pdf/RTAC002661.pdf> |