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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>BRAZIL</u> 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 2563.2840 Telefax: +(55) 21 2563.5637 Email: barreirastecnicas@inmetro.gov.br Website: http://www.inmetro.gov.br/barreirastecnicas
3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [X], 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): Catalytic converter body. Parts and accessories of the motor vehicles of headings 87.01 to 87.05. (HS 8708)
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Inmetro Ordinance N°. 49, 27 January 2014: Compulsory Supplier's Conformity Declaration for Catalytic Converters Body used for vehicles replacement (15 pages, in Portuguese).
6. Description of content: Establishment of criteria to the Conformity Assessment Program for Catalytic Converters body used to replace vehicles with Otto cycle engines, according to the CONAMA Ordinance N° 282/2001 (Resolução CONAMA N°. 282/2001) in order to provide consumer confidence consistent with the needs of environmental control.
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Quality requirements, Protection of Human health or Safety, Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection.
8. Relevant documents: (1) Brazilian Official Journal (Diário Oficial da União) N° 20, 29 January 2014, section 1, page 88; (2) Conmetro Ordinance 4/1998 (Resolução Conmetro n° 4/1998); CONAMA Ordinance 282/2001 (Resolução CONAMA 282/2001); Inmetro Ordinance 649/2012 (Portaria Inmetro 649/2012); (3) Brazilian Official Journal; (4) ABNT NBR 6601:2012; ABNT NBR 14008:2007; ABNT NBR 8689:2012.

<p>9. Proposed date of adoption:</p> <p>Proposed date of entry into force:</p>	<p>To be determined in the final text, that will be published in the Official Journal after received comments have been taken into account</p> <p>To be determined in the final text, that will be published in the Official Journal after received comments have been taken into account</p>
<p>10. Final date for comments: 31 March 2014</p>	
<p>11. Text available from: National enquiry point [], or address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body:</p> <p>http://www.inmetro.gov.br/legislacao/rtac/pdf/RTAC002074.pdf</p>	