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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: Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply

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: <u>barreirastecnicas@inmetro.gov.br</u> Website: <u>http://www.inmetro.gov.br/barreirastecnicas</u>

- 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): HS: 2202, Sweetened or flavoured, & other non-alcoholic beverages. Waters, including mineral waters and aerated waters, containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or flavoured, and other non-Alcoholic beverages, not including fruit or vegetable juices of heading 20.09.)
- 5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft Ordinance N°. 5, 29 January 2015. It sets the identity and quality standards to diet and low calories drinks (2 pages, in Portuguese)
- 6. Description of content: Draft Technical Regulation Establishing the Identity and Quality Standards for Dietary and Low-Calorie Non-Alcoholic Beverages that should have the content of sugars normally added in conventional drink, entirely replaced by low-calorie or non-caloric, natural or artificial sweeteners, among others requirements.
- 7. **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Quality requirements; Protection of human health or safety
- 8. Relevant documents: (1) Brazilian Official Journal (Diário Oficial da União) Nº 23, 3 February 2015, section 1, page 5; (2) Ordinance Nº 30/1999 (Instrução Normativa Nº 30, de 27 de Setembro de 1999); Law Nº 8.918/1997 (Lei Nº 8.918, de 14 de Julho de 1997), approved by the Decree Nº 2.314/1997 (Decreto Nº 2.314, de 4 de Setembro de 1997) (3) Brazilian Official Journal; (4) Not stated.
- Proposed date of adoption: To be determined after the end of the consultation period
  Proposed date of entry into force: To be determined after the end of the consultation period
- 10. Final date for comments: 5 March 2015

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://pesquisa.in.gov.br/imprensa/jsp/visualiza/index.jsp?data=03/02/2015&jornal=1&pagi na=5&totalArquivos=68 http://pesquisa.in.gov.br/imprensa/jsp/visualiza/index.jsp?data=29/09/1999&jornal=1&pagi na=124&totalArquivos=144 http://pesquisa.in.gov.br/imprensa/isp/visualiza/index.jsp?data=29/09/1999&jornal=1&pagi na=124&totalArquivos=144

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