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## **Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade**

## NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: BRAZIL

If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):

2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Agriculture, Livestock and Food Supply (MAPA)
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- 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: 3808
- **5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Ordinance N°. 26, 20 July 2017 (Instrução Normativa MAPA/SDA N° 26, de 20 de Julho de 2017). (1 page, in Portuguese).
- **6. Description of content:** Revision of Technical and administrative procedures for licensing the importation of agrochemical products, technical products and the like.

It exempts the products covered by the technical regulation from pre-embarkment authorization. The objective of this review is to update and to modernize these procedures with a view to facilitate international trade.

It revokes Ordinance 19, 8 July 2013 (Instrução Normativa MAPA/SDA  $N^{\circ}$  19, de 08 de Julho de 2013).

- **7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Protection of human health or safety; Quality requirements; Protection of human health; quality and safety requirements.
- **8. Relevant documents:** (1) Brazilian Official Journal (Diário Oficial da União) Nº 139, 21 July 2017, section 1, page 4; (2) a Instrução Normativa nº 51, de 4 de novembro de 2011; Decreto nº 660, de 25 de setembro de 1992; Decreto nº 4.074, de 2002; (3) Brazilian Official Journal; (4) Not stated.
- Proposed date of adoption: Upon publication in the Official Journal
   Proposed date of entry into force: Upon publication in the Official Journal
- 10. Final date for comments: Not applicable
- 11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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