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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

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>BRAZIL</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> National Institute of Metrology, Quality and Technology-INMETRO <b>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:</b>  Telephone: +(55) 21 2563.2765 Telefax: +(55) 21 2563.5637 Email: <a href="mailto:barreirastecnicas@inmetro.gov.br">barreirastecnicas@inmetro.gov.br</a> Website: <a href="http://www.inmetro.gov.br/barreirastecnicas">http://www.inmetro.gov.br/barreirastecnicas</a>
<b>3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ X ], 5.7.1 [ ], other:</b>
<b>4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Portable tanks bulk containers (IBC) used in land transport of certain dangerous goods.
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Inmetro Ordinance 165, 29 March 2018 (Portaria Inmetro Nº 165/2018) (40 page(s), in Portuguese)
<b>6. Description of content:</b> Draft technical regulation approving technical quality requirements for reusable packaging, portable tanks and intermediate containers - IBC, used in the land transport for retail market transportation of hazardous automotive fuels, manufactured, imported and distributed in the national territory, according to the National Land Transportation Agency (Agência Nacional de Transportes Terrestres - ANTT) Resolution 5.232/2016, for conformity assessment through certification, observing the deadline established in art. 3 of this Ordinance.  Technical Regulation for reusable packaging used in the retail market for automotive fuels, inserted in Annex I  Conformity Assessment Requirements - for Containers, Portable Tanks and Intermediate Containers for Bulk - IBC Used in Ground Transportation of Hazardous Products, included in Annex II of this Ordinance  It is worth noting that the comments made regarding Inmetro Ordinance 601, 17 December 2015, published in the Official Gazette, 18 December, 2015, section 01, page 115, and Inmetro Ordinance 125, 16 March, 2016, published in the Official Gazette, 17 March, 2016, section 01, page 46, were taken into account in the preparation of this text.  It revokes, in eighteen (18) months after the publication of this legal instrument, the Inmetro Ordinances (Portarias Inmetro): Ordinance 250, 16 October, 2006, published in the Official Gazette 18 October 2006, section 01, pages 56 and 57; Ordinance 326,

<p>11 December 2006, published in the Official Gazette of the Union 13 December 2006, section 01, pages 152 and 153; Ordinance 460, 20 December 2007, published in the Official Gazette of the Union 24 December 2007, section 01, page 101; ordinance 71, 29 February 2008, published in the Official Gazette of the Union, 4 March 2008, section 01, page 63; Ordinance 451, 19 December 2008, published in the Official Gazette 23 December 2008, section 01, pages 150 and 151, Ordinance 452 19 December 2008, published in the Official Gazette of the Union, 23 December 2008, section 01, page 151, Ordinance 453, 19 December 2008, published in the Official Gazette of 23 December 2008, section 01, page 151, and Ordinance 135, 21 March 2013, published in the Official Gazette of the Union on 25 March 2013, section 01, pages 92 and 93.</p>
<p><b>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Protection of human health or safety; Quality requirements</p>
<p><b>8. Relevant documents:</b> (1) Brazilian Official Journal (Diário Oficial da União) 64, 4 April 2018, section 1, page 114; (2) ANTT Resolution 3.665, 4 May 2011; ANTT Resolution 5.232, 14 December 2016; ANTT Resolution 420, 12 February 2004; (<i>Agência Nacional do Petróleo, Gás Natural e Biocombustíveis</i>) ANP Resolution 41, 5 November 2013; ABNT NBR 5426:1985 (3) Brazilian Official Journal; (4) Not Stated.</p>
<p><b>9. Proposed date of adoption:</b> To be determined in the final text, that will be published in the Official Journal after received comments.</p> <p><b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> To be determined in the final text, that will be published in the Official Journal after received comments.</p>
<p><b>10. Final date for comments:</b> 7 May 2018</p>
<p><b>11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.inmetro.gov.br/legislacao/rtac/pdf/RTAC002503.pdf">http://www.inmetro.gov.br/legislacao/rtac/pdf/RTAC002503.pdf</a></p>