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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: BRAZIL
	If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: Brazilian Health Regulatory Agency - ANVISA
3.	Products covered (provide tariff item number(s) as specified in national schedules deposited with the WTO; ICS numbers should be provided in addition, where applicable): Monetary update on registration and GMP certification fees related to health products
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:
	[X] All trading partners
	[] Specific regions or countries:
5.	Title of the notified document: Interministerial Ordinance no 701, 31 August 2015, regarding a monetary update on registration and GMP certification fees related to health products in Brazil Language(s): Portuguese Number of pages: 4
	http://pesquisa.in.gov.br/imprensa/jsp/visualiza/index.jsp?data=02/09/2015&jornal=1&pagina=26&totalArquivos=104
6.	Description of content: Interministerial Ordinance n° 701, 31 August 2015, regarding a monetary update on registration and GMP certification fees related to health products in Brazil.
	This Ordinance promoted a monetary update on registration and GMP certification fees related to health products in Brazil. It was necessary once the values of ANVISA's fees were obsolete since its creation in 1999, with accumulated losses of 193.5% according to Brazilian official inflation rate. So it is considered not to be a tribute increase, but a currency value reconstitution.
7.	Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [] animal health, [] plant protection, [] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [] protect territory from other damage from pests.
8.	Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:
	[] Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text)
	[] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number)
	[] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number)
	[X] None
	Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?
	[] Yes [] No

If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:

- 9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: The Brazilian Official Journal (Diário Oficial da União), 2 September 2015, 168th edition, Section 1, p. 26. Interministerial Ordinance number 701, 2 September 2015, issued by the Brazilian Finance Ministry (available in Portuguese).
- 10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 9 September 2015Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 2 September 2015
- 11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): 9 September 2015
 - [] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): Not applicable

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