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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 Telecommunications Agency - ANATEL <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>  National Institute of Metrology, Quality and Technology (INMETRO) Telephone: +(55) 21 2145.3817 Telefax: +(55) 21 2563.5637 Email: <a href="mailto:barreirastecnicas@inmetro.gov.br">barreirastecnicas@inmetro.gov.br</a> Web-site: <a href="http://www.inmetro.gov.br/barreirastecnicas">www.inmetro.gov.br/barreirastecnicas</a>
<b>3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 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> Electrical apparatus for line telephony or line telegraphy, incl. line telephone sets with cordless handsets and telecommunication apparatus for carrier-current line systems or for digital line systems; videophones; parts thereof (HS 8517); Transmission apparatus for radio-telephony, radio-telegraphy, radio-broadcasting or television, whether or not incorporating reception apparatus or sound recording or reproducing apparatus; television cameras; still image video cameras and other video camera recorders (HS 8525); Reception apparatus for radio-telephony, radio-telegraphy or radio-broadcasting, whether or not combined, in the same housing, with sound recording or reproducing apparatus or a clock (HS 8527); Telecommunications in general (ICS 33.020)
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Public Consultation No. 69, 5 October 2020. Proposal for updating Specific Absorption Rate (SAR) test procedures for telecommunications products, established by Act No. 955, of 8 February 2018 (28 page(s), in Portuguese)
<b>6. Description of content:</b> Public Consultation proposal for including test procedures for conformance assessment of products that incorporate Time-Period Averaging SAR (TAS) technology.  Improve test procedures of SAR to conformity assessment at products to establish limit distance of measurement, tests with accessories and impacts on the measurement after battery change of the equipment under test.

- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** The need to update technical requirements to ensure that new products with automatic output transmission power monitoring and control technologies operate within the maximum permitted limits for the specific absorption rate (SAR). In addition, this proposal aims to carry out the review of other topics from Annex I to Act No. 955/2018 for update of regulatory references, of the radio spectrum evaluation range and content adequacy for alignment with national and international standards in force. The proposed revision also includes a reassessment of the rules to be applied during laboratory tests for the purpose of optimising the procedures for evaluation of the SAR in portable telecommunications terminals, taking into account, in the following order preferably: the international literature applied, the history of the measures carried out in the evaluation of these products in Brazilian laboratories and the experience gained during the current procedures in the process of certification and approval of the Agency.
- [https://sei.anatel.gov.br/sei/modulos/pesquisa/md\\_pesq\\_documento\\_consulta\\_externa.php?eEP-wqk1skrd8hSIk5Z3rN4EVg9uLJqrLYJw\\_9INcO7BbWLaEc3jT\\_FzeBUkOhOmELxNF17tadzVmW007sdVouzHdI0fnjXtIsXq\\_AwJtGxHV3m6-P-HCkOLpzBNc\\_W](https://sei.anatel.gov.br/sei/modulos/pesquisa/md_pesq_documento_consulta_externa.php?eEP-wqk1skrd8hSIk5Z3rN4EVg9uLJqrLYJw_9INcO7BbWLaEc3jT_FzeBUkOhOmELxNF17tadzVmW007sdVouzHdI0fnjXtIsXq_AwJtGxHV3m6-P-HCkOLpzBNc_W)
- Quality requirements
- 8. Relevant documents:** 01) Brazilian Official Gazette 192 on 06 October 2020, section 1, page 6; 02) SEI process number 53500.020411/2020-07
- <https://www.in.gov.br/web/dou/-/consulta-publica-n-69-de-5-de-outubro-de-2020-281308206>
- [https://sei.anatel.gov.br/sei/modulos/pesquisa/md\\_pesq\\_processo\\_exibir.php?exlSiWoPbTSMJNP15y\\_TiUpWifXjgqaCc-xbh3o0V5ttS0uOqIkRDNDdsrlbDPN0z9DjOh\\_HT6NYS\\_BYkN5mIPLsYSiWAVkOWfpdEB3DRPsTkisGeUFdz\\_e-7POvXMPZ](https://sei.anatel.gov.br/sei/modulos/pesquisa/md_pesq_processo_exibir.php?exlSiWoPbTSMJNP15y_TiUpWifXjgqaCc-xbh3o0V5ttS0uOqIkRDNDdsrlbDPN0z9DjOh_HT6NYS_BYkN5mIPLsYSiWAVkOWfpdEB3DRPsTkisGeUFdz_e-7POvXMPZ)
- 9. Proposed date of adoption:** Not yet defined
- Proposed date of entry into force:** Not yet defined
- 10. Final date for comments:** 4 November 2020
- 11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [ ] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**
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