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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.	Member to Agreement notifying: <u>EL SALVADOR</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: National Science and Technology Council (CONACYT) Colonia Médica Avenida Dr. Emilio Álvarez Pasaje Dr. Guillermo Rodríguez Pacas #51 San Salvador Tel.: (503) 226-2800 and 226-2999 Fax: (503) 225-6255 Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers and E-mail and Web site addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:
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): Textile products, articles of apparel and clothing accessories
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Labelling of Textile Products, Articles of Apparel and Clothing Accessories (17 pages, in Spanish).
6.	Description of content: Salvadorian Mandatory Standard NSO 59.22.01:02 (First Review) establishing the commercial information to be affixed to textiles, household linen, articles of apparel and clothing accessories. This Technical Regulation covers the following: objective, scope, definitions, specifications, implementation of labelling, harmonization with international standards, bibliography, monitoring, compliance and verification.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Establish the commercial information which domestic textile and clothing manufacturers and importers must affix to textiles, household linen, articles of apparel and clothing accessories.
8.	Relevant documents: Salvadorian Mandatory Standard NSO 59.22.01:00 on the Labelling of Textile Products, Articles of Apparel and Clothing Accessories.

9.	Proposed date of adoption: Proposed date of entry into force:	Immediately
10.	Final date for comments: -	
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and E-mail and Web site addresses, if available, of the other body: National Science and Technology Council (CONACYT) Department of Standardization, Metrology and Quality Certification Colonia Médica Avenida Dr. Emilio Álvarez Pasaje Dr. Guillermo Rodríguez Pacas #51 San Salvador Tel.: (503) 226-2800 and 226-2999 Fax: (503) 225-6255 E-mail: cit@conacyt.gob.sv and Ministry of the Economy Commercial Contract Division Alameda Juan Pablo II and Calle Guadalupe Plan Maestro San Salvador Tel.: (503) 231-5600 Fax: (503) 221-4771	
