

# WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

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## Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

## NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6.

<b>1.</b>	<b>Member to Agreement notifying:</b> EL SALVADOR <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
<b>2.</b>	<b>Agency responsible:</b> National Science and Technology Council (CONACYT) <b>Agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:</b>
<b>3.</b>	<b>Notified under Article 2.9.2 [ X ], 2.10.1 [    ], 5.6.2 [    ], 5.7.1 [    ], other:</b>
<b>4.</b>	<b>Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> 2201.90.00
<b>5.</b>	<b>Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Water, Drinking Water, Revision (17 pages and 4 Annexes, in Spanish); Technical Regulations NSO 13.07.01.97 Establishing the Physical, Chemical, Microbiological and RadioActive Characteristics of Water for Human Consumption
<b>6.</b>	<b>Description of content:</b> The purpose of these Technical Regulations is to establish the technical provisions for drinking water.
<b>7.</b>	<b>Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> The Technical Regulations define the physical characteristics, together with their recommended values, procedures, registration, minimum sampling frequency and standardized methods to be used for municipal or public utility water supplies in the Republic of El Salvador.
<b>8.</b>	<b>Relevant documents:</b> Salvadorian Mandatory Standard NSO 13.07.01.97
<b>9.</b>	<b>Proposed date of adoption:</b> } <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> } 30 September 1999
<b>10.</b>	<b>Final date for comments:</b> 30 August 1999
<b>11.</b>	<b>Texts available from: National enquiry point [    ] or address, e-mail and telefax number of the other body:</b> Consejo de Ciencia y Tecnología (CONACYT), Departamento de Normalización, Metrología y Certificación de la calidad, colonia Médica, avenida Dr. Emilio Alvarez, pasaje Dr. Guillermo Rodriguez Pacas #51, San Salvador, El Salvador, C.A tel. (503)2262800, 2262999, fax (503)2256255, e-mail cit@conacyt.gob.sv Ministerio de Economía, dirección de Política Comercial, Alameda Juan Pablo II y Calle Guadalupe, Plan Maestro, San Salvador, El Salvador C.A., tel. (503)2213583, fax (503)2214771, e-mail policom@sal.gbm.net