

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.

1.	Member to Agreement notifying: <u>CZECH REPUBLIC</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Industry and Trade Agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above: Czech Office for Standards, Metrology and Testing
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): Measuring gauges and measuring instruments.
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft Decree of/2000 of the Ministry of Industry and Trade Implementing Act No. 505/1990 Coll., on Metrology, in the Wording of Act No. 119/2000 Coll. (20 pages, in Czech).
6.	Description of content: The draft decree regulates the rights and duties of legal entities or natural persons, being entrepreneurs, and of the state administration bodies to ensure the uniformity and exactness of measuring gauges and measurement.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Implementing Section 6 (2), (3), (9), Section 8 (2), (5), Section 9 (1), (2), Section 16, Sections 19-21 of Act No. 505/1990 Coll., on Metrology, in the Wording of Act No. 119/2000 Coll.
8.	Relevant documents: Act No. 505/1990 Coll., on Metrology, in the Wording of Act No. 119/2000 Coll.
9.	Proposed date of adoption: Proposed date of entry into force: } July 2000
10.	Final date for comments: 30 July 2000
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, e-mail and telefax number of the other body: E-mail address of the national enquiry point: <i>wto.tbt@biskup.unmz.cz</i>