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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.	Notifying Member: <u>ARGENTINA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: <i>Secretaría de Comercio Interior</i> (Secretariat of Domestic Trade) 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: See point 11.
3.	Notified under Article 2.9.2 [], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [X], 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): Light-emitting diode (LED) lamps for general lighting services; electric filament or discharge lamps, including sealed beam lamp units and ultra-violet or infra-red lamps; arc-lamps (HS 8539)
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: <i>Etiquetado de rendimiento o eficiencia energética de lámparas de diodos emisores de luz (LED) para iluminación general</i> (Performance and energy efficiency labelling of light-emitting diode (LED) lamps for general lighting services) (13 page(s), in Spanish)
6.	Description of content: The notified text establishes the entry into force of the mandatory certification regime on the performance and energy efficiency labelling of household electrical products (SICyM Resolution No. 319/1999 and the amendments thereto), with regard to LED lamps for general lighting services.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Consumer information, labelling; Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of human health or safety; Quality requirements.
8.	Relevant documents: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> SICyM Resolution No. 319/1999 - consolidated text (G/TBT/Notif.99/498) SCI Resolution No. 262/2019 - consolidated text (G/TBT/N/ARG/294/Add.7)
9.	Proposed date of adoption: Not indicated Proposed date of entry into force: Not indicated
10.	Final date for comments: 60 days from notification

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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