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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.	<b>Notifying Member:</b> <u>COLOMBIA</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
2.	<b>Agency responsible:</b> <i>Superintendencia de Industria y Comercio</i> (Supervisory Authority for Industry and Trade)  <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> <i>Ministerio de Comercio, Industria y Turismo</i> (Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Tourism)
3.	<b>Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [X], 5.7.1 [ ], other:</b>
4.	<b>Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Non-automatic weighing instruments (weighing scales) (90.16.00.11, 84.23.81.00.00, 84.23.82.90.00, 84.23.82.10.00, 84.23.89.10.00 and 90.16.00.12.00)
5.	<b>Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> <i>Proyecto de Resolución de la Superintendencia de Industria y Comercio "Por la cual se adiciona el Capítulo Sexto en el Título VI de la Circular Única y se reglamenta el control metrológico aplicable a instrumentos de pesaje de funcionamiento no automatico"</i> (Draft Resolution of the Supervisory Authority for Industry and Trade "Adding a sixth chapter to Title VI of the Single Circular, and regulating the metrological control of non-automatic weighing instruments") (26 pages, in Spanish)
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> Purpose; Scope; Definitions; Technical principles; Metrological, technical and general construction requirements; Marking of instruments and modules; Proof of conformity; Equivalent standards; Requirements for the issue of type examination certificates; Tests and assessments for the issue of type examination certificates; Requirements for the issue of declarations of conformity for weighing instruments; Tests and assessments for the issue of declarations of conformity for weighing instruments; Obligations of producers and importers; Prohibition on the marketing and use of weighing instruments; Inspection, monitoring and control authority; and Period of validity.
7.	<b>Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> To prevent practices likely to mislead consumers.
8.	<b>Relevant documents:</b> Decree No. 4886 of 23 December 2011, Decree No. 1074 of 26 May 2015 and Decree No. 1595 of 5 August 2015; Resolution No. 64190 of 16 September 2015 of the Supervisory Authority for Industry and Trade; Colombian Technical Standard NTC 2031:2014, OIML V 1:2013, ISO/IEC 18004:2015 and ISO/IEC 15417:2007

9.	<b>Proposed date of adoption:</b> Upon publication in the Official Journal. <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> Six months from the date of publication in the Official Journal.
10.	<b>Final date for comments:</b> 15 July 2016
11.	<b>Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:</b>  Enquiry point: Contact person: Daniel Héctor Rico R. Email: <a href="mailto:drico@mincit.gov.co">drico@mincit.gov.co</a> ; <a href="mailto:puntocontacto@mincit.gov.co">puntocontacto@mincit.gov.co</a> Tel.: +(57-1) 606-7676, Ext. 1690 Website: <a href="http://www.mincit.gov.co/publicaciones.php?id=33051">http://www.mincit.gov.co/publicaciones.php?id=33051</a>  Superintendencia de Industria y Comercio Grupo de Trabajo de Regulación Carrera 13 N° 27 - 00 Bogotá, D.C. Colombia Tel.: +(57-1) 587-0000 Email: <a href="mailto:snavia@sic.gov.co">snavia@sic.gov.co</a> Website: <a href="http://www.sic.gov.co/">http://www.sic.gov.co/</a>  Also available at:  <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2016/TBT/COL/16_1549_00_s.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2016/TBT/COL/16_1549_00_s.pdf</a> <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2016/TBT/COL/16_1549_01_s.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2016/TBT/COL/16_1549_01_s.pdf</a> <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2016/TBT/COL/16_1549_02_s.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2016/TBT/COL/16_1549_02_s.pdf</a>