

# WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

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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>Member to Agreement notifying:</b> <u>ARGENTINA</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
2.	<b>Agency responsible:</b> Ministry of Health <b>Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, 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:</b>
3.	<b>Notified under Article 2.9.2 [ X ], 2.10.1 [   ], 5.6.2 [   ], 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> Asbestos fibres
5.	<b>Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Resolution MS No. 845/2000 (3 pages, in Spanish)
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> Prohibits the production, import, sale and use of asbestos fibres of the amphibole variety and products containing such asbestos
7.	<b>Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Public safety
8.	<b>Relevant documents:</b> -
9.	<b>Proposed date of adoption:</b> - <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> 60 days from 17 October 2000
10.	<b>Final date for comments:</b> -
11.	<b>Texts available from:</b> <b>National enquiry point [ X ] or address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body:</b>  Punto Focal de la República Argentina Dirección Nacional de Comercio Interior Avda. J. A. Roca 651 Piso 4º Sector 22 (1322) Buenos Aires Fax: 54 11 4349 4038 Tel.: 54 11 4349 4037 E-mail: vcamal@secind.mecon.gov.ar