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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.	Member to Agreement notifying: <u>BRAZIL</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: National Institute of Metrology, Standardization and Industrial Quality – INMETRO Telephone: + (55) 21 563.2815 Telefax: + (55) 21 502.6542 Email: pontofofocal.tbt.omc@inmetro.gov.br Web-site: www.inmetro.gov.br 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:
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): Motor vehicles (ICS: 43.040.60)
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: MERCOSUR Technical Regulation for Lock of Motor Vehicle Hoods (4 pages in Portuguese and Spanish)
6.	Description of content: This regulation establishes requirements for hoods locking systems and applies to vehicles of M and N categories.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: To adapt legislation among the MERCOSUR Party States and to ensure passengers' safety.
8.	Relevant documents:
9.	Proposed date of adoption: } Proposed date of entry into force: } Not stated
10.	Final date for comments: 17 August 2001
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body: