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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>MEXICO</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Energy Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers and 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: General Directorate of Standards/Ministry of the Economy (DGN/SE) Enquiry Point.
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): Three-phase squirrel-cage AC induction motors with a rated output of 0.746 kW to 373 kW.
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft Mexican Official Standard PROY-NOM-016-ENER-2002, Energy Efficiency of Three-Phase Squirrel-Cage AC Induction Motors with a Rated Output of 0.746 to 373kW. Test Methods and Marking (19 pages, in Spanish).
6.	Description of content: This draft Mexican Official Standard (NOM) establishes the minimum efficiency ratings and evaluation test method for and specifications for marking rated efficiency on the plates of motors marketed in Mexico, in line with technological advances and domestic and international market conditions. This Standard applies to open- and closed-loop, horizontal- and vertical-mounted, three-phase squirrel-cage AC induction electric motors with a rated output of 0.746 kW to 373 kW.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Energy saving (conservation of natural resources) and quality and labelling of three-phase squirrel-cage induction AC motors with a rated output of 0.746 kW to 373 kW for consumer protection.
8.	Relevant documents: <i>Diario Oficial de la Federación</i> (Official Journal) of 23 September 2002.
9.	Proposed date of adoption: Proposed date of entry into force: } To be determined

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10. Final date for comments: 22 November 2002

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and E-mail and Web site addresses, if available, of other body:

Web site: www.economia.gob.mx/?P=85 (Standards catalogue).