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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>VENEZUELA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Energy and Mines, Domestic Market Division 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: Autonomous National Service for Standardization, Quality, Metrology and Technical Regulations (SENCAMER) Avenida Libertador Centro Comercial Los Cedros, PH P.O. Box 1050 Tel.: (58 212) 761-8671 / 761-4520 Fax: (58 212) 761-6474 E-mail: npunto@cantv.net
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): Centres for the conversion and maintenance of natural gas vehicles (NGV).
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: COVENIN (Venezuelan Commission for Industrial Standards) Standard No. 3683:2001. Mechanics. Natural Gas for Vehicles. Centres for the Conversion and Maintenance of Natural Gas Systems for Vehicles.
6.	Description of content: Minimum technical specifications for the establishment and operation of centres for the installation and maintenance of natural gas systems for vehicles (NGV).
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Human life and safety
8.	Relevant documents: COVENIN (Venezuelan Commission for Industrial Standards) Standard No. 3683:2001.
9.	Proposed date of adoption: } Proposed date of entry into force: } Two (2) months from the date of publication in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Venezuela.

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10.	Final date for comments: 15 July 2002
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [] or address, telephone and fax numbers and E-mail and Web site addresses, if available, of the other body: Ministry of Production and Trade Vice-Ministry of Industry Autonomous National Service for Standardization, Quality, Metrology and Technical Regulations (SENCAMER) Avenida Libertador Centro Comercial Los Cedros, PH P.O. Box 1050 Tel.: (58 212) 761-8671 / 761-4520 Fax: (58 212) 761-6474 E-mail: npunto@cantv.net