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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: BRAZIL

If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):

2. Agency responsible: National Telecommunications Agency - ANATEL

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- 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): HS: 8517.11; Telephone equipment (ICS 33.050.10)
- 5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Public consultation no. 63, 21 July 2020. (2 page(s), in Portuguese)
- **6. Description of content:** This draft resolution establishes the proposal for the Annual Review of Local Areas of the Fixed Switched Telephone Service Intended for the Use of the General Public STFC, for the year 2020.
- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: The Regulation on Local Areas for the STFC [2.3] provides for the obligation to review annual local areas and local treatment concession that fulfill the criteria of urban continuity or by reasoned request from the STFC concessionaire in the local modality. The Regulatory Agenda 2019-2020 [2.6] established, among Anatel's regulatory actions, the Annual Review of Local Areas of the Fixed Switched Telephone Service Intended for the Use of the General Public STFC (Action 19). Thus, the present process deals with the annual review of Local Areas of the STFC referring to the year 2020, already within the competence of the Superintendent of Planning and Regulation considering the amendments to the Regulation on Local Areas for the STFC which were introduced by the Resolution no 728, of 1 June 2020 [2.4], that comes into force on 3 August 2020, as provided in its art. 10.; Quality requirements

8. Relevant documents:

(1) Brazilian Official Gazette 140, 23 July 2020, section 1, page 7. (02) SEI process number 53500.013774/2019-44; Resolution No. 560, of 21 January 2011; Resolution No. 728, of 1 June 2020; Resolution No. 666, of 2 May 2016 (3) Brazilian Official Gazette (4) Not stated

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9. **Proposed date of adoption:** On the date of the publication of the final text

Proposed date of entry into force: On the date of the publication of the final text

10. Final date for comments: 24 August 2020

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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