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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.

<b>1. Member notifying:</b> <u>COLOMBIA</u> 哥倫比亞 <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Regulation Department, Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Tourism <b>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:</b> Ministry of Commerce, Industry and Tourism
<b>3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [ X ], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ ], other:</b>
<b>4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Tyres (tariff subheadings 4011.40.00.00, 4011.10.00.00 and 4011.20.00.00)輪胎
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Draft Resolution Issuing the Technical Regulation on Tyres Manufactured, Imported or Marketed for Use on Motor Vehicles and Their Trailers, Motorcycles and Scooters in Colombia (6 pages, in Spanish).
<b>6. Description of content:</b> Purpose; Scope of application; Definitions; General and specific requirements for tyres; Labelling; Tariff subheading; Conformity assessment procedure; Conformity certification; Monitoring; Penalty system; Notification and Period of validity.
<b>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> <p>Prevent or minimize risks to human life and integrity by reducing the risk of accidents caused by poor vehicle manoeuvrability attributable to tyres as a result of defective manufacture or misuse, and prevent practices likely to mislead consumers.</p>
<b>8. Relevant documents:</b> Columbian Technical Standards (NTC) No. 1275, 4 <sup>th</sup> revision, and No. 1303, 4 <sup>th</sup> revision.
<b>9. Proposed date of adoption:</b> 22 November 2004 <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> Six (6) months as from the date of publication in the Official Journal.

**10. Final date for comments:** 16 November 2004

**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:**

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