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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is given in accordance with article 10.6.

1.	<p>Member notifying: <u>MEXICO</u></p> <p>If applicable, name of the local government concerned (articles 3.2 and 7.2):</p>
2.	<p>Responsible organization: Ministry of Economy</p> <p>Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, as well as email addresses and Web sites, where applicable) of the agency or authority responsible for processing comments on the notification, in the case of a different body or authority:</p> <p>National Consultative Committee for Standardization of the Ministry of Economy, address at Av. Puente de Tecamachalco No. 6, Col. Lomas de Tecamachalco, Fuentes Section, Naucalpan de Juárez, CP 53950, State of Mexico; telephone 57 29 91 00, Ext. 43279 and 43230, Fax 55 20 97 15, or to the emails: angel.torres@economia.gob.mx , isaac.aldana@economia.gob.mx so that in the terms of The Law of the matter is considered within the Committee that proposed it.</p>
3.	<p>Notification made under article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], or by virtue of:</p>
Four.	<p>Products covered (HS or CCCN when appropriate, otherwise the national tariff heading), where appropriate, the ICS heading number may also be indicated: -</p>
5.	<p>Title, number of pages and language (s) of the notified document: Draft Official Mexican Standard PROY-NOM-216-SCFI-2017 , Commercial practices-Conformity assessment services-Requirements. (7 page (s), in Spanish)</p>
6	<p>Description of the content: This Draft Official Mexican Standard is of mandatory observance within the national territory and applicable to all individuals or corporations that perform conformity assessment activities (conformity assessment bodies), based on the Official Mexican Standards, Mexican Standards, Technical Regulations and General Administrative Provisions, issued by the Dependencies of the centralized public administration, Entities of the parastatal public administration and the National Standards Organizations, based on the Federal Law on Metrology and Standardization, its Regulations and the applicable particular legislation.</p> <p>Once the conformity assessment bodies comply with the provisions of the Federal Law on Metrology and Standardization, its Regulations and this Draft Official Mexican Standard, they will become accredited and approved persons, when applicable.</p>
7	<p>Objective and rationale, including, where appropriate, the nature of urgent problems: The purpose of this Draft Official Mexican Standard is to establish the requirements for the provision of conformity assessment services, as well as the conditions of impartiality, independence, integrity, confidentiality and resolution of possible conflicts arising from its activities.</p>
8	<p>Relevant documents:</p>

- NMX-EC-17020-IMNC-2014 Evaluation of conformity-Requirements for the operation of different types of units (organisms) that carry out verification (inspection). Declaration of validity published in the Official Gazette of the Federation on June 6, 2014.
- NMX-EC-17024-IMNC-2014 Evaluation of conformity-General requirements for organizations that carry out certification of persons. Declaration of validity published in the Official Gazette of the Federation on June 6, 2014.
- NMX-EC-17025-IMNC-2006 General requirements for the competence of testing and calibration laboratories. Declaration of validity published in the Official Gazette of the Federation on July 24, 2006.
- NMX-EC-17065-IMNC-2014 Evaluation of conformity-Requirements for organizations that certify products, processes and services. Declaration of validity published in the Official Gazette of the Federation on June 6, 2014.
- ISO / IEC 17021-1: 2015 Conformity assessment-Requirements for bodies performing the audit and certification of management systems-Part 1: Requirements.
- NMX-I-27006-NYCE-2015 Information technologies-Security techniques-Requirements for organizations that perform audits and certifications of information security management systems.

9. Proposed date of adoption: Determined

Proposed date of entry into force: The present Draft Official Mexican Standard once it is published in the Official Gazette of the Federation as a final rule will take effect at 60 calendar days from the day immediately after the day of its publication.

10 Deadline for submitting comments: August 5, 2018

eleven. Texts available in: National information service [X], or address, telephone and fax numbers and e-mail addresses and Web sites, as the case may be, from another institution:

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And it is available in:

http://www.dof.gob.mx/nota_detalle.php?codigo=5525255&fecha=06/06/2018

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2018/TBT/MEX/18_2961_00_s.pdf