## GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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## Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

## **NOTIFICATION**

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.4.

1.	Party to Agreement notifying: MEXICO
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Health
3.	Notified under Article 2.5.2 [X], 2.6.1 [], 7.3.2 [], 7.4.1 [], other:
4.	Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):
	Gloves for surgery and palpation
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Draft Mexican Official Standard NOM-085-SAA1-1994, Establishing Sanitary Specifications for Gloves for Surgery and Palpation in Sterile and Non-Sterile Packs
6.	Description of content: This Standard establishes the quality specifications for gloves of natural latex rubber for surgery and palpation in order to safeguard health and lessen the risk of infection during surgery or medical examinations.
7.	Objective and rationale:
	Protection of health
8.	Relevant documents: Diario Oficial de la Federación (Official Journal) of 12 August 1994
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: On the day following definitive publication in the Official Journal
10.	Final date for comments: 10 November 1994
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: