NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6.

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** CHILE  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:**  *Dirección General de Obras Públicas* (Directorate-General of Public Works)  **Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:**  *Subsecretaría de Relaciones Económicas Internacionales - Ministerio de Relaciones Exteriores de Chile* (Under-Secretariat for International Economic Relations, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Chile) |
| **3.** | **Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ ], 3.2 [ ], 7.2 [ ], other:** |
| **4.** | **Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** Cement - Terminology, classification and general requirements |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** *NCh 148:2021 Cemento-Terminología, clasificación y requisitos generales* (NCh 148:2021 Cement - Terminology, classification and general requirements); (18 pages, in Spanish) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** The notified rule establishes the terms used for cements made with Portland clinker, and their classification in accordance with their composition, resistance and requirements. This rule applies to cements used in the creation of mortars and concretes. The cements are classified into six classes and three grades, as indicated in clause 4. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Quality requirements |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**   * *NCh 147 Cementos- Análisis químico* * *NCh 150 Cemento- Determinación de la finura por tamizado húmedo* * *NCh 151 Cemento- Método de determinación de la consistencia normal* * *NCh 152 Cemento- Método de determinación de los tiempos de fraguado* * *NCh 154 Cemento - Determinación del peso específico relativo* * *NCh 157 Cemento- Ensayo de expansión en autoclave* * *NCh 158 Cemento- Ensayo de compresión* * *NCh 159 Cemento- Determinación de la superficie específica por el permeabilìmetro de Blaine* * *NCh 160 Cemento- Agregado Tipo A para uso en cementos- Especificaciones* * *NCh 161 Cemento- Puzolana, escoria básica y cenizas volantes para uso en cementos- Especificaciones* * *NCh 162 Cemento- Extracción de muestras* * *NCh 642 Cemento- Envases- Sacos de válvulas- Especificaciones* * *EN 1969 Cemento- Calor de hidratación - Método Semiadiabático* * ASTM C1012 Standard Test Method for Length Change of Hydraulic-Cement Mortars Exposed to a Sulfate Solution * *UNE 196-3 Métodos de Ensayo de Cementos- Ensayo de determinación del tiempo de fraguado y la estabilidad de volumen* * *Manual de Carteras del MOP*, available at: <https://mc.mop.gob.cl/> |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** -  **Proposed date of entry into force:** - |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** 60 days from notification |
| **11.** | **Texts available from: National enquiry point [ ] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**  Subsecretaría de Relaciones Económicas Internacionales  Ministerio de Relaciones Exteriores de Chile  Teatinos 180, piso 11  Tel.: (+56)-2-22827 5250  Email: [tbt\_chile@subrei.gob.cl](mailto:tbt_chile@subrei.gob.cl)  To view the above-mentioned standards, go to <https://www.inncoleccion.cl/> and enter the following details:  *Empresa* (Company): SUBREI-002-23  *Usuario* (Username): subrei  *Contraseña* (Password): subrei |