NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 1 September 2023, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Ecuador.

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**Title**: Partial Amendment to the Substitute Technical Regulation to authorize the exceptional importation and importation for the purposes of donation of medicines, biological products, medical devices and biochemical and diagnostic reagents

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By means of this Addendum, the Republic of Ecuador advises that the Partial Amendment to the Substitute Technical Regulation to authorize the exceptional importation and importation for the purposes of donation of medicines, biological products, medical devices and biochemical and diagnostic reagents"has been issued pursuant to Resolution No. ARCSA-DE-2023-025-AKRG of 16 August 2023 by the National Agency for Sanitary Regulation, Control and Surveillance (ARCSA, Doctor Leopoldo Izquieta Pérez). The notified Regulation will enter into force on the date of its publication in the Official Journal.

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