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## Ministerial Order regulating the State metrological control of work instruments intended for the measurement of pressures of liquids, vapours and gases during the marketing and commissioning stage

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### 5. Title

Ministerial Order regulating the State metrological control of work instruments intended for the measurement of pressures of liquids, vapours and gases during the marketing and commissioning stage

### 6. Products Concerned

The proposal affects instruments for measuring pressures, for industrial and safety use, in which the mechanical device directly transmits the elastic deformation of the receiver element to an indicator device consisting of a needle and a graduated scale in units of pressure with a measuring range of -0.1 MPa to 160 MPa.

### 7. Notification Under Another Act

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### 8. Main Content

The notified technical regulation lays down specific regulations from the State metrological control's point of view as laid down by Article 7 of the Metrology Act No 3 of 18 March 1985 for pressure gauges, vacuum gauges and vacuum pressure gauges.

The draft includes the implementation of the following metrological controls to the aforementioned measuring instruments:

- assessment of conformity to the essential metrological and technical requirements for their marketing and commissioning (model approval and initial inspection),

Key words in the draft:

- Safety in pressurised containers and installations.
- Pressure gauges
- Vacuum gauges
- Vacuum pressure gauges
- Legal Metrological Control

### 9. Brief Statement of Grounds

Its implementation is justified from the point of view of guaranteeing metrological control for the marketing and commissioning of the above-mentioned instruments, particularly those which are to be incorporated into



installations that require safety and tightness guarantees.

**10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts**

Metrology Act No 3 of 18 March 1985 is attached.

**11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure**

No

**12. Grounds for the Emergency**

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**13. Confidentiality**

No

**14. Fiscal measures**

No

**15. Impact assessment**

No

**16. TBT and SPS aspects**

TBT

a) No

b) No

iii) The draft does not have a perceptible effect on international trade.

SPS

a) No

b) No

i) The draft is not a sanitary or phytosanitary measure in accordance with Annex A to the SPS Agreement.

iii) The draft does not have a perceptible effect on international trade.

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