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## **DRAFT DECREE AMENDING THE REGULATION ON AMUSEMENT AND GAMING MACHINES OF THE AUTONOMOUS COMMUNITY OF THE CANARY ISLANDS, APPROVED BY DECREE 26/2012 OF 30 MARCH 2012**

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No abre el plazo - Nezahajuje odklady - Fristerne indledes ikke - Kein Fristbeginn - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délais - Non fa decorrere la mora - Neietekmē atlikšanu - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Nem nyitja meg a késések - Ma' jiftaħ il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - He ce предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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#### **1. Structured Information Line**

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#### **2. Member State**

E

#### **3. Department Responsible**

Subdirección General de Asuntos Industriales, Energéticos, de Transportes, Comunicaciones y Medio Ambiente.

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Comunidad Autónoma de Canarias

### 4. Notification Number

2015/0187/E - H10

### 5. Title

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### 6. Products Concerned

Gaming using type 'B' amusement machines which are those that, in accordance with the characteristics and restrictions established by law, in exchange for the price of the game, allow the player a time of use or play, and (where applicable) in accordance with the game programme, award cash prizes.

### 7. Notification Under Another Act

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### 8. Main Content

The draft text introduces specific amendments to the Regulation on amusement and gaming machines of the Autonomous Community of the Canary Islands (approved by Decree 26/2012 of 30 March 2012) to update the technical requirements for type 'B1' and 'B2' amusement machines, aligning them with the requirements established in more advanced regulations in other autonomous communities, promoting the unity of the market in accordance with state-level Law 20/2013 of 9 December 2013.

### 9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The text seeks to resolve one of the problems identified across the legislations of the autonomous communities by the Gambling Policy Council regarding the disparity of criteria when regulating technical requirements for gambling equipment (in this case, type 'B1' and 'B2' amusement machines), which means that the manufacturers and exporters of said equipment are obliged to request its approval as a specific product, raising the expenses of economic operators and obstructing their establishment, development and expansion in the Autonomous Community of the Canary Islands.

### 10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

Reference(s) to basic text(s): - Law 8/2010 of 15 July 2010 on gaming and betting (Official Gazette of the Canary Islands No 146 of 27 July 2010)  
- Decree 26/2012 of 30 March 2012 approving the Regulation of amusement and gaming machines of the Autonomous Community of the Canary Islands (Official Gazette of the Canary Islands No 80 of 24 April of 2012), amended by Decree 31/2014, of 24 April 2014 (Official Gazette of the Canary Islands No 94 of 16 May



2014).

The basic texts were forwarded with an earlier notification: 2011/0620/E

**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**

Yes

**16. TBT and SPS aspects**

TBT aspect

No - the draft has no significant impact on international trade.

SPS aspect

No - the draft is neither a sanitary nor phytosanitary measure.

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