NOTIFICATION

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


2. Provision of the Agreement: Proposed technical regulation (Article 2.5.2).

3. Product(s) covered, CCCN Heading (National Tariff Heading where applicable): Automobiles, passenger.

4. Title of project: New car crashworthiness performance ratings program.

5. Description: Information developed by manufacturers, on the ability of a passenger motor vehicle to protect occupants in high speed collisions would be made available to consumers.

6. Objective and rationale: Human safety. Crash protection resulting from the current trend toward smaller, lighter-weight cars. To encourage the purchase of cars offering the highest level of crashworthiness.


