**NOTIFICATION**

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

1. **Party to Agreement notifying:** SWEDEN

2. **Agency responsible:** National Board of Forestry

3. **Notified under Article 2.5.2, 2.6.1, 7.3.2, 7.4.1, Other:**

4. **Products covered (CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading):**
   - Certain products within CCCN 06.02 and 12.03

5. **Title:** Ordinance SKSFS 1982:5 on revision of Ordinance 1981:1 on importation of forest reproductive material to Sweden

6. **Description of content:** According to the Ordinance, permit of importation from the National Board of Forestry is required on import to Sweden of seeds, unextracted cones, seedlings, cuttings and other form of reproductive material for the establishment of forest. The Ordinance comprises the following species:
   - Alnus incana, Alnus glutinosa
   - Betula verrucosa
   - Fagus sylvatica
   - Picea abies, Picea Mariana, Picea sitchensis
   - Pinus contorta, Pinus sylvestris
   - Quercus petraea, Quercus rubra, Quercus robur
   - Larix decidua, Larix eurolepis, Larix leptolepis, Larix sibirica
   - with the exception of cultivars and horticultural forms. In applications for permit, information on the origin of the material must be stated and the National Board of Forestry may require an official certificate of origin issued by the appointed authority of the exporting country.

7. **Objective and rationale:** Protection of plant life and health

8. **Relevant documents:**

9. **Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force:** 6 September 1982

10. **Final date for comments:**

11. **Texts available from:** National enquiry point or address of other body: