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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: **UNITED STATES**


3. Notified under Article 2.5.2 [X], 2.6.1 [], 7.3.2 [], 7.4.1 [], Other: 

4. Products covered (CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading): Motor vehicle windows (CCCN No. 87)

5. Title: Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards; Power-operated Window Systems

6. Description of content: To amend Safety Standard No. 118, power-operated window systems to permit the operation of power windows and partitions after the engine has turned off or the key has been removed from the ignition provided all vehicle doors remain closed. By permitting the windows to operate only if no door has been opened, the proposed provision assures that the driver is in the vehicle and can supervise the operation of any power-operated window or partition.

7. Objective and rationale: Safety. The amendment would allow vehicle manufacturers to offer power window systems that are more convenient to use than currently permitted systems.


9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: To be determined.

10. Final date for comments: 1 June 1982

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address of other body: