NOTIFICATION

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

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

2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Trade and Industry

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):
   Pressure vessels

5. Title: Decision by the Ministry of Trade and Industry Concerning the Design and Manufacture of Pressure Vessels (available only in Finnish)

6. Description of content: The proposed regulation specifies requirements for design, construction, materials, testing and manufacturing as well as inspection and control of pressure vessels. The only substantive amendment to the present provisions is that the manufacturers of an imported pressure vessel must meet such in some foreign regulations given requirements for manufacturers of the pressure vessels in question which are acceptable to the relevant Finnish authority.

7. Objective and rationale: Occupational safety and health

8. Relevant documents: The proposed Decision will be published in the Statutes of Finland (in Finnish and Swedish). Pressure vessel Decree 549/73.

9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: May 1984 and 1 October 1984

10. Final date for comments: 15 May 1984

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