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): Food products (CCCN 1-24)

5. Title: Directive by the Ministry of Trade and Industry for sampling, analysing and judgement of sample and food lot for control of pesticide residues in food products (available only in Finnish).

6. Description of content: The proposal gives instructions about how the sampling is to be carried out. The Ministry of Trade and Industry has found it necessary to write down the prevalent practice applied as a directive.

7. Objective and rationale: Consumer protection and human health

8. Relevant documents:
   - The Directive will be published as a circular of the Ministry of Trade and Industry;
   - Report and proposal by the Expert Group on Contaminants and Impurities in Food Products (available only in Finnish, 84 pages).

9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: August-September 1984, 1 April 1985

10. Final date for comments: 31 May 1984

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