NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: FRANCE

2. Agency responsible: Secretary of State for Budget and Consumption - Directorate for Consumption and Repression of Fraud

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):
   Erasers

5. Title: Draft implementing decree for the Law of 21 July 1983 on consumer safety in respect of erasers liable to be confused with edible products

6. Description of content: The decree prohibits the marketing of erasers which are a threat to consumer health because they are liable to be confused with an edible product by reason of their odour, form or presentation.

7. Objective and rationale: To ensure safety of consumers, in particular children


9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: As soon as possible. (For safety reasons, the French Government wishes to introduce these regulations as a matter of urgency.)

10. Final date for comments: -

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