GENERAL AGREEMENT ON 
TARIFFS AND TRADE

Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY

2. Agency responsible: Federal Minister of Labour and Social Affairs

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):
   - X-Ray equipment and radiant interference sources

5. Title: Ordinance on the Protection against Damages Caused by X-Rays
   (X-Ray Ordinance)

6. Description of content: Rules for licensing, notification and type approval for
   X-ray equipment and radiant interference sources; operating regulations

7. Objective and rationale: Translation of Euratom Directives into national law;
   improvement of the protection against X-rays

8. Relevant documents: Draft Ordinance on the Protection against Damages Caused by
   X-Rays (X-Ray Ordinance - RÖV)

9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: Prospective date of entry into
   force: 1 January 1988

10. Final date for comments: 31 October 1986

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