**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 for Youth, Family Affairs and Health

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):**
   - Liquid, powdery and freely running foods as well as their containers

5. **Title:** Draft of an ordinance on sanitary requirements for containers intended for the transportation of liquid, powdery and freely running foods (food transportation ordinance).

6. **Description of content:** Sanitary requirements for commercial containers for unpackaged liquid, powdery or freely running foods, particularly for exchange transports of foods and certain other substances (e.g. chemicals).
   - (Head words; constructional requirements, outer labelling, cleaning obligation)

7. **Objective and rationale:** Consumer protection; prevention of sanitary deficiencies in case of food transports, particularly food exchange transports.

8. **Relevant documents:**
   - Section 10 of the Law on Foods and Commodities (BGBI. I page 1945, 1946) of 15 August 1974
   - Article 40 of the Regulation EEC No. 355/79
   - Article 19 of the Regulation EEC No. 997/81
   - Article 4 of the Directive EEC No. 85/397 of 5 August 1985

9. **Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force:** Autumn 1986

10. **Final date for comments:** 20 June 1986

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