NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: UNITED STATES

2. Agency responsible: Customs Service, Department of the Treasury (266)

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):
   Fruit juice containers (CCCN Chapter 8)

5. Title: Country of Origin Marking of Fruit Juice Containers

6. Description of content: To change the Customs Service's interpretation of country of origin marking rules as they are applied to containers of fruit juice made with imported juice concentrate. Customs is now proposing that all fruits made from foreign concentrate be required to be labelled to indicate all actual sources of concentrate contained in the particular package of juice. If adopted, all fruit juice concentrate processors, including processors of orange juice, will no longer be allowed to use major supplier marking.

7. Objective and rationale: Public health


9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: To be determined

10. Final date for comments: 8 August 1988

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

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