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: DENMARK

2. Agency responsible: National Agency of Environmental Protection

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):

5. Title: Statutory Order on Liberation of Nickel from Jewellery, Glasses and Wrist-Watches with the Object of Preventing Allergy

6. Description of content: To put a ban on marketing from producer or importer on ear ornaments, glasses, wrist-watches and watch-straps which liberate more nickel than 0.5 µg./cm.²/week.

7. Objective and rationale: To reduce nickel allergy

8. Relevant documents: "Nikkelafgivelse fra metallegenergier" Miljøprojekt No. 10 ("Liberation of nickel from metal alloys")

9. Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: 1 January 1989

10. Final date for comments: 1 October 1988

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