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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: UNITED STATES


3. Notified under Article 2.5.2 [X], 2.6.1 [], 7.3.2 [], 7.4.1 [], other:

4. Products covered (HS where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading):
   
   Passenger cars (HS 8703)

5. Title: Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards; Roof Crush Resistance

6. Description of content: This notice proposes to amend Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. 216, Roof Crush Protection - Passenger Cars, to extend its requirements to light trucks. (For the purpose of this notice, the term "light trucks" includes vans and other multi-purpose passenger vehicles, as well as trucks and buses, with a gross vehicle weight rating of 10,000 lbs. or less.) This proposal is part of the agency's effort to ensure that occupants of light trucks are adequately protected, particularly in rollover events.

7. Objective and rationale: Safety


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

10. Final date for comments: 2 January 1990

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