NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: UNITED STATES
2. Agency responsible: Department of Agriculture (360)
3. Notified under Article 2.5.2 [X], 2.6.1 [], 7.3.2 [], 7.4.1 [], other:
4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading):
   Meat and poultry products (HS Chapter 2)
5. Title: Nutrition Labelling of Meat and Poultry Products (63 pages)
6. Description of content: The Food Safety and Inspection Service is proposing to amend the Federal Meat and Poultry Products Inspection Regulations by permitting voluntary nutrition labelling on single-ingredient, raw meat and poultry products, and by establishing mandatory nutrition labelling for all other meat and poultry products, with the exception of products used for further processing. Under the mandatory Nutrition Labelling Programme, processors of products in small packages and products packaged in other than consumer-size packages shall have the option of providing nutrition labelling information either on the package or by alternative means.
7. Objective and rationale: To provide consumers with the most informative labelling system possible.
9. Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: To be determined
10. Final date for comments: 25 February 1992
11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address of other body:

91-1843