**NOTIFICATION**

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 or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading):

   Fireworks (HS Chapter 3604)

5. Title: Reloadable Tube Aerial Shell Fireworks Devices; Proposed Rulemaking (12 Pages)

6. Description of content: The Commission is proposing to amend its Fireworks Regulations in order to ban reloadable tube aerial shell devices with shells larger than 1.75 inches in outer diameter. Requirements currently enforced by the Commission do not adequately address the risk of serious injury posed by these fireworks devices, and no feasible mandatory performance or design criteria would adequately reduce the risk of injury. The Commission is issuing this proposed rule under the authority of the Federal Hazardous Substances Act.

7. Objective and rationale: Safety


9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: Not yet determined

10. Final date for comments: 18 March 1991

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

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