NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: **SWITZERLAND**


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. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):

   Copiers with electrostatic copying processes for normal paper. Devices to which the document to be copied can be despatched exclusively from a host or personal computer are not required to fulfil the consumption target values. Copiers with a speed of more than 100 copies per minute, full-colour copiers and black-and-white copiers for paper sizes larger than A3 are not required to meet the consumption target value for the stand-by mode.

5. Title and number of pages of the notified document: Annex 9 to the Regulation Concerning an Economical and Rational Energy Use

6. Description of content: To reduce the power consumption of copiers, a target value (target values are not equal to standards. They indicate the power consumption in stand-by and off mode that should be reached by the end of 1996. Target values do not restrict the trade of appliances sold within Switzerland.) Z in Watt [W] for off mode and stand-by mode are given.

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<th>Operation mode</th>
<th>Target value Z</th>
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<tr>
<td>Off mode</td>
<td>Z = 1 [W]</td>
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<tr>
<td>Stand-by mode</td>
<td>Z = 27 + 3.23 x c* [W]</td>
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*The copying speed c is to be entered in copies per minute [copies/min].
7. **Objective and rationale:** Economical and rational use of energy. Target values are an essential part of the Swiss Programme "Energy 2000" which aims, *inter alia*, at a stabilization of the electric energy consumption by the year 2000.

8. **Relevant documents:** The power consumption is measured according to the Standard given in the Swiss Departmental Regulation, based on the ASTM-Standard from 1987, "Determining Energy Consumption of Copier and Copier-Duplicating Equipment".

9. **Proposed date of adoption and entry into force:** 1 June 1994

10. **Final date for comments:** 6 January 1994

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