NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: SWITZERLAND

2. Agency responsible: Federal Veterinary Office

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): Slaughter animals, meat

5. Title and number of pages of the notified document: Ordinance on the Instruction and the Improvement of the Meat Inspection's Executive Body

6. Description of content:
   - Qualification of the nominees;
   - Instruction;
   - Exams;
   - Organization of the examining body;
   - Improvement.

7. Objective and rationale: The new Swiss food hygiene legislation requires a revision of all regulations under the Foodstuff Law of 9 October 1992. This ordinance covers the domain of the instruction and the improvement of the personnel involved in meat inspection.


9. Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: January 1995

10. Final date for comments: 12 May 1994

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