

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON

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TARIFFS AND TRADE

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NOTIFICATION

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

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| 1. Party to Agreement notifying: <u>SWITZERLAND</u> |
| 2. Agency responsible: Federal Office of Public Health |
| 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): Plastic materials and articles |
| 5. Title: Ordinance on Plastic Materials and Articles |
| 6. Description of content: The Ordinance contains: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- positive lists of original substances, manufacturing or processing adjuvants (substances) permitted in the manufacture of plastic materials and articles;- lists containing migration limits;- lists containing specific requirements;- criteria relating to the evaluation of substances permitted for a short period only. |
| 7. Objective and rationale: Harmonization in accordance with the Agreement on the European Economic Area of 2 May 1992 |
| 8. Relevant documents: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Article 7 of the Agreement on the European Economic Area of 2 May 1992;- Directives 78/142, 82/711, 89/109 and 90/128;- Law on Foodstuffs;- Ordinance on Customary Goods and Consumer Goods. |
| 9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: 1 January 1993 |
| 10. Final date for comments: 6 December 1992 |
| 11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address of other body: |