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NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: UNITED STATES

2. Agency responsible: Consumer Product Safety Commission (380)

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):

Products containing loperamide

5. Title: Requirements for Child-Resistant Packaging; Proposed Requirements for Products Containing Loperamide (3 pages)

6. Description of content: The Commission is proposing to require child-resistant packaging for products containing more than 0.045 milligrams (mg.) of loperamide in a single package. Loperamide is used as an anti-diarrheal medication that is marketed in both prescription and over-the-counter forms.

7. Objective and rationale: To protect children under five years of age from serious personal injury and serious illness resulting from ingesting loperamide.

8. Relevant documents: 57 FR 47020, 14 October 1992; 16 CFR Part 1700. Will appear in the Federal Register when adopted.

9. Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: To be determined

10. Final date for comments: 28 December 1992

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

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