GENERAL AGREEMENT

ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

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

1.	Party to Agreement notifying: MEXICO
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Fisheries
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):
	Living aquatic organisms
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Draft Mexican Official Standard NOM-011-PESC-1993, on Quarantine for the Purpose of Preventing the Introduction and Dissemination of Certifiable and Notifiable Diseases when Importing and/or Transporting Living Aquatic Organisms at any Stage of Development to be Used for Aquaculture or Decoration in Mexico
6.	Description of content: This Standard defines the terms and conditions for imposing quarantine so as to prevent the introduction and dissemination of certifiable and notifiable diseases when importing and transporting living aquatic organisms for the purposes of aquaculture or decoration in Mexico.
7.	Objective and rationale: Prevention of disease in living aquatic organisms
8.	Relevant documents: Diario Oficial de la Federación (Official Journal) of 23 November 1993
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: February 1994
10.	Final date for comments: 31 January 1994

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