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NOTIFICATION

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

1.	Party to Agreement notifying: <u>NORWAY</u>
2.	Agency responsible: Norwegian Pollution Control Authority
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): Chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs) and halons
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Proposal for an Amendment of the Regulations Relating to Prohibition of the Manufacture, Import, Export and Use of Chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs) and Halons
6.	<p>Description of content: The amendment of the regulations are laying down the provisions for the manufacture, import, export and use of 15 different chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs) and three halons.</p> <p>The amendment consists of an extension in the number of regulated CFCs from 5 to 15 by regulation of the following 10 CFCs, the so-called "other fully halogenated CFCs": CFC 13 (CF₃Cl), CFC 111 (C₂FCl₃), CFC 112 (C₂F₂Cl₄), CFC 211 (C₃FCl₇), CFC 212 (C₃F₂Cl₆), CFC 213 (C₃F₃Cl₅), CFC 214 (C₃F₄Cl₄), CFC 215 (C₃F₅Cl₃), CFC 216 (C₃F₆Cl₂) and CFC 217 (C₃F₇Cl). These substances are listed in Annex B, Group I of the Montreal Protocol.</p> <p>The five CFCs which are already regulated by the existing regulations are CFC 11 (CFCl₃), CFC 12 (CF₂Cl₂), CFC 113 (C₂F₃Cl₃), CFC 114 (C₂F₄Cl₂) and CFC 115 (C₂F₅Cl). For halons the amendment does not mean any change.</p>
7.	Objective and rationale: Protection of the ozone layer
8.	Relevant documents: The Montreal Protocol

9. Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: 1 January 1995
10. Final date for comments: 25 November 1994
11. Texts available from: National enquiry point <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> or address and telefax number of other body: Norwegian Pollution Control Authority P.O. Box 8100 Dep N-0032 Oslo Norway