GENERAL AGREEMENT

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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: UNITED STATES
2.	Agency responsible: National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (61)
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): Motor Vehicles (HS Chapter 8703)
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards; Lamps, Reflective Devices and Associated Equipment (7 pages)
6.	Description of content: The Administration is proposing an amendment to the Federal Motor Vehicle Standard on Lighting that would permit replaceable lenses on integral beam and replaceable bulb headlamps that incorporate on-board headlamp aimers, provided that such headlamps meet more rigorous environmental tests. The benefit of headlamps with replaceable lenses is that the lens or reflector could be replaced in the event of breakage of either without the present necessity to replace both components if only one is damaged.
7.	Objective and rationale: To afford a further optional means of compliance with the headlamp requirements of Standard No. 108
8.	Relevant documents: 59 FR 59975, 21 November 1994; 49 CFR 571. Will appear in the Federal Register when adopted
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: The Agency is proposing that the amendments would be effective 30 days after publication of the final rule in the Federal Register
10.	Final date for comments: 21 February 1995
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body:

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