

**GENERAL AGREEMENT ON  
TARIFFS AND TRADE**Committee on Technical Barriers to TradeNOTIFICATION

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

1.	Party to Agreement notifying: <u>AUSTRIA</u>
2.	Agency responsible: Federal Ministry of Health and Environmental Protection
3.	Notified under Article 2.5.2 <input type="checkbox"/> , 2.6.1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> , 7.3.2 <input type="checkbox"/> , 7.4.1 <input type="checkbox"/> , Other:
4.	Products covered (CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading): Dangerous working material
5.	Title: Draft Ordinance Concerning the Prohibition or Restriction of Dangerous Working Material Intended to be Used for Certain Commodities
6.	Description of content: The Ordinance concerns mainly materials (packagings, casings or wrappings) of which substances (chemical elements and chemical compounds) have a detrimental effect on foodstuffs, consumption products, additives and other consumer goods. The draft contains protective measures to prevent from marketing certain goods suspected to be in a specified unlawful condition.
7.	Objective and rationale: Public health and security
8.	Relevant documents: Federal Law Gazette No. 86/1975 in the actual text (Food Act 1975)
9.	Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: 15 January 1986
10.	Final date for comments:
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> or address of other body: